Budget Bureau No. 1004-0135
Expires August 31, 1985

5. LEASE DESIGNATION AND SERIAL NO
NO. 1004-0135
EXPIRED UNITED STATES SUBMIT IN TRIF (Other Instruction verse side) ATE Form 3160-5 (Nove@ber 1983) (Formerly 9-331) BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT IF INDIAN AND BOTTEE OR TRIBE NAME (I'm not use this form for proposais to drill or to deepen or plug back to a different reservoir.

Use "APPLICATION FOR PERMIT—" for such proposals.) DD DISMOL ATTES 7. UNIT AGREEMENT NAME ī WELL X GAS WELL RECEIVED OTHER 8. FARM OR LEASE NAME 2. NAME OF OPERATOR Herradura Federal Orla Petco, Inc. WELL NO. 3. ADDRESS OF OPERATOR LOCATION OF WELL (Report location clearly and in accordance with any State requirements. See also space 17 below.)
At surface 10. FIELD AND POOL, OR WILDCAT O. C. D. Wildcat-Cherry Canyon 990' FSL & 330' FEL of Sec. 31, T-22-S, R-28-E, Unit letters, poffice Survey of AREA Sec. 31, T-22-S, R-28-E 12. COUNTY OR PARISH | 13. STATE 15. ELEVATIONS (Show whether DF, RT, GR. etc.) 14. PERMIT NO. NM Eddy 3.045' GL Check Appropriate Box To Indicate Nature of Notice, Report, or Other Data 16 SUBSECUENT REPORT OF NOTICE OF INTENTION TO REPAIRING WELL WATER SHUT-OFF PULL OR ALTER CASING TEST WATER SHUT-OFF ALTERING CASING FRACTURE TREATMENT MILTIPLE COMP'ETE FRACTURE TREAT SHOOTING OR ACIDIZING ARANDON WENT ARANDON SHOOT OR ACIDIZA CHANGE PLANS REPAIR WELL NOTE: Report results of multiple completion on Well Completion or Recompletion Report and Log form.) Casing integrity test 17. 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.) \* (Other) Orla Petco requests permission to continue with a temporary abandoned status on this well. We may use this wellbore as a disposal well in the future. Casing integrity test scheduling is at your convienence.

18. I hereby certify that the foregoing is the and correct SIGNED OS A ROYDA	TITLE	Vice President	DATE	8/15/94
(This space for Federal or State office use) (ORIG. SGD.) JOE G. LARA APPROVED BY CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL, IF ANY:  See. attached.	TITLE _	PETROLEUM ENGINEER	DATE -	9/8/94 90 days.

## BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT CARLSBAD RESOURCE AREA

## Temporary Abandonment of Wells on Federal Lands

## Conditions of Approval

According 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 casing integrity test as follows:

- 1. Contact the appropriate BLM office at least 24 hours prior to the scheduled Casing Integrity Test. For wells in Eddy County call (505) 887-6544; for wells in Lea County call (505) 393-3612.
- 2. A bridge plug or packer shall be set at a maximum of 50 feet above any open perforations or open hole.
- 3. All downhole production/injection equipment (tubing, rods, etc.) shall be removed from the casing if they are not isolated by a packer.
- 4. The production casing shall 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 leak-off.

Wells that successfully pass the casing integrity test will be approved for Temporary Abandonment (TA) status for 12 months provided that the operator:

- 1. Submits a subsequent Sundry Notice requesting TA approval,
- Attaches a clear copy or the original of the pressure test chart,
- 3. And attaches a detailed justification why the well should not be plugged and abandoned.

The TA status could be extended without another casing integrity test provided there was no leak-off during the test.

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.