

OCD - Artesia

Form 3160-5
(September 2001)

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 to re-enter an
abandoned well. Use Form 3160-3 (APD) for such proposals.

FORM APPROVED
OMB No. 1004-0135
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SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE - Other instructions on reverse side

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1. Type of Well

☐ Oil Well ☐ Gas Well ☒ Other

2. Name of Operator

Merit Energy

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3a. Address

13727 NOEL RD STE 500 Dallas TX

3b. Phone No. (include area code)

4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description) 75240

SESW4, 175, 31E

5. Lease Serial No.

NWLC 029426 B

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

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

8. Well Name and No.

West B# 27 (Keel west wlf)

9. API Well No.

30-015-05074

10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area

Crabtree

11. County or Parish, State

Eddy County, NM

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 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 <u>Authorization</u> |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Change Plans | <input type="checkbox"/> Plug and Abandon | <input type="checkbox"/> Temporarily Abandon | <u>to use AS Storage</u> |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Convert to Injection | <input type="checkbox"/> Plug Back | <input type="checkbox"/> Water Disposal | <u>facility.</u> |

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.)

I was wanting to get Authorization to use this site as a storage for Equipment & Junk Iron, Rod tbs Etc. This will be a revolving stock. As we will sell the Junk Iron when a buyer is found.

* Storage area to be fenced.

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

Brandon Ripker

Title

lead pumper

Signature

BRipker

Date

2-24-04

THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE USE

Approved by

Joe G. Lara

ACTING

FIELD MANAGER

Date

3/9/04

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.

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