

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

FORM APPROVED
OMB No. 1004-0135
Expires March 31, 2007

SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS

Do not use this form for proposals to drill or 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. NM-070935
2. Name of Operator Yates Petroleum Corporation		6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name N/A
3a. Address 105 S. 4th Str., Artesia, NM 88210	3b. Phone No. (include area code) 505-748-1471	7. If Unit or CA/Agreement, Name and/or No. NMNM92372
4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., OR Survey Description) 1847'FSL & 1651'FEL of Section 12-T29N-R13W (Unit J, NWSE)		8. Well Name and No. Ropco Federal 12 Com #1
		9. API Well No. 30-045-29096
		10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area Basin Fruitland Coal
		11. County or Parish, State San Juan County, New Mexico

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 type="checkbox"/> Other _____
	<input type="checkbox"/> Change Plans	<input type="checkbox"/> Plug and Abandon	<input type="checkbox"/> Temporarily Abandon	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Convert to Injection	<input checked="" 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 recompleat 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 recompleat 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.)

12/28/04 - 1/1/05

Set composite frac plug at 1450'. Loaded the casing and pressure tested the casing and frac valve to 3000 psi, held OK. Perforated Fruitland Coal 1422'-1446' for a total of 96 - .36" holes. Pumped 3500 gals pad of 20# Delta 140 fluid. Total fluid 959 bbls. Total sand in formation 34,971#. Drilled bridge plug and pushed to 1545'.

ACCEPTED FOR RECORD

JAN 12 2005

FARMINGTON FIELD OFFICE
BY *[Signature]*

14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct	
Name (Printed/Typed) Tina Huerta	Title Regulatory Compliance Supervisor
Signature <i>Tina Huerta</i>	Date January 6, 2005

THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE USE

Approved by _____	Title _____	Date _____
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 _____		

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

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