Submitted in lieu of Form 3160-5

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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Sundry Notices and Reports on Wells

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1. Type of Well	**5. Lease Number** SF-079520
GAS	**6. If Indian, All. or Tribe Name**
2. Name of Operator MERIDIAN OIL	**7. Unit Agreement Name** San Juan 28-5 Unit
3. Address & Phone No. of Operator PO Box 4289, Farmington, NM 87499 (505) 326-9700	**8. Well Name & Number** San Juan 28-5 U #40
	9. API Well No. 30-039-82382
4. Location of Well, Footage, Sec., T, R, M 1150' FNL, 2000' FEL, Sec.27, T-28-N, R-5-W, NMPM	**10. Field and Pool** Blanco Mesaverde
	11. County and State Rio Arriba Co, NM

12. CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX TO INDICATE NATURE OF NOTICE, REPORT, OTHER DATA

Type of Submission

_X_ Notice of Intent

___ Subsequent Report

___ Final Abandonment

Type of Action

___ Abandonment	___ Change of Plans
___ Recompletion	___ New Construction
___ Plugging Back	___ Non-Routine Fracturing
___ Casing Repair	___ Water Shut off
___ Altering Casing	___ Conversion to Injection
_X_ Other – Pay add	

13. Describe Proposed or Completed Operations

It is intended to add pay to the Mesaverde formation of the subject well in the following manner:

Trip out of hole with tubing. Selectively reperforate the Mesaverde interval. Fracture stimulate the Mesaverde with sand and gelled water. Clean out to plug back total depth after fracture treatment. Rerun tubing. Return the well to production.

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

Signed _(signature)_ (SHL8) Title Regulatory Administrator Date 2/20/96

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APPROVED BY _____ Title _____ Date _____
CONDITION OF APPROVAL, if any:

APPROVED

FEB 26 1996

DISTRICT MANAGER

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