(DO NOT USE THIS FORM FOR PRO	Energy, Minerals and Natu OIL CONSERVATION 1220 South St. France	DIVISION ncis Dr. 7505	Form C-103 June 19, 2008 WELL API NO. 5. Indicate Type of Lease STATE FEE 6. State Oil & Gas Lease No. X0-0647-0405 7. Lease Name or Unit Agreement Name N B Tween State Wells
1. Type of Well: ⊠Oil Well	☐ Gas Well ☐ Other:		8. Well Number
Name of Operator Apache Corporation			9. OGRID Number 873
3. Address of Operator			10. Pool name or Wildcat
303 Veterans Airpark Lane, Suite	3000 Midland, TX 79705		Artesia; Glorieta-Yeso (96830)
4. Well Location Unit Letter H Section 25	:feet from the Township 17S Rate 11. Elevation (Show whether DR	ange	NMPM 28E County Eddy
12. Check Appropriate Box to Indicate Nature of Notice, Report or Other Data			
PERFORM REMEDIAL WORK TEMPORARILY ABANDON PULL OR ALTER CASING	INTENTION TO: PLUG AND ABANDON CHANGE PLANS MULTIPLE COMPL	SUB REMEDIAL WOR COMMENCE DR CASING/CEMEN	ILLING OPNS. P AND A
OTHER: Flare Gas	×	OTHER:	
13. Describe proposed or completed operations. (Clearly state all pertinent details, and give pertinent dates, including estimated date of starting any proposed work). SEE RULE 1103. For Multiple Completions: Attach wellbore diagram of proposed completion or recompletion. Apache is requesting permission to temporarily flare the NB Tween State wells 1-30. Intermittent flaring will occur and gas will be			
Apache is requesting permiss measured prior to flaring. The	sion to temporarily flare the NB Tween S e API# for each well are as follows:	State wells 1-30. In	
30-015-35915 30-015-35974 30-015-35916 30-015-35917 30-015-36603 30-015-36626 30-015-36627 30-015-36796 30-015-36797 30-015-36798	30-015-36789 30-015-37592 30-015-37593 30-015-37597 30-015-38405 30-015-38407 30-015-38407 30-015-38590		30-015-38592 30-015-38467 30-015-38593 30-015-39074 30-015-39075 30-015-39744 30-015-39745 30-015-39746 30-015-39748 RECEIVE AUG 14 2013 NMOCD ARTES
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I hereby certify that the information above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.			
SIGNATURETITLE Regulatory Tech II DATE 08/09/2013			
Type or print name Fatima Vasc	uez E-mail addres	S: Fatima.Vasquez@ap	PHONE: (432) 818-1015
APPROVED BY: Conditions of Approval (if any):	COL TITLE AS	FSyper	W/SR DATE 8/19/13

SEE Attached CDA'S

NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION DISTRICT 2 OFFICE 811 SOUTH FIRST STREET ARTESIA, NM 88210 (575)748-1283

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL for FLARING or VENTING GAS

- 1. Venting gas is absolutely not allowed.
- 2. Prior to flaring gas, C-129 must be filed & approved. Blanket approval cannot be given for this operation.
- 3. Flared volumes of gas are to be metered & reported.
- 4. Flares WILL be manned at all times. Brush should be cut down to 1 or 2 inches around flare stack at least a radial distance of 2 times the height of the flare stack.
- 5. Flares WILL NOT be left unattended.
- **6.** No flaring operations to be conducted during red-flag days. http://www.gacc.nifc.gov/swcc (go to "Predictive Services" on SWCC website) to check for red flag warnings.
- 7. Follow safe practices for flaring guidelines.
- **8.** Permit may be rescinded at any time by NMOCD.
- **9.** If well is able to be connected to a gas gathering system, it will be done so as soon as possible.
- 10. Flaring of gas is prohibited. The State Forester grants an exception to the prohibition on open fires for the flaring of natural gas when the following conditions are met. Unless flaring is needed for safety purposes, flaring pursuant to this exception shall not be done on days that are "red flag days" as determined by the National Weather Service or on days when the sustained wind is in excess of 25 miles per hour in the area.
- 11.1. The day is not a "red flag day" as determined by the National Weather Service and the sustained wind is not in excess of 25 miles per hour in the area.

- 12.2. The local fire department and county dispatch are notified at least 24 hours in advance of anticipated releases that will result in flaring. If flaring is done by an automated system then the schedule of flaring shall be provided to the local fire department and county dispatch. The area is mowed and maintained at a length not to exceed 4 inches and all other flammable products or debris shall be cleared in the area for a distance of one and one half times the height of the stack.
- 13.3. At least one adult is on site with communications equipment adequate to reach county dispatch and the local fire department in the event of a fire. The individual should also be equipped with a shovel and a water backpack pump or other equipment to deliver water to suppress a fire.
- 14.4. If flaring is to take place at an unmanned facility, then the area around the flare stack is mowed and maintained at a length not to exceed 4 inches and all other flammable products or debris shall be cleared in the area for a distance of three times the height of the stack.

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Notice to Oil and Gas Facilities and Operators Flaring Gas in New Mexico

SANTA FE, NM – The Oil Conservation Division (OCD) encourages all oil and gas facilities with flare stacks and well operators that are flaring gas to upgrade their *Fire Awareness Programs* this year. New Mexico State Forestry reports that 460 fires have burned 25,475 acres on state and private land in calendar year 2012.

Forecasts remain dismal this spring with fewer chances for normal precipitation, particularly in southwestern New Mexico and southeastern Arizona. Temperatures could also be higher than normal.

Open flames and gas flares should be monitored carefully and oil and gas operators should create a defensible space to help prevent wildfires. Defensible Space is the area around a structure where combustible vegetation that can spread fire has been cleared, reduced or replaced. This space acts as a barrier between a structure and an advancing wildfire.

During the course of the upcoming fire season, it may become necessary for New Mexico State Forestry to issue fire restriction on State and private land. Log on to www.nmforestry.com for updates or call your local district office.

New Mexico State Forestry offers the following guidelines for establishing effective defensible space:

- Create a "Lean, Clean and Green" firebreak area by removing flammable vegetation and growth
 within 30 feet of each structure. Single trees and shrubs may be retained if they are well
 spaced, pruned and placed so they avoid the spread of fire. Maintain an irrigation system for
 any vegetation near structures.
- Keep grass and weeds mowed.
- Prune lower tree limbs to at least 6 feet up to 15 feet (or lower 1/3 of branches on smaller trees).
- Remove vegetation and debris around propane tanks.

For the latest fire weather information please visit USDA Forest Service website: <u>http://activefiremaps.fs.fed.us/current.php</u>

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