

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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FORM APPROVED
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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
Black Hills Gas Resources, Inc.

3a. Address
P.O. Box 249 Bloomfield, NM 87413

3b. Phone No. (include area code)
505-634-1111

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

140' FSL & 1110' FWL Unit M Sec 17, T30N, R3W

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.

8. Well Name and No.

Jicarilla 459-17 #10

9. API Well No.
30-039-25854

10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area
East Blanco Pictured Cliffs

11. County or Parish, State
Rio Arriba, NM

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

TYPE OF SUBMISSION	TYPE OF ACTION				
☒ Notice of Intent	☐ Acidize	☐ Deepen	☐ Production (Start/Resume)	☐ Water Shut-off	
☐ Subsequent Report	☐ Altering Casing	☐ Fracture Treat	☐ Reclamation	☐ Well Integrity	
☐ Final Abandonment Notice	☐ Casing Repair	☐ New Construction	☐ Recomplete	☐ Other	
	☐ Change Plans	☒ Plug and abandon	☐ Temporarily Abandon		
	☐ Convert to Injection	☒ Plug back	☐ 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 recompleate horizontally, give subsurface locations and measured and true vertical depths or pertinent markers and sands. Attach the Bond under which the work will performed or provide the Bond No. on file with the 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 recompleation in a new interval, a Form 3160-4 shall be filed once testing has been completed. Final Abandonment Notice shall be filed only after all requirements, including reclamantion, have been completed, and the operator has determined that the site is ready for final inspection.)

Black Hills Gas Resources intends to abandon the Pictured Cliffs in this well. A cement retainer will be set @ 3704', 36 cu ft cement will be placed on top of the retainer. This will cover the Fruitland and Kirtland formation tops. A CIBP will be set @ 3180' to isolate the water productive Ojo Alamo perforations (3244-3266'). This well will be produced as a Tertiary-only well.

Verbal approval obtained from Steve Mason 6-17-08.

RCVD JUN 19 '08
OIL CONS. DIV.
DIST. 3

14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct.
Name (Printed/ Typed)

Loren Diede

Title

Consultant (Agent)

Signature

Date

6/17/2008

THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE USE

Approved by **Original Signed: Stephen Mason**

Title

Date

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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.

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 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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