Form 3160-5 (June 2015)	UNITED STATES NMOCD DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR NMOCD BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT Artesia				FORM APPROVED OMB NO. 1004-0137 Expires: January 31, 2018 5. Lease Serial No.			
	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.						NMLC069513A	
	abandoned wel	II. Use form 3160-3 (AP	D) for such	proposals.		6. If Indian, Allottee	or Tribe Name	
SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE - Other instructions on page 2						7. If Unit or CA/Agr NMNM71016N	eement, Name and/or No. 1	
1. Type of Well Gas Well D Other						8. Well Name and No. POKER LAKE UNIT CVX JV PB 1H		
2. Name of Operator BOPCO LP Contact: TRACIE J CHERRY E-Mail: tjcherry@basspet.com						9. API Well No. 30-015-37030-00-S1		
3a. Address P O BOX 276	o. (include area code) 33-2277	(include area code) 10 3-2277		10. Field and Pool or Exploratory Area MultipleSee Attached				
4. Location of Wel			11. County or Parish	, State				
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12. (CHECK THE AI	PPROPRIATE BOX(ES)	TO INDICA	TE NATURE O	F NOTICE	, REPORT, OR OT	HER DATA	
TYPE OF SU	PE OF SUBMISSION TYPE OF ACTION							
🛛 Notice of In	tent	🗖 Acidize	Dec	epen	Product	tion (Start/Resume)	□ Water Shut-Off	
_		Alter Casing	🗖 Hy	Iraulic Fracturing	🗖 Reclam	ation	Well Integrity	
Subsequent	-	Casing Repair	—	w Construction	Recom	-	Other Venting and/or Flari	
🗖 Final Abanc	lonment Notice	 Change Plans Convert to Injection 		g and Abandon g Back		Temporarily Abandon		
90-days, Apri Wells associa POKER LAK	ntermittently flare	NM OIL CONSERVATION						
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14. I hereby certify	that the foregoing is	Electronic Submission #	#369610 verific	d by the BLM We nt to the Carlsba	II Informatio	n System	! /	
Name (Printed/I		nmitted to AFMSS for proc	cessing by PR	BCILLA PEREZ o	n 03/14/2017 _ATORY AN	1		
Signature	Date 03/13/2	2017	APPRAV					
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Approved By				Title		AUG / 1/	2017	
Conditions of approv certify that the applic which would entitle t	ant holds legal or eq he applicant to condu	ed. Approval of this notice doe uitable title to those rights in the uct operations thereon.	ie subject lease	Office		JREAU OF LAND MA		
Title 18 U.S.C. Section States any false, fic	on 1001 and Title 43 stitious or fraudulent	U.S.C. Section 1212, make it a statements or representations a	a crime for any p s to any matter v	erson knowingly and vithin its jurisdiction	1 willfully to n	to any department of	or agency of the United	
(Instructions on page	²⁾ ** BLM REV	ISED ** BLM REVISE	D ** BLM R	EVISED ** BL	N REVISE	D ** BLM REVISE	ED **	

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Additional data for EC transaction #369610 that would not fit on the form

10. Field and Pool, continued

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32. Additional remarks, continued

Gas volumes will be metered prior to flaring, allocated back to each well and reported on monthly production reports

BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT Carlsbad Field Office 620 East Greene Street Carlsbad, New Mexico 88220 575-234-5972

Pursuant to, 43 CFR 3179

Lessees or operators are hereby authorized to vent or flare gas on a short-term basis <u>without incurring a</u> <u>royalty</u> obligation in the following circumstances:

- A. 43 CFR 3179.105 Emergencies (a) An operator may flare or, if flaring is not feasible given the emergency, vent gas royalty-free under §3179.4 (a) (vi) of this subpart during an emergency. For purposes of this subpart, an "emergency" is a temporary, infrequent and unavoidable situation in which the loss of gas or oil is uncontrollable or necessary to avoid risk of an immediate and substantial adverse impact on safety, public health, or the environment. For purposes of royalty assessment, an "emergency" is limited to a short-term situation of 24 hours or less (unless the BLM agrees that the emergency conditions necessitating venting or flaring extend for a longer period) caused by an unanticipated event or failure that is out of the operator's control and was not due to operator negligence.
- B. 43 CFR 3179.4 Determining when the loss of oil or gas is avoidable or unavoidable.
 (2) Avoidably lost oil or gas means: Lost oil or gas that is not "unavoidably lost," as defined in paragraph (a) of this section; waste oil that became waste oil through operator negligence; and, any "excess flared gas," as defined in §3179.7.
- C. 43 CFR 3179.5 When lost production is subject to royalty.
 (a) Royalty is due on all avoidably lost oil or gas.
 (b) Royalty is not due on any unavoidably lost oil or gas.

Condition of Approval to Flare Gas

- The first 24 hours of a <u>temporary emergency flare</u> is considered "unavoidably lost" and is therefore royalty free. Flared volumes that are considered unavoidably lost are not to be included in Sundry Notice (Form 3160-5). These Volumes are not royalty bearing and shall be reported on OGOR "B" as either disposition code "21" or "22".
- Flared volumes considered to be "avoidably lost": These flare events will require prior approval via Notice of Intent- Sundry Notice (Form 3160-5). Volumes flared beyond limits defined in 43 CFR 3179.7 are considered "avoidably lost" and will require payment of royalties, unless an exception is granted in accordance with 43 CFR 3179. Volumes for avoidably lost gas shall be reported on OGOR "B" reports as disposition code "08".

If the operator believes that the flared volumes were "unavoidably lost" and the BLM determines them to be "avoidably lost", the operator can submit a more detailed request via Sundry Notice (Form 3160-5) for an exception in accordance with 43 CFR 3179.4, 3179.103 - 3179.105. As an alternative to producing oil and flaring gas the operator may choose to shut the well in and avoid paying royalties on otherwise avoidably lost gas.

3. Approval not to exceed 90 days, if flaring is still required past 90 days submit new request for approval.

- 4. Submit Subsequent Report with actual volumes of gas flared for each month gas is flared on a Sundry Notice (Form 3160-5). <u>Include method for volume determination and duration</u>. <u>Report</u> <u>unavoidably lost (first 24 hrs. of unexpected event) and avoidably lost (exceeding the first 24 hrs. or flared gas that has been approved as avoidably lost by the Authorized Officer) volumes and durations on the Subsequent Report.</u>
- 5. In determining the volumes of gas to be reported, shall be in accordance with 43 CFR 3179.4, 43 CFR 3179.5, 43 CFR 3179.9 and 43 CFR 3179.10
- 6. The operator must estimate or measure all volumes of gas vented or flared gas by one of the following methods.
 - i. Measure the flare gas by a meter. The meter shall meet all requirements for a sales meter as per Federal Regulations, 43 CFR 3175 (due to volume of gas being flared). Include meter serial number on Sundry Notice (Form 3160-5).
 - Calculate the volume of the flared gas based on the results of a regularly performed
 GOR test and measured values for the volumes of oil production and gas sales, so as
 to allow BLM to independently verify the volume, rate, and heating value of the gas
 flared.

Regulation Ref: Link to 43 CFR 3179 Waste Prevention and Resources Conservation; <u>https://www.ecfr.gov/cgi-</u>

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