

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT
OCD Artesia

FORM APPROVED
OMB NO. 1004-0135
Expires: July 31, 2010

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 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oil Well <input type="checkbox"/> Gas Well <input type="checkbox"/> Other		8. Well Name and No. MIRANDA FEDERAL 24H	
2. Name of Operator COG OPERATING LLC		9. API Well No. 30-015-41103	
3a. Address ONE CONCHO CENTER 600 W. ILLINOIS AVE MIDLAND, TX 79701		3b. Phone No. (include area code) Ph: 432-685-4385	
4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description) Sec 9 T17S R30E 990FNL 250FEL		10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory LOCO HILLS; GLORIETA-YESO	
		11. County or Parish, and 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
	<input type="checkbox"/> Change Plans	<input type="checkbox"/> Plug and Abandon	<input type="checkbox"/> Temporarily Abandon	Change to Original A
	<input type="checkbox"/> Convert to Injection	<input type="checkbox"/> Plug Back	<input type="checkbox"/> Water Disposal	PD

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 recomplete 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 recompletion 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.)

COG Operating LLC respectfully requests permission to drill, release the drilling rig and complete the lower lateral of this well. COG proposes to reenter the well bore to drill the upper lateral at a later date upon completion of the gathering of some geological and engineering data.

Accepted for record
NMOCD
5/29/2013

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SEE ATTACHED FOR
CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

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

Electronic Submission #208094 verified by the BLM Well Information System
For COG OPERATING LLC, sent to the Carlsbad
Committed to AFMSS for processing by KURT SIMMONS on 05/21/2013 ()

Name (Printed/Typed) ROBYN ODOM	Title REGULATORY ANALYST
Signature (Electronic Submission)	Date 05/21/2013

THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE USE

Approved By _____	Title _____	<p>APPROVED</p> <p>MAY 24 2013 Date</p> <p><i>[Signature]</i></p> <p>BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT</p> <p>CARLSBAD FIELD OFFICE</p>
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.	Office _____	

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.

**Miranda Federal 24H
30-015-41103
COG Operating LLC
May 24, 2013
Conditions of Approval**

- 1. Operator shall complete the second lateral within 90 days of completion of the first lateral.**
- 2. Both laterals shall be completed within 6 months of receiving these conditions of approval.**

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