

UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

NEW OIL CONS COMMISSION  
Form DD  
Artesia, NM 88210

FORM APPROVED  
Budget Bureau No. 1004-0135  
Expires: March 31, 1993

SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS

Do not use this form for proposals to drill or to deepen or reentry to a different reservoir.  
Use "APPLICATION FOR PERMIT—" for such proposals

SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE

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1. Type of Well

☒ Oil Well ☐ Gas Well ☐ Other

2. Name of Operator

Pogo Producing Company

(915)682-6822

3. Address and Telephone No.

P.O. Box 10340

Midland, Texas

79702-7340

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ARTESIA, OFFICE

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

660' FEL & 1980' FSL, Sec. 9, T23S, R28E

5. Lease Designation and Serial No

NM-15433

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

7. If Unit or CA, Agreement Designation

8. Well Name and No.

Nel Com #1

9. API Well No.

10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area

N. Loving Morrow

11. County or Parish, State

Eddy County, NM

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

TYPE OF SUBMISSION

- ☐ Notice of Intent  
☐ Subsequent Report  
☐ Final Abandonment Notice

TYPE OF ACTION

- ☐ Abandonment  
☐ Recompletion  
☐ Plugging Back  
☐ Casing Repair  
☐ Altering Casing  
☐ Other

- ☐ Change of Plans  
☐ New Construction  
☐ Non-Routine Fracturing  
☐ Water Shut-Off  
☐ Conversion to Injection  
☐ Dispose Water

(Note: Report results of multiple completion on Well Completion or Recompletion Report and Log form.)

13. Describe Proposed or Completed Operations (Clearly state all pertinent details, and give pertinent dates, including estimated date of starting any proposed work. If well is directionally drilled, give subsurface locations and measured and true vertical depths for all markers and zones pertinent to this work.)\*

In response to your letter (copy attached) the Nel Com #1 is still an active well and has been producing from the Morrow Formation since July 1990.

14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct

Signed

Title

Division Operations Eng.

Date

8/31/94

(This space for Federal or State office use)

Approved by

Title

Date

Conditions of approval, if any:



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Carlsbad Resource Area Headquarters

P.O. Box 1778

Carlsbad, New Mexico 88221-1778

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IN REPLY REFER TO:

MIDLAND,

3162 (067)  
SCR89/NM-15433

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**CERTIFIED--RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**

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Pogo Producing Company  
P. O. Box 10340  
Midland, TX 79702-7340

RE: SCR89/NM-15433; NEL Com No. 1  
NESE, Sec. 9, T23S, R28E  
Eddy County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

Our records show the above referenced well is operated by you and is reported as Shut-In (SI) or Temporarily Abandoned (TA). The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) and Minerals Management Service (MMS) definition of a shut-in well is a completion that is physically and mechanically capable of production in paying quantities or capable of service use. The definition of a temporarily abandoned well is a completion that is not capable of production in paying quantities but which may have value as a service completion. According to our records the well referenced above has been shut-in for 6 months or longer or has been temporarily abandoned without authorization. 43 CFR 3162.3-4(c) requires that wells incapable of production in paying quantities be promptly plugged and abandoned and requires approval for any well temporarily abandoned for more than 30 days.

Accordingly, you are to take one of the following actions:

1. Return the well to production or beneficial use.
2. Plug and abandon the well.
3. Request approval for temporary abandonment and include a schedule for casing integrity testing.

If you decide to return the well to production or beneficial use, submit a Sundry Notice of intent within 30 business days of receipt of this letter. Include the date you anticipate the well being placed back in service. Use Form 3160-5 and submit the original and 5 copies for each well. 43 CFR 3162.4-1(c) also requires you to notify the Authorized Officer, not later than the fifth business day after production is resumed for any well which has been off production for more than 90 days, the date on which such production was resumed. Notification may be by letter or Sundry Notice, or orally followed by letter or Sundry Notice.

If you decide to plug and abandon the well, submit a separate Sundry Notice (Form 3160-5, original and 5 copies) within 30 business days of receipt of this letter and describe the proposed plugging program.