

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

OCC-ARTESIA
NM OIL CONSERVATION
ARTESIA DISTRICT

FORM APPROVED
OMB NO. 1004-0135
Expires: July 31, 2010

SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS
Do not use this form for proposals to drill or to re-enter an abandoned well. Use form 3160-3 (APD) for such proposals.

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5. Lease Serial No.
NMNM19423 94076

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

7. If Unit or CA/Agreement, Name and/or No.

SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE - Other instructions on reverse side.

1. Type of Well
 Oil Well Gas Well Other

8. Well Name and No.
PINTAIL 23 FEDERAL COM 9H

2. Name of Operator
CIMAREX ENERGY COMPANY
Contact: TERRI STATHEM
E-Mail: tstatthem@cimarex.com

9. API Well No.
30-015-40297

3a. Address
202 S. CHEYENNE AVE, STE 1000
TULSA, OK 74103-3001

3b. Phone No. (include area code)
Ph: 432-620-1936

10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory
SAGE DRAW WOLFCAMPE

4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description)
Sec 23 T25S R26E 250FSL 650FWL

11. County or Parish, and State
EDDY COUNTY, NM

12. CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX(ES) TO INDICATE NATURE OF NOTICE, REPORT, OR OTHER DATA

TYPE OF SUBMISSION	TYPE OF ACTION			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Notice of Intent	<input type="checkbox"/> Acidize	<input type="checkbox"/> Deepen	<input type="checkbox"/> Production (Start/Resume)	<input type="checkbox"/> Water Shut-Off
<input type="checkbox"/> Subsequent Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Alter Casing	<input type="checkbox"/> Fracture Treat	<input type="checkbox"/> Reclamation	<input type="checkbox"/> Well Integrity
<input type="checkbox"/> Final Abandonment Notice	<input type="checkbox"/> Casing Repair	<input type="checkbox"/> New Construction	<input type="checkbox"/> Recomplete	<input type="checkbox"/> Other
	<input type="checkbox"/> Change Plans	<input type="checkbox"/> Plug and Abandon	<input type="checkbox"/> Temporarily Abandon	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Convert to Injection	<input type="checkbox"/> Plug Back	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Water Disposal	

13. Describe Proposed or Completed Operation (clearly state all pertinent details, including estimated starting date of any proposed work and approximate duration thereof. If the proposal is to deepen directionally or recomplete horizontally, give subsurface locations and measured and true vertical depths of all pertinent markers and zones. Attach the Bond under which the work will be performed or provide the Bond No. on file with BLM/BIA. Required subsequent reports shall be filed within 30 days following completion of the involved operations. If the operation results in a multiple completion or recompletion in a new interval, a Form 3160-4 shall be filed once testing has been completed. Final Abandonment Notices shall be filed only after all requirements, including reclamation, have been completed, and the operator has determined that the site is ready for final inspection.)

Please find attached the facility diagram for the above referenced facility.

Cimarex respectfully requests approval of water disposal as referenced below:

Formation producing Water: Wolfcamp
Water Produced: 40 BWPD
How is water stored: 300 bbl tank
How is water move to disposal system: Transfer pump
Disposal Facility info:
Operator: Cimarex Energy Co.
Name of Facility: Liberty 24 #1 SWD 30015-33094
Type facility well: SWD (WDW)

RD 9-26-14
Accepted for record
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SEE ATTACHED FOR
CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct.
Electronic Submission #243054 verified by the BLM Well Information System
For CIMAREX ENERGY COMPANY, sent to the Carlsbad
Committed to AFMSS for processing by LINDA DENNISTON on 05/06/2014 ()

Name (Printed/Typed) TERRI STATHEM Title COORDINATOR REGULATORY COMPLIA
Signature (Electronic Submission) Date 04/22/2014

APPROVED
SEP 10 2014
Date
JAMES A. AMOS
SUPERVISOR-EPS

THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE USE

Approved By _____ Title _____
Conditions of approval, if any, are attached. Approval of this notice does not warrant or certify that the applicant holds legal or equitable title to those rights in the subject lease which would entitle the applicant to conduct operations thereon. Office _____

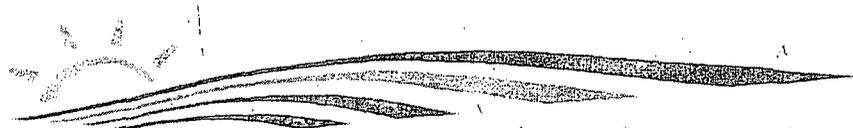
Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001 and Title 43 U.S.C. Section 1212, make it a crime for any person knowingly and willfully to make to any department or agency of the United States any false, fictitious or fraudulent statements or representations as to any matter within its jurisdiction.

** OPERATOR-SUBMITTED ** OPERATOR-SUBMITTED ** OPERATOR-SUBMITTED **

Additional data for EC transaction #243054 that would not fit on the form

32. Additional remarks, continued

location: SWNW Sec. 24, T-25S, R-26E
NMOCD permit #: SWD-1216 (attached).



New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

Bill Richardson
Governor

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Cabinet Secretary

Jim Noel
Deputy Cabinet Secretary

Mark Fesmire
Division Director
Oil Conservation Division



Administrative Order SWD-1216
April 26, 2010

**ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER
OF THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION**

Under the provisions of Division Rule 26.8B., Cimarex Energy Co. of Colorado seeks an administrative order to utilize its Liberty 24 Fed Com Well No. 1 (API 30-015-33094) located 1650 feet from the North line and 1200 feet from the West line, Unit E of Section 24, Township 25 South, Range 26 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico, for produced water disposal purposes.

THE DIVISION DIRECTOR FINDS THAT:

The application has been duly filed under the provisions of Division Rule 26.8B. Satisfactory information has been provided that affected parties as defined in Rule 26.8B.(2) have been notified and no objections have been received within the prescribed waiting period. The applicant has presented satisfactory evidence that all requirements prescribed in Rule 26.8 will be met and the operator is in compliance with Division Rule 5.9.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

The applicant, Cimarex Energy Co. of Colorado, is hereby authorized to utilize its Liberty 24 Fed Com Well No. 1 (API 30-015-33094) located 1650 feet from the North line and 1200 feet from the West line, Unit E of Section 24, Township 25 South, Range 26 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico, for disposal of oil field produced water into the Devonian formation through an open hole gross interval of 12979 feet to 13900 feet through tubing and packer set within 100 feet of the disposal interval.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED THAT:

The operator shall take all steps necessary to ensure that the disposed water enters only the proposed disposal interval and is not permitted to escape to other formations or onto the surface.

After installing tubing, the casing-tubing annulus shall be loaded with an inert fluid and equipped with a pressure gauge or an approved leak detection device in order to determine



leakage in the casing, tubing, or packer. The casing shall be pressure tested from the surface to the packer setting depth to assure casing integrity.

The wellhead injection pressure on the well shall be limited to **no more than 2596 psi**. In addition, the disposal well or system shall be equipped with a pressure limiting device in workable condition which shall, at all times, limit surface tubing pressure to the maximum allowable pressure for this well.

The Director of the Division may authorize an increase in tubing pressure upon a proper showing by the operator of said well that such higher pressure will not result in migration of the disposed fluid from the target formation. Such proper showing shall be demonstrated by sufficient evidence including but not limited to an acceptable Step-Rate-Test.

The operator shall notify the supervisor of the Division's district office of the date and time of the installation of disposal equipment and of any mechanical integrity test so that the same may be inspected and witnessed. The operator shall provide written notice of the date of commencement of disposal to the Division's district office. The operator shall submit monthly reports of the disposal operations on Division Form C-115, in accordance with Division Rules 26.13 and 7.24.

Without limitation on the duties of the operator as provided in Division Rules 30 and 29, or otherwise, the operator shall immediately notify the Division's district office of any failure of the tubing, casing or packer in the well, or of any leakage or release of water, oil or gas from around any produced or plugged and abandoned well in the area, and shall take such measures as may be timely and necessary to correct such failure or leakage.

The injection authority granted under this order is not transferable except upon division approval. The division may require the operator to demonstrate mechanical integrity of any injection well that will be transferred prior to approving transfer of authority to inject.

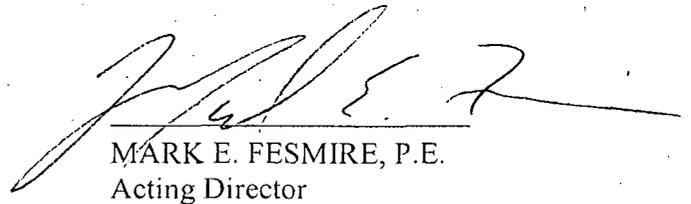
The division may revoke this injection permit after notice and hearing if the operator is in violation of 19.15.5.9 NMAC.

In accordance with Division Rule No 26.12.C., the disposal authority granted herein shall terminate one year after the effective date of this order if the operator has not commenced injection operations into the subject well, provided however, the Division, upon written request, mailed by the operator prior to the termination date, may grant an extension thereof for good cause. One year after disposal into the well has ceased, the authority to dispose will terminate *ipso facto*.

Compliance with this order does not relieve the operator of the obligation to comply with other applicable federal, state or local laws or rules, or to exercise due care for the protection of fresh water, public health and safety and the environment.

Jurisdiction is retained by the Division for the entry of such further orders as may be necessary for the prevention of waste and/or protection of correlative rights or upon failure of the

operator to conduct operations (1) to protect fresh or protectable waters or (2) consistent with the requirements in this order, whereupon the Division may, after notice and hearing, terminate the disposal authority granted herein.



MARK E. FESMIRE, P.E.
Acting Director

MEF/wvjj

cc: Oil Conservation Division – Artesia
Bureau of Land Management – Carlsbad

BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT
Carlsbad Field Office
620 East Greene Street
Carlsbad, New Mexico 88220
575-234-5972

Disposal of Produced Water From Federal Wells
Conditions of Approval

Approval of the produced water disposal methodology is subject to the following conditions of approval:

1. This agency shall be notified of any change in your method or location of disposal.
2. Compliance with all provisions of Onshore Order No. 7.
3. This agency shall be notified of any spill or discharge as required by NTL-3A.
4. This agency reserves the right to modify or rescind approval whenever it determines continued use of the approved method may adversely affect the surface or subsurface environments.
5. Any on-lease open top storage tanks shall be covered with a protective cover to prevent entry by birds and other wildlife.
6. This approval should not constitute the granting of any right-of-way or construction rights not granted by the lease instrument.
7. If water is transported via a pipeline that extends beyond the lease boundary, then you need to submit within 30 days an application for right-of-way approval to the Realty Section in this office if you have not already done so.
8. Disposal at any other site will require prior approval.
9. Subject to like approval by NMOCD.

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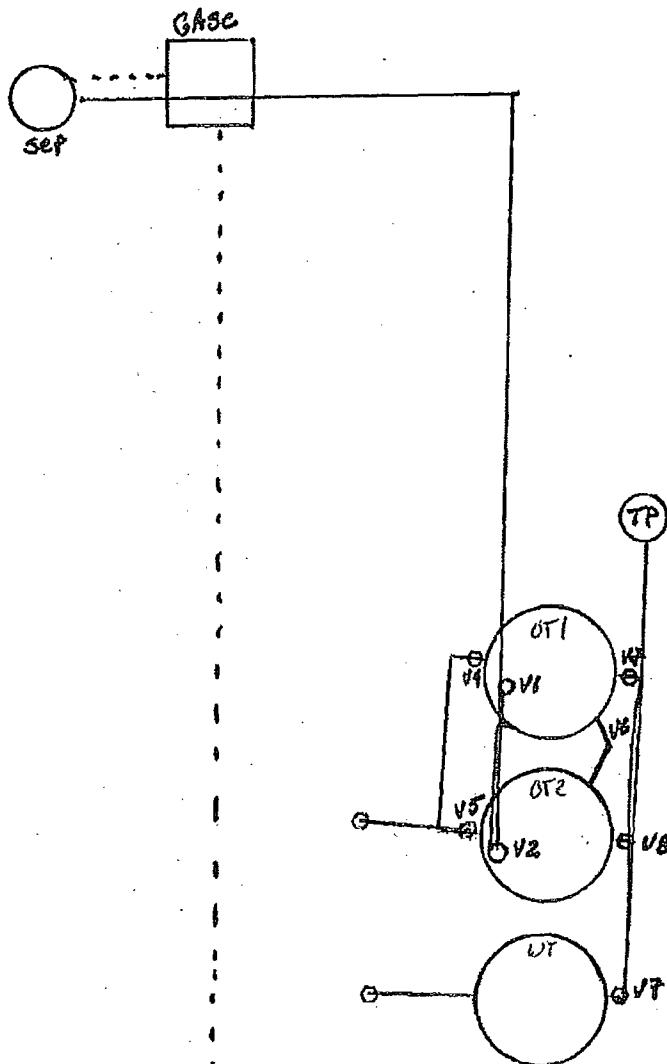
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Cimarex Energy
 Pintail 23 Fed Com 1
 NMNM 130613
 SWNW 23 25S 26E
 Eddy County, NM



I. Production Phase (OT #1)

- 1.) Valve 1 open
- 2.) Valve 6 open
- 3.) Valve 5 sealed Closed
- 4.) Valve 4 sealed Closed
- 5.) Valves on OT#2 positioned
 - A.) Valve 2 closed
 - Valve 8 closed sealed
 - Valve 5 sealed Closed

II. Sales Phase (OT #1)

- 1.) Values 1, V8, V7 sealed Closed
- 2.) Value 4 on OT#1 open
- 3.) Values on OT#2 positioned
 - A. Valve 2 open
 - B. Valve 6 closed
 - C. Valve 8 closed
 - D. Valve 5 sealed Closed

Accepted for Record Purposes.
 Approval Subject to Onsite Inspection.
 Date: 9/10/14

[Signature]

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