# N.M. Oil Cons. DIV-Dist. 2 1301 W. Grand Avenue

Form 3160-3

Artesia, NM 88210 FORM APPROVED

(April 2004)	•		_	OMB No Expires )	o. 1004-0137 March 31, 20	<del>)</del> 007
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE	5. Lease Serial No.					
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APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO	DRILL OF	KEENIEK		·		
la. Type of work: DRILL . REENT	ER			7 If Unit or CA Agre	ement, Na	ume and No.
lb. Type of Well: Oil Well Gas Well Other	8. Lease Name and Well No. MOORE FED COM #4					
2. Name of Operator MURCHISON OIL & GAS, INC.	Ä,			9. API Well No.	3	3906
3a. Address 1100 MIRA VISTA BLVD. PLANO, TX. 75093-4698	(include area code) 31-BECFIVE	10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory				
4. Location of Well (Report location clearly and in accordance with a	ny State requirem	ents.*)		11. Sec., T. R. M. or B	3lk.and Su	rvey or Area
At surface 2580' FNL & 660' FEL SE/NE (I At proposed prod. zone	005 ESIA	SEC. 35, T24S-R26E				
14. Distance in miles and direction from nearest town or post office* 17 MILES SW OF CARLSBAD, NM				12. County or Parish EDDY		13. State NM
15. Distance from proposed* location to nearest property or lease line, ft.				ing Unit dedicated to this well		
(Also to nearest drig. unit line, if any)  660'				3rd WELL ON 640 AC.		
18. Distance from proposed location* to nearest well, drilling, completed, applied for, on this lease, ft.  3200'	19. Proposed Depth 20. BLM			I/BIA Bond No. on file		
21. Elevations (Show whether DF, KDB, RT, GL, etc.) 3346' GR	22. Approximate date work will start* 12/01/2004			23. Estimated duration		
	24. Attac	hments	CARLS	BAD CONTROL	LED W	VATER BASI
The following, completed in accordance with the requirements of Onsho	ore Oil and Gas	Order No.1, shall be	ttached to th	nis form:		
<ol> <li>Well plat certified by a registered surveyor.</li> <li>A Drilling Plan.</li> </ol>		4. Bond to cover Item 20 above).	he operation	ons unless covered by an	existing t	oond on file (see
3. A Surface Use Plan (if the location is on National Forest System SUPO shall be filed with the appropriate Ecrest Service Office).	Lands, the	5. Operator certifi 6. Such other site authorized offi	specific inf	formation and/or plans a	s may be r	equired by the
25. Signature Mehaul / aughut	ı	(Printed/Typed) MICHAEL S. DAU	Date 09/21/2004		21/2004	
Title VICE PRESIDENT/OPERATIONS					<del>-</del>	
Approved by (Signature) /S/ Joe G. Lara	Name	Name (Printed/Typed) /s/ Joe G. Lara Date JAN 1:				
ACTINGFIELD MANAGER	IELD MANAGER  Office CARLSBAD FIELD OFFICE					
Application approval does not warrant or certify that the applicant hol conduct operations thereon.	ds legal or equi	table title to those righ	nts in the sul	oject lease which would	entitle the a	applicant to
Conditions of approval, if any, are attached.			APPR	OVAL FOR	2 1 V	FAR

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 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 page 2)

APPROVAL SUBJECT TO GENERAL REQUIREMENTS AND SPECIAL STIPULATIONS ATTACHED

Form C-102

District | 1 1625 N. French Dr. Hobbs, HM 88240 State of New Mexico Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources

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Revised March 17, 1999 Submit to Appropriate District Office

District II 811 South First, Artesia, NM 88210 District III 1000 Rio Brazos Rd., Aztec NM 87410

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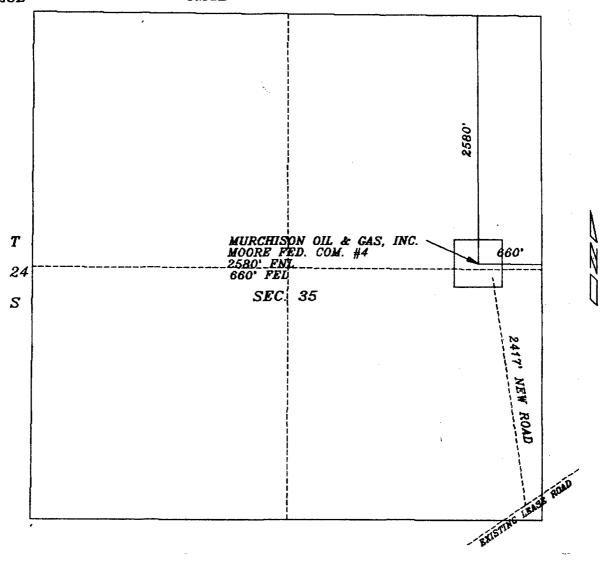
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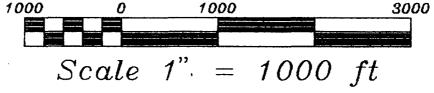
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MURCHISON OIL AND GAS, INC. MOORE FED. COM. #4 2580' FNL 660' FEL SEC. 35 T24S R26E R26E





PREPARED FOR MURCHISON OIL & GAS, INC. PREPARED BY: DAN R. REDDY, NM PE&PS SEPTEMBER 20, 2004

#### **VIA FEDERAL EXPRESS**

September 21, 2004

United States Department of the Interior Bureau of Land Management Roswell District Office 2909 West Second Street Roswell, New Mexico 88201

Attn: Linda Askawik

Re: Application for Permit to Drill

Murchison Oil & Gas, Inc. Moore Federal Com #4 Eddy County, New Mexico Lease No. NM-21158

#### Gentlemen:

Murchison Oil & Gas, Inc. "MOGI" respectfully requests permission to drill our Moore Federal Com #4 located 2580' FNL and 660' FEL of Section 35, T24S, R26E, Eddy County, New Mexico, Federal Lease No. NM-0441951. The proposed well will be drilled to a TD of approximately 11900' (TVD). The location and work area have been staked. It is approximately 17 miles South of Carlsbad, NM.

In accordance with requirements stipulated in Federal Onshore Oil and Gas Order No. 1 under 43 CFR 3162.1, our Application for Permission to Drill and supporting evidence is hereby submitted.

- I. Application for Permit to Drill:
  - 1. Form 3160-3, Application for Permit to Drill.
  - 2. Form C-102 Location and Acreage Dedication Plat certified by Dan R. Reddy Registered Land Surveyor No. 5412 in the State of New Mexico, dated 9/18/2004.
  - 3. The elevation of the unprepared ground is 3346 feet above sea level.
  - 4. The geologic name of the surface formation is Permian Rustler.
  - 5. Rotary drilling equipment will be utilized to drill the well to TD 11900' (TVD), and run casing. This equipment will then be rigged down and the well will be completed with a pulling unit.
  - 6. Proposed total depth is 11900' TVD.

7. Estimated tops of important geologic markers. (KDB EST @ 3368')

Delaware Sand	2025' TVD
Cherry Canyon	3008' TVD
Bone Springs	5478' TVD
Wolfcamp	8568' TVD
Cisco Canyon	9964' TVD
Strawn	10234' TVD
Atoka	10299' TVD
Morrow Lime	10906' TVD
Morrow Clastics	11108' TVD

8. Estimated depths at which anticipated water, oil, gas or other mineral bearing formations are expected to be encountered:

Primary Objective:

Morrow

11025' TVD

Secondary Objectives:

Atoka

10251' TVD

9. The proposed casing program is as follows:

Surface:

13-3/8" OD 48# H40 ST&C casing set at 350'

1<sup>st</sup> Intermediate:

9-5/8" OD 47# N80 ST&C casing from 0 to 1950'

2<sup>nd</sup> Intermediate:

7-5/8" OD 36# N80 SJ2 casing from 0 to 8800'

Production Liner:

5-1/2" OD 17# P-110 Flush joint SJ2 threads from

8500' to 11900'

10. Casing setting depth and cementing program:

A. 13-3/8" surface casing set at 350', or the top of the Rustler Anhydrite, in 17-1/2" hole. Circulate cement with 300sx 35:65,

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POZ/Class C with 6% gel + 2% CaCl<sub>2</sub> + 0.25 #/sx Cello-Seal and WITNESS

200sx Class C with 2% CaCl<sub>2</sub>.

If cement does not circulate, a temperature survey will be run to find the TOC and then finish cementing to surface through 1" using Class C with 2% CaCl<sub>2</sub>.

B. 9-5/8" 1<sup>st</sup> intermediate casing set at 1950' in 12 1/4" hole. Circulate cement with 600sx 50/50 POZ/Class C with 6% gel + 5% salt + 0.25 #/sx Cello-Seal and 300sx Class C with 2% CaCl<sub>2</sub>.

If hole conditions dictate, a DV tool may be run to ensure that the intermediate string is cemented to surface.

If cement does not circulate, a temperature survey will be run to find the TOC and then finish cementing to surface through 1" using Class C with 2% CaCl<sub>2</sub>.

C. 7-5/8" 2<sup>nd</sup> Intermediate casing set at 8800' in a 8-3/4" hole. Cement with 600 sx 50/50 POZ Class H cement with 0.5#/sx FL-25 + 0.2 #/sx CD-32 + 0.5 #/sx gilsonite followed by 200 sxs Class H neat.

Estimated top of cement is 1200'.

Note: Cement volumes may need to be adjusted to hole caliper.

D. A 5-1/2" Production Liner will be set if warranted from 8500' to TD in a 6-1/2" hole. Cement with 400sx of Class "H" + 1.2% BA-56 + 4/10% CD-32 + 3/10% SMS + 5% Salt.

#### 11. Pressure Control Equipment

0' – 350' None

350' – 8800' 13-3/8" 5000# ram type preventers with one set blind rams and one set pipe rams and a 3000# annular preventer.

8800' – 11900' 13-3/8" 5000# ram type preventers with one set blind rams and one set pipe rams and a 3000# annular type preventer. A choke manifold and 120 gallon accumulator with floor and remote operating stations and auxiliary power system. Rotating head below 6000'. See attached Sketch of BOP Equipment.

A kelly cock will be installed and maintained in operable condition and a drill string safety valve in the open position will be available on the rig floor.

After setting the 7-5/8" casing, the blowout preventers and related control equipment shall be pressure tested to 5000 psi and 3000 psi respectively. Any equipment failing to test satisfactorily shall be repaired or replaced. Results of the BOP test will be recorded in the Driller's Log.

The BOP's will be maintained ready for use until drilling operations are completed.

BOP drills will be conducted as necessary to assure that equipment is operational and each crew is properly trained to carry out emergency duties.

Accumulator shall maintain a pressure capacity reserve at all times to provide for the close-open-close sequence of the blind and pipe rams of the hydraulic preventers.

## 12. Mud Program:

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0 – 350'	Fresh water/native mud. Wt. 8.7-9.2 ppg, vis 32-34 sec, Lime for pH control. Paper for seepage. Lost circulation may be encountered.
350' – 1950'	Fresh water 8.4 ppg, vis 28-29 sec. Add 10# brine as make-up to avoid excessive washouts in salt stringers. Caustic for pH control. Paper for seepage. Lost circulation may be encountered.
1950' – 8800'	Fresh water. Wt. 8.4 ppg, vis 28-29 sec, caustic for pH control. Paper for seepage.
8800' — 10100'	Cut brine. Wt. 9.2 – 9.4 ppg, vis 28-29 sec, caustic for pH control.
10100' – 11900'	Mud up with an XCD Polymer mud system with the following characteristics: Wt. 10.0 – 12.5 ppg, Vis 32-40 sec, WL 6-8cc.

Mud system monitoring equipment with derrick floor indicators and visual/audio alarms shall be installed and operative prior to drilling into the Wolfcamp formation. This equipment will remain in use until the production casing is run and cemented. Monitoring equipment shall consist of the following:

- 1) A recording pit level indicator.
- 2) A pit volume totalizer.
- 3) A flowline sensor.

- 13. Testing, Logging and Coring Program:
  - A. Testing program: None.
  - B. Mud logging program: Two man unit from 1950' to TD.
  - C. Electric logging program: CNL/LDT/CAL/GR, DLL/CAL/GR.
  - D. Coring program: Possible sidewall rotary cores.
- 14. No abnormal temperatures, or H2S gas are anticipated. Adequate flare lines will be installed off the mud/gas separator where gas may be flared safely.
- 15. Anticipated starting date is December 1, 2004. It should take approximately 34 days to drill the well and another 10 days to complete.
- 16. A statement accepting responsibility for operations is attached.
- 17. The Multi-Point Surface Use & Operation Plan is attached.
- 18. If the Bureau of Land Management needs additional information to evaluate this application, please advise.

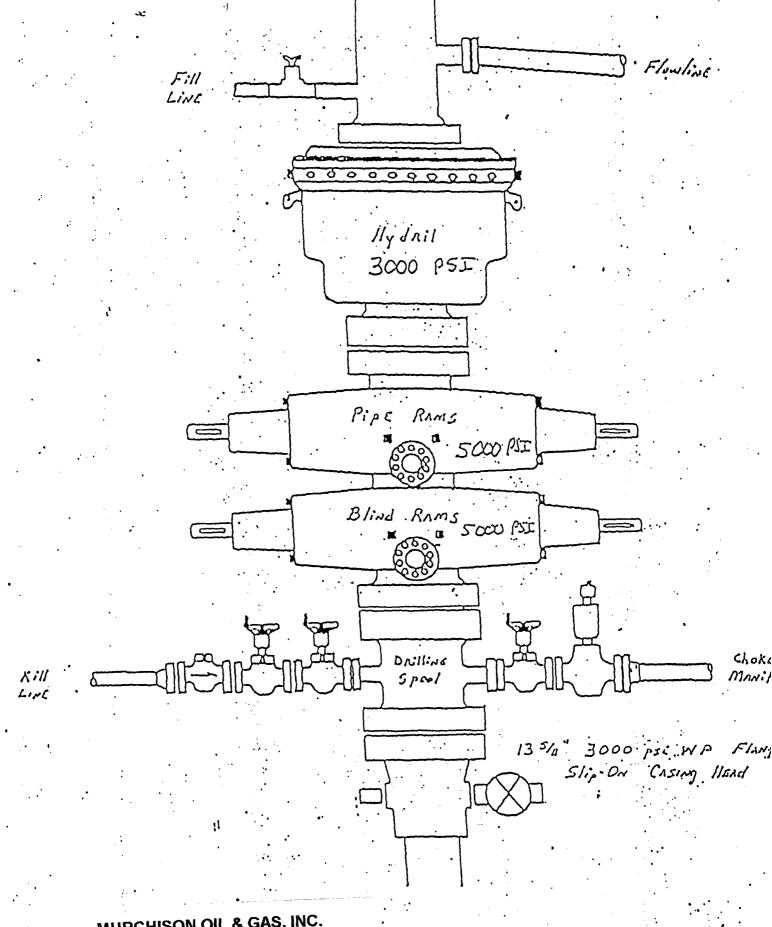
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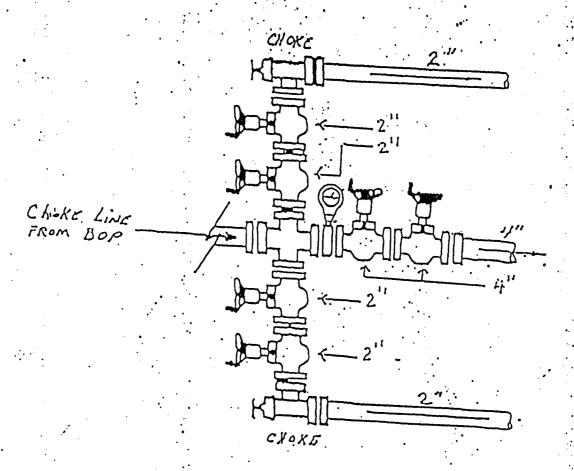
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**Attachments** 



MURCHISON OIL & GAS, INC. MOORE FEDERAL COM #4 2580' FNL & 660' FEL SE/NE (H) EDDY CO., NM.



MURCHISON OIL & GAS, INC. MOORE FEDERAL COM #4 2580' FNL & 660' FEL SE/NE (H) EDDY CO., NM.

# UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

# Bureau of Land Management Roswell Field Office 2909 West Second Street Roswell, New Mexico 88201-1287

## Statement Accepting Responsibility for Operations

Operator Name:

MURCHISON OIL & GAS, INC.

Street or Box:

1100 MIRA VISTA BLVD.

City, State:

PLANO, TX.

Zip Code:

75093-4698

The undersigned accepts all applicable terms, conditions, stipulations, and restrictions concerning operations conducted on the leased land or portion thereof, as described below:

Lease No.:

NM-21158

Legal Description of Land:

NE/NE/4 of S/2/NE/4

**SECTION 35, T24S, R26E** 

Formation (s) (if applicable): FROM THE SURFACE DOWN TO 11900'

Bond Coverage (State if individually bonded or another's bond):

PERSONAL STATEWIDE BOND

BLM Bond File No.: NM2163

Authorized Signature:

ÆAS, INC.

Title: MICHAEL S. DAUGHERTY

VICE PRESIDENT OPERATIONS

