

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS

Do not use this form for proposals to drill or reenter 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

Black Hills Gas Resources, Inc. c/o Mike Pippin LLC (Agent)

3a. Address

3104 N. Sullivan, Farmington, NM 87401

3b. Phone No. (include area code)

505-327-4573

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

287' FNL & 1072' FWL Unit D

Sec. 17, T30N, R03W

FORM APPROVED
OMB No. 1004-0135
Expires July 31, 1996

5. Lease Serial No.

Contract 459

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

Jicarilla Apache Tribe

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

RCVD FEB14'07
OIL CONS. DIV.

8. Well Name and No. DIST. 3

Jicarilla 459 #8

9. API Well No.

30-039-24305

10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area

East Blanco Pictured Cliffs &
Cabresto Canyon Tertiary

AND

Rio Arriba County, New Mexico

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

TYPE OF SUBMISSION	TYPE OF ACTION
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Notice of Intent	<input type="checkbox"/> Acidize <input type="checkbox"/> Deepen <input type="checkbox"/> Production (Start/Resume) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Water Shut-Off
<input 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 Install Pumping Equipment
	<input type="checkbox"/> Change Plans <input type="checkbox"/> Plug and Abandon <input type="checkbox"/> Temporarily Abandon
	<input type="checkbox"/> Convert to Injection <input type="checkbox"/> Plug Back <input type="checkbox"/> Water Disposal

13. Describe Proposed or Completed Operations (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 recompleate 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.)

Black Hills Gas Resources plans to pressure test the formerly squeezed Tertiary perms & re-squeeze, if necessary. Pumping equipment will then be installed on the Pictured Cliffs.

SEE ATTACHED FOR
CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

Squeezed Tertiary Perfs: 3124'-3222'

Existing PC Perfs: 3670'-3729'

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

Name (Printed/Typed)

Mike Pippin

Title

Petr. Engr. (Agent)

Signature

Date

February 9, 2007

THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE 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, makes 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 reverse)

NMOCD

BLM CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

WORKOVER AND RECOMPLETION OPERATIONS:

A properly functioning BOP and related equipment must be installed prior to commencing workover and/or recompletion operations.

SURFACE USE OPERATIONS:

The following Stipulations will apply to this well unless a particular Surface Managing Agency or private surface owner has supplied to BLM and operator a contradictory environmental stipulation. The failure of operator to comply with these requirements may result in assessments or penalties pursuant to 43 CFR 3163.1 or 3163.2. A copy of these conditions of approval shall be present on location during construction, drilling and reclamation activity.

An agreement between operator and fee landowner will take precedence over BLM surface stipulations unless (in reference to 43 CFR Part 3160) 1) BLM determines that operator's actions will affect adjacent Federal or Indian surface, or 2) operator does not maintain well area and lease premises in a workmanlike manner with due regard for safety, conservation and appearance, or 3) no such agreement exists, or 4) in the event of well abandonment, minimal Federal restoration requirements will be required.

STANDARD STIPULATIONS: All surface areas disturbed during work-over activities and not in use for production activities will be reseeded. This should occur in the first 90 days after completion of work-over activities.

SPECIAL STIPULATIONS:

1. Pits will be fenced during work-over operation.
2. All disturbance will be kept on existing pad.
3. All pits will be pulled and closed immediately upon completion of the work-over activities.
4. Pits will be lined with an impervious material at least 12 mils thick.