

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENTFEDERAL OIL CONTS. DIVISION
811 S. 1st Street
Artesia, NM 88210-2834FORM APPROVED
OMB No. 1004-0135
Expires November 30, 2000**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

☐ Oil Well ☒ Gas Well ☐ Other

2. Name of Operator

RICKS EXPLORATION INC.

3a. Address 210 Park Avenue Suite 3000

Oklahoma City, OK 73102

3b. Phone No. (include area code)

405/516-1100

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

F 1980' FNL; 1980' FWL

Section 12-24S-31E

Serial No.

NM 67106

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

7. If Unit or CA/Agreement, Name and/or No.

8. Well Name and No.

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9. API Well No.

30-015-23459

10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area

Cotton Draw (Atoka) Gas

11. County or Parish, State

Eddy County

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

TYPE OF SUBMISSION

TYPE OF ACTION

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

Ricks Exploration Inc. would like to request an extension for plugging the above well.
We have awarded the bid to Basic Energy which cannot get to the well for 60 days.
We will plan on having this well plugged by December 12, 2000.

APPROVED FOR 30 DAY MONTH PERIOD
FINDING DEC 12 2000

RECEIVED

OCT 16 2000

BLM
ROSWELL, NM

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

Name (Printed/Typed)

Cindy L. Carden

Title

Production Assistant

Signature

Cindy L. Carden

Date

10/12/00

THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE USE

Approved by (ORIG. SGD) DAVID R. GLASS

PETROLEUM ENGINEER

Date OCT 23 2000

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.

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