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Form 3160-5
(November 1994)UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT11 S. 1st St
Artesia, NM

SUNDY 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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FORM APPROVED
OMB No. 1004-0135
Expire July 31, 1996

1. Serial No.	2834
2. NMLC	0064833
3. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name	
4. If Unit or CAJ Agreement, Name and/or No.	
5. Well Name and No.	Federal "R" #1
6. API Well No.	30015239490051
7. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area	
8. County or Parish, State	Eddy

SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE - Other Instructions on reverse side

1. Type of Well
☒ Oil Well ☐ Gas Well ☐ Other

2. Name of Operator

MeTex Oil & Gas Incorporated

3a. Address

Box 2070, Hobbs, NM 88240

3b. Phone No. (include area code)

505-397-7750

4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description)

NESE Sec. 3, T-19-S, R31E, Eddy Co., New Mexico

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

TYPE OF SUBMISSION	TYPE OF ACTION			
☐ Notice of Intent	☐ Acidize	☐ Deepen	☐ Production (Start/Resume)	☐ Water Shut-Off
☐ Subsequent Report	☐ Alter Casing	☐ Fracture Treat	☐ Reclamation	☐ Well Integrity
☐ Final Abandonment Notice	☐ Casing Repair	☐ New Construction	☐ Recomplete	☒ Other Variance Request
	☐ Change Plans	☐ Plug and Abandon	☐ Temporarily Abandon	
	☐ Convert to Injection	☐ Plug Back	☐ 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.)

OSO #4 Section III. C. 1. a. requires that each sales tank shall be equipped with a pressure vacuum thief hatch and vent line valve. The purpose of the requirement is to prevent loss of product at low volume and pressure or by flashing of light ends in high gravity oil.

A fluid with an API gravity below 36 degrees will not have a significant flashing of light ends within the normal temperature range. The loss of gas from a low volume facility would be insignificant if the sales tank is vented to the atmosphere.

OSO #4 provides for granting requests for a variance from the minimum standards. Oil product from this lease has a gravity of 28 and the lease produces 4 barrels of oil per day.

14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct
Name (Printed/Typed)

C. B. Rust

Title

Agent

Signature

C. B. Rust

Date

7/9/98

THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE USE

Approved by

(ORIG. SGD.) DAVID R. GLASS

PETROLEUM ENGINEER

JUL 22 1998

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 enable the applicant to conduct operations thereon.

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Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001 makes 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 in any manner within its jurisdiction.

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