Form 3160-3 (December 1990)	UNIT	ED STATES	ARTESIA, M,	TRIPLICATE	Form approved. Budget Bureau 1 Expires: Decen		
	DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR					5. LEASE DESIGNATION AND BERIAL NO.	
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT					NM031963		
APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL OR DEEPEN					G. IF INDIAN, ALLOTTER OR TRIDE NATE		
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2. NAME OF OFERATOR					Sundance Fed # 31		
Merit Energy Company, D. 3. ADDRESS AND TRUBHIONE MO. Phone #(214)701-8377					30-015-27586		
12221 Merit Drive - Suite 500 - Dallas, TX 75251					10. FIELD AND FOOL, OR WILDCAT		
A rectrice of whit (Report location clearly and in accordance with any State requirements.")					Sandunes, West		
AtsuriaceUnit C - Sec 4 T245 R31E					11. SEC., T., R., M., OR BLK. AND SURVEY OR AREA		
660' FNL and 1980' FWL - Eddy County, New Mexico					Sec 4 - T24S R31E		
Same AS Above Lin 1 14. DISTANCE IN MILES AND DIRECTION FROM NEAREST TOWN OR FOST OFFICE*					12. COUNTY OR PARIST	13. ATATE	
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					OF ACRES ASSIGNED		
PROFERIT OR LEARED LINE, FT. (Also to mearest drig, unit line, if any)			1682.12		40 20. ROTARY OR CABLE TOOLS		
18. DISTANCE FROM PROPOSED LOCATION*			19. PROPOSED DEPTH				
OR AFFLIED FOR, ON THIS LEASE, FT. 1320 to NOTE			8200'	<u> 1</u>	Rotary 22. AFPROX. DATE WORK WILL START* ASAP		
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23. PROPOSED CASING AND CEMENTING PROGRAM					-111-P Potesh		
RIZE OF HOLE	ORADA SIZE OF CASING	WEIGHT PER FOO	T SETTING DEPTI	Ŧ	QUANTITY OF CEME		
		54.5	650		550 sacks (ACULATE	
17 1/2	<u>13 3/8</u> 8 5/8	24 & 32			921 sacks /	A CULATE	
7 7/8	5 1/2	15.5 &			783 sacks -\$e	e stips.	

Merit Energy Company proposes to drill and test the Delaware and intermediate formations. Approximately 650', surface casing will be set and circulated to surface. Approximately 4200' of intermediate casing will be set and circulated to surface. If well is commercial, production casing will be run and cemented tying back into 8 5/8 intermediate casing, perforated and stimulated as needed for production.

Mud Program: FW to 650' brine to 4200', cut brine to 8200'.

BOPE Program: BOPE will be installed at the offset and tested daily for operational.

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