

UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENTCarlsbad Field Office  
QCD ArtesiaFORM APPROVED  
OMB NO. 1004-0137  
Expires: January 31, 2018**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.*5. Lease Serial No.  
NMNM94651

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

7. If Unit or CA/Agreement, Name and/or No.

8. Well Name and No.  
CEDAR CANYON 28 FEDERAL COM 41H9. API Well No.  
30-015-44439-00-S110. Field and Pool or Exploratory Area  
PURPLE SAGE-WOLFCAMP (GAS)11. County or Parish, State  
EDDY COUNTY, NM**SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE - Other instructions on page 2**

1. Type of Well

☒ Oil Well ☐ Gas Well ☐ Other2. Name of Operator  
OXY USA INCORPORATEDContact: KATY REDDELL  
E-Mail: kreddell@btaoil.com3a. Address  
5 GREENWAY PLAZA SUITE 110  
HOUSTON, TX 77046-05213b. Phone No. (include area code)  
Ph: 432-682-3753

4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description)

Sec 28 T24S R29E NWNW 934FNL 305FEL  
32.193106 N Lat, 103.997088 W Lon**12. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX(ES) TO INDICATE NATURE OF NOTICE, REPORT, OR OTHER DATA**

## TYPE OF SUBMISSION

## TYPE OF ACTION

☒ Notice of Intent☐ Subsequent Report☐ Final Abandonment Notice☐ Acidize☐ Alter Casing☐ Casing Repair☐ Change Plans☐ Convert to Injection☐ Deepen☐ Hydraulic Fracturing☐ New Construction☐ Plug and Abandon☐ Plug Back☐ Production (Start/Resume)☐ Reclamation☐ Recomplete☐ Temporarily Abandon☐ Water Disposal☐ Water Shut-Off☐ Well Integrity☒ Other  
Venting and/or Flaring

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 recompleat 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 must be filed within 30 days following completion of the involved operations. If the operation results in a multiple completion or recompleat in a new interval, a Form 3160-4 must be filed once testing has been completed. Final Abandonment Notices must be filed only after all requirements, including reclamation, have been completed and the operator has determined that the site is ready for final inspection.

BTA OIL PRODUCERS, LLC Respectfully requests the ability to flare casinghead gas. This well is connected to a sales line and the casinghead gas produced from this well has been sold. In order for the well to continue to produce oil, the gas must be occasionally flared due to pipeline capacity constraints.

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Accepted for record  
NMOC  
9/20/2019  
DISTRICT/ARTESIA/OCD

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

Electronic Submission #482728 verified by the BLM Well Information System

For OXY USA INCORPORATED, sent to the Carlsbad

Committed to AFMSS for processing by PRISCILLA PEREZ on 09/10/2019 (19PP3301SE)

Name (Printed/Typed) KATY REDDELL

Title REGULATORY ANALYST

Signature (Electronic Submission)

Date 09/10/2019

**THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE USE**

Approved By

/s/ Jonathon Shepard

Title

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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.

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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)

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# **BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT**

Carlsbad Field Office  
620 East Greene Street  
Carlsbad, New Mexico 88220  
575-234-5972

## **Conditions of Approval to Flare Gas**

1. Approval not to exceed 180 days from date of submission.
2. All flaring under this request is considered to be "avoidably lost" per 43 CFR 3179.4(a)(2)(i – iii). Volumes for avoidably lost gas shall be reported on OGOR "B" reports as disposition code "33".

### **Exceptions:**

- a. The first 24 hours of a temporary emergency flare is considered "unavoidably lost" and is therefore royalty free (43 CFR 3179.103(a)). 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".
- b. If the operator believes that the flared volumes were "unavoidably lost", the operator can submit a request via Sundry Notice (Form 3160-5) with justification for an exception in accordance with 43 CFR 3179.4, 3179.101 - 3179.104.