

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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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.***SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE - Other instructions on reverse side.**

1 Type of Well <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oil Well <input type="checkbox"/> Gas Well <input type="checkbox"/> Other		5 Lease Serial No NMLC029419B
2 Name of Operator FOREST OIL CORPORATION		6 If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name
Contact KELLY HARRIS E-Mail: kdharris@forestoil.com		7 If Unit or CA/Agreement, Name and/or No NMNM71030A
3a Address 707 17TH STREET SUITE 3600 DENVER, CO 80202	3b Phone No (include area code) Ph 303-864-1076 Fx 303-864-1055	8 Well Name and No SKELLY UNIT 264
4 Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description) Sec 27 T17S R31E NENW 20FNL 2619FWL		9 API Well No 30-015-28999-00-S1
10 Field and Pool, or Exploratory GRAYBURG		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"/> Subsequent Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Deepen
<input type="checkbox"/> Final Abandonment Notice	<input type="checkbox"/> Fracture Treat
	<input type="checkbox"/> Production (Start/Resume)
	<input type="checkbox"/> Casing Repair
	<input type="checkbox"/> Reclamation
	<input type="checkbox"/> New Construction
	<input type="checkbox"/> Recomplete
	<input type="checkbox"/> Change Plans
	<input type="checkbox"/> Plug and Abandon
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Temporarily Abandon
	<input type="checkbox"/> Convert to Injection
	<input type="checkbox"/> Plug Back
	<input type="checkbox"/> Water Disposal
	<input type="checkbox"/> Water Shut-Off
	<input type="checkbox"/> Well Integrity
	<input type="checkbox"/> Other

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 recompleat 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 recompleat 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.)

Forest Oil Corporation respectfully requests TA approval for the Skelly Unit 264. The well is completed from the Seven Rivers down to the Grayburg. The well produced from 1997-2004. The well is a poor performer and has cumulative oil production of only 4827 bbls. The well will be evaluated for conversion to injection.

SUBJECT TO LIKE
APPROVAL BY STATESEE ATTACHED FOR
CONDITIONS OF APPROVALRT - NMOCB
12/10/09

LAST prod 8/2004 Spud 10/9/96

14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct	
Electronic Submission #77424 verified by the BLM Well Information System For FOREST OIL CORPORATION, sent to the Carlsbad Committed to AFMSS for processing by KURT SIMMONS on 11/16/2009 (10KMS0258SE)	
Name (Printed/Typed) KELLY HARRIS	Title REGULATORY TECH
Signature (Electronic Submission)	Date 11/16/2009

THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE USE

Approved By DUNCAN WHITLOCK	Title LEAD PETROLEUM ENGINEERING TECH	Date 11/18/2009
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 Carlsbad

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.

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BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT
Carlsbad Field Office
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Temporary Abandonment of Wells on Federal Lands
Conditions of Approval

A temporarily abandoned well is defined as a completion that is not capable of production in paying quantities but which may have value as a service well. Pursuant to 43 CFR 3162.3-4 (c), no well may be temporarily abandoned for more than 30 days without the prior approval of the authorized officer.

Temporary Abandonment (TA) status approval requires a successful mechanical or casing integrity test as follows:

1. A Notice of Intent (NOI) Sundry Notice (Form 3160-5) requesting approval to run a mechanical integrity test (MIT) or casing integrity test (CIT).
2. A description of the temporary abandonment procedure.
 - a. A bridge plug or packer must be installed as close to 50 feet above any open perforations or open hole as possible. The bridge plug is to be capped with 35 feet of cement (if bailed) or 25 sacks (if placed with tubing). If a cement plug is used, the top of the cement must be verified by tagging.
 - b. The wellbore must be filled with corrosion inhibited fluid and pressure tested to 500 psi. The casing shall be capable of holding this pressure for at least 30 minutes with a 10% allowable leakoff.
 - c. All downhole production/injection equipment (tubing, rods, etc.) shall be removed from the casing if they are not isolated by a packer.
 - d. A bradenhead test must be conducted. If the test indicates a problem exists, a remedial plan and time frame for remediation shall be submitted within ninety (90) days of the test.
 - e. Contact the appropriate BLM office at least 24 hours prior to the scheduled Casing Integrity Test. For wells in Eddy County, 575-361-2822; Lea County 575-393-3612.
3. **Provides justification why the well should be temporarily abandoned rather than permanently plugged and abandoned and an estimated date that the well will be returned to beneficial use or plugged and abandoned.**

Wells that successfully pass the casing integrity test may be approved for Temporary Abandonment (TA) status provided that the operator:

1. Submits a subsequent Sundry Notice (Form 3160-5) requesting TA approval with well bore diagram.
2. Describes the temporary abandonment procedure.
3. Attaches a clear copy or the original of the pressure test chart.
4. Give justification to allow well to be place in TA status and plan for future use of well with time frame that well will be place back on line or plans to P&A well will be submitted.

If the well does not pass the casing integrity test, then the operator shall within 30 days submit to BLM for approval one of the following:

1. A procedure to repair the casing so that a TA approval can be granted.
2. A procedure to plug and abandon the well.

Skelly Unit #264 Submit Subsequent Report and well bore diagram with all Perforations and CIBP with tops of cement. Well may be approved to be TA for a period of 6 months after successful MIT and subsequent report with justification and future plans for well are submitted. This will be the last TA for this well.