

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT**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.*FORM APPROVED
OMB NO. 1004-0133
Expires: November 30, 2000

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SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE - Other instructions on reverse side.

1. Type of Well <input type="checkbox"/> Oil Well <input type="checkbox"/> Gas Well <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other: UNKNOWN		5. Lease Serial No. NM05607
2. Name of Operator MARATHON OIL COMPANY		6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name
3a. Address P.O. BOX 552 MIDLAND, TX 79702		7. If Unit or CA Agreement, Name and or No. 891008508-O
3b. Phone No. (include area code) Ph: 800.351.1417 Ext: 8321 Fx: 915.687.8305		8. Well Name and No. N IND BASIN UNIT GC 6
4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description) Sec 4 T21S R23E NWSE 1650FSL 1650FEL		9. API Well No. 30-015-20061
		10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory INDIAN BASIN UPPER PENN GAS
		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 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 checked="" 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Temporarily Abandon	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Convert to Injection	<input type="checkbox"/> Plug Back	<input 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 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 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.)

Marathon Oil Co. requests renewal of the Temporary Abandonment status of this well. TA status was originally approved 9/23/93. The casing integrity was tested on 10-22-99. You should have a copy of this chart on file. If no commercial production can be found, the well may have utility as a water disposal well. As development continues in the Indian Basin and Dagger Draw areas, additional disposal capacity may be required. In the meantime, the well has value as a reservoir observation well. Please renew the TA status for another 12 month period.

TH APPROVED 10/22/2002
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14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct. Electronic Submission #8317 verified by the BLM Well Information System For MARATHON OIL COMPANY, sent to the Carlsbad Committed to AFMSS for processing by Linda Askwig on 10/31/2001 ()	
Name (Printed/Typed) GINNY LARKE	Title AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE
Signature (Electronic Submission)	Date 10/29/2001

THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE USE

Approved By (ORIG. SGN) JOE G. LARA	Title Bureau Engineer	Date 3/4/2002
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 CFC

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