Form 3160 5 (June 2015)

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WEMOCD Do not use this form for proposals to drill or to recenter as

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5	Lease Serial No
	NMNM110350

6	If Indian.	Allottee	or Tribe	Name

abandoned well Use form 3160-3 (APD) for such projects a					6 If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name	
SUBMIT IN	7 If Unit or CA	A/Agreement, Name and/or No				
1 Type of Well	8 Well Name a	nd No OT 13 FEDERAL 1H				
Oil Well Gas Well Oth	····	AATIN' OFFIN		9 API Well No		
2 Name of Operator Contact CATHY SEELY COG OPERATING LLC E-Mail cseely@concho com					62G	
3a Address 2208 W MAIN STREET ARTESIA, NM 88210		3b Phone No (include Ph 575-748-1549	: area code)		ool or Exploratory Area Y WILDCAT	
4 Location of Well (Footage Sec 7	R M or Survey Description)		11 County or F	Parish, State	
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12 CHECK THE AI	PROPRIATE BOX(ES)	TO INDICATE NA	TURE OF NO	OTICE, REPORT, OR	OTHER DATA	
TYPE OF SUBMISSION			TYPE OF ACT	ΓΙΟΝ		
☑ Notice of Intent	☐ Acidize	□ Deepen		Production (Start/Resur	ne) 🔲 Water Shut-Off	
	☐ Alter Casing	☐ Hydraulic F	racturing 🔲	Reclamation	■ Well Integrity	
☐ Subsequent Report	□ Casing Repair	■ New Constr	uction 🔲	Recomplete	☑ Other	
☐ Final Abandonment Notice	□ Change Plans	Plug and At	andon 🗖	Temporarily Abandon	Venting and/or Flari ng	
	☐ Convert to Injection	□ Plug Back		Water Disposal	_	
testing has been completed. Final Al determined that the site is ready for f COG OPERATING LLC RESF 4/16/18 TO 7/15/18 # OF WELLS TO FLARE 1 CRAPSHOOT 13 FED 1H 30	inal inspection PECTFULLY REQUEST 1	O FLARE AT THE (CRAPSHOOT FOR	13 FED 1H '4/23/ RECORDS O	APR 1 9 2018	
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Name (Printed/Typed) CATHY S	Electronic Submission # For COG O Committed to AFMSS for	PERATING LLC. sen	t to∕the Carisba	ad con 04/18/2018 ()		
Signature (Electronic S		Date	04/17/2018	APPROVE	DX	
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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 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 ,

- 1 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"
- 2 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) Include method for volume determination and duration Report 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
- 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
 - 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, https://www.ecfr.gov/cgi-

<u>bin/retrieveECFR?gp=1&SID=dbd49eda8cdc488870172ed096d47be9&ty=HTML&h=L&mc=true</u> <u>&n=sp43 2 3170 3179&r=SUBPART</u>

If H2S is detected in concentrations greater than 100 ppm, the Hydrogen Sulfide area shall meet Onshore Order 6 requirements.