

UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

FORM APPROVED  
OMB No. 1004-0137  
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**SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS**

**Do not use this form for proposals to drill on or to re-enter an abandoned well. Use Form 3160-3 (APD) for such proposals.**

**SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE- Other instructions on reverse side.**

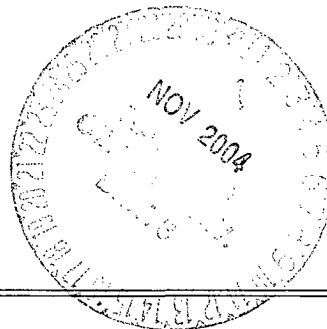
1. Type of Well <input type="checkbox"/> Oil Well <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Gas Well <input type="checkbox"/> Other		5. Lease Serial No. <b>NMNM-013860A</b>
2. Name of Operator <b>Richardson Operating Company</b>		6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name <b>NA</b>
3a. Address <b>3100 La Plata Highway, Farmington, NM, 87401</b>	3b. Phone No. (include area code) <b>505-564-3100</b>	7. If Unit or CA/Agreement, Name and/or No. <b>NA</b>
4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description) <b>1245' FNL &amp; 1780' FWL Sec. 25 T28N - R8W</b>		8. Well Name and No. <b>Federal 41-25 #3</b>
		9. API Well No. <b>30-045-31998</b>
		10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area <b>Basin Fruitland Coal</b>
		11. County or Parish, State <b>San Juan County, New Mexico</b>

**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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <b>Spud &amp;</b>
	<input type="checkbox"/> Change Plans	<input type="checkbox"/> Plug and Abandon	<input type="checkbox"/> Temporarily Abandon	<b>Surface casing</b>
	<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 recomplate 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.)

9/22/04 MIRU. Mix mud. Spud well at 8:05am. Drill 242' of new 8 3/4" hole to 242'. Work on pump. Secure rig, SDFN.  
9/23/04 Drill 49' of 8 3/4" hole to 291'. Run 265' of 7" 17# H-40 surface casing. Land surface casing at 265' -1'GL. Cement surface casing with 100sx Class B cement with 2% CaCl<sub>2</sub>, 1/4#/sk Celloflake, 15.60ppg, 1.18 yield. Circulate 11.5 bbl to surface. Secure rig, SDFN. WOC.



14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct Name (Printed/Typed) <b>Charles H. Williams</b>		Title <b>Engineering Operations Manager</b>
Signature <i>Charles H. Williams</i>		Date <b>10/27/2004</b>

**THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE USE**

Approved by _____	Title _____	Date <b>OCT 20 2004</b>
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 _____	<b>FARMINGTON FIELD OFFICE</b> BY <i>JB</i>

Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001 and Title 43 U.S.C. Section 1212, make it a crime for any person knowingly and willfully to make to any department or agency of the United States any false, fictitious or fraudulent statements or representations as to any matter within its jurisdiction.

(Instructions on page 2)

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