

submitted in lieu of Form 3160-5

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

Sundry Notices and Reports on Wells

1. Type of Well
GAS

2. Name of Operator
Meridian Oil Inc.

3. Address & Phone No. of Operator
PO Box 4289, Farmington, NM 87499 (505) 326-9700

4. Location of Well, Footage, Sec., T, R, M
1550'FSL, 1210'FWL Sec.7, T-31-N, R-9-W, NMPM

5. Lease Number
SF-078439

6. If Indian, All. or
Tribe Name

7. Unit Agreement Name

8. Well Name & Number
Johnston Federal #29

9. API Well No.
30-045-28210

10. Field and Pool
Basin Frt Coal

11. County and State
San Juan Co, NM

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

☒ Notice of Intent

☐ Subsequent Report

☐ Final Abandonment

Type of Action

☐ Abandonment

☐ Recompletion

☐ Plugging Back

☐ Casing Repair

☐ Altering Casing

☒ Other - Sidetrack Workover

☐ Change of Plans

☐ New Construction

☐ Non-Routine Fracturing

☐ Water Shut off

☐ Conversion to Injection

13. Describe Proposed or Completed Operations

It is intended to sidetrack this well in the following manner:

MOL&RU. A balanced cement plug will be set in the existing 7" casing.

A cast iron bridge plug (CIBP) will be set using a wireline and casing collar locator (CCL) @ approximately 3157'.

A whipstock assembly will be set on top of the CIBP. A window will be cut in the existing 7" casing.

Following clean up of the window, a 6 1/4" hole will be drilled with gelled water approximately 50'. At this point, compressors/boosters will be used to unload the hole with air mist. Total depth is planned at approximately 3466'.

A standard Fruitland Coal open hole completion is planned.

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

Signed Peggy Stadfield (GL) Title Regulatory Affairs Date 9/24/92

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APPROVED BY _____ Title _____

CONDITION OF APPROVAL, if any:

APPROVED Date _____

AREA MANAGER

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