

UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

OCD-ARTESIA

FORM APPROVED  
OMB No 1004-0135  
Expires March 31, 2007

## SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS

Do not use this form for proposals to drill or 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

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Oil Well

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Gas Well

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Other

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2 Name of Operator

Yates Petroleum Corporation

OCD-ARTESIA

3a Address

105 S. 4th Str., Artesia, NM 88210

3b Phone No (include area code)

505-748-1471

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

1980'FNL &amp; 1650'FEL of Section 20-T21S-R23E (Unit G, SWNE)

5. Lease Serial No

LC-067832-A

6 If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

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

NMNM-106836

8 Well Name and No

West Indian Basin Federal Com #2

9 API Well No

30-015-10282

10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area

Indian Basin Upper Penn

11. County or Parish, State

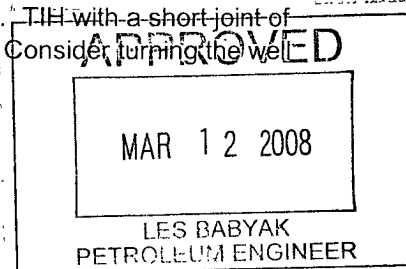
Eddy County, New Mexico

## 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 <u>Workover</u>
	<input type="checkbox"/> Change Plans	<input type="checkbox"/> Plug and Abandon	<input type="checkbox"/> Temporarily Abandon	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Convert to Injection	<input type="checkbox"/> Plug Back	<input type="checkbox"/> Water Disposal	

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.)

Yates Petroleum Corporation plans to perform a workover on this well as follows: MIRU an safety equipment as needed. Load the hole as necessary with 2% KCL water to test the casing above PBTD. POOH with any tubing. TIH with bit and scraper to clean out down to the cement at +/-7150'. Drill down to the packer at +/-7200'. TIH with a short joint of wash pipe and a shoe to wash over the packer or push it to bottom and acidize perforations. Consider turning the well over to the production department to evaluate for an extended time.



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WELL MUST BE ONLINE BY \_\_\_\_\_ OR A PLAN TO  
PLUG & ABANDON MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN 30 DAYS  
FROM THE ABOVE DATE

14 I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct

Name (Printed/Typed)

Tina Huerta

Title

Regulatory Compliance Supervisor

Signature

Date

February 28, 2008

## THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE USE

Approved by

Title

Date

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.

Accepted for record - NMOCD



☒ Certified Mail - Return  
Receipt Requested  
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**DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT**

**NOTICE OF WRITTEN ORDER**

IDENTIFICATION	
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Lease	NMLC067832A
CA	
Unit	
PA	

Bureau of Land Management Office CARLSBAD FIELD OFFICE				Operator YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION			
Address 620 E GREENE STREET CARLSBAD NM 88220				Address 105 S 4TH STREET ARTESIA NM 88210			
Telephone 575-234-5966				Attention			
Inspector HOSKINSON				Attn Addr			
Site Name W INDIAN BASIN FED COM	Well or Facility 2	1/4 1/4 Section SWNE 20	Township 21S	Range 23E	Meridian NMP	County EDDY	State NM
Site Name	Well or Facility	1/4 1/4 Section	Township	Range	Meridian	County	State
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The following condition(s) were found by Bureau of Land Management Inspectors on the date and at the site(s) listed above

Date	Time (24-hour clock)	Corrective Action to be Completed by	Date Corrected	Authority Reference
01/15/2008	12:00	3-20-08 02/20/2008		43CFR3162.1(a) 43CFR3162.3-4(c)

**Remarks:**

THE ABOVE REFERENCED WELL(S) ARE TEMPORARY ABANDONED / SHUT-IN WITHOUT PRIOR APPROVAL. 43 CFR 3162.3-4 (c) REQUIRES THAT WELL(S) INCAPABLE OF PRODUCTION IN PAYING QUANTITIES BE PROMPTLY PLUGGED AND ABANDONED AND REQUIRES APPROVAL FOR ANY WELL TEMPORARILY ABANDONED FOR MORE THAN 30 DAYS. THEREFORE YOU ARE ORDERED TO DO ONE OF THE FOLLOWING:

1. RETURN THE WELL TO PRODUCTION OR BENEFICIAL USE.
  2. SUBMIT NOTICE OF INTENT TO PLUG AND ABANDON.
- FOR MONITORING AND TRACKING PURPOSES, PLEASE SUBMIT APPROPRIATE PAPERWORK TO THIS OFFICE  
ATTENTION: ROBERT E. HOSKINSON Sr.  
IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, CONTACT ROBERT HOSKINSON @ (505) 234-5966 (SEE ATTACHMENT)

When the Written Order is complied with, sign this notice and return to above address.

Company Representative Title Reg. Compl. Mgr. Signature Michelle Taylor Date 2-27-08  
Company Comments see attached NOI to w/o well and return to production

**Warning**

The Authorized Officer has authority to issue a Written Order in accordance with 43 CFR 3161.2. Written Order correction and reporting time frames begin upon receipt of this Notice or 7 business days after the date it is mailed, whichever is earlier. Each stipulation must be corrected within the prescribed time from receipt of this Notice and reported to the Bureau of Land Management Office at the address shown above. If you do not comply as noted above under "Corrective Action to be Completed By", you shall be issued an Incident of Noncompliance (INC) in accordance with 43 CFR 3163.1(a). Failure to comply with the INC may result in assessments as outlined in 43 CFR 3163.1 and may also incur civil penalties (43 CFR 3163.2). All self-certified corrections must be postmarked no later than the next business day after the prescribed time frame for correction.

Section 109(d)(1) of the Federal Oil and Gas Royalty Management Act of 1982, as implemented by the applicable provisions of the operating regulations at Title 43 CFR 3163.2(f)(1), provides that any person who "knowingly or willfully" prepares, maintains, or submits false, inaccurate, or misleading reports, notices, affidavits, records, data, or other written information required by this part shall be liable for a civil penalty of up to \$25,000 per violation for each day such violation continues, not to exceed a maximum of 20 days.

**Review and Appeal Rights**

A person contesting a decision shall request a State Director review of the Written Order. This request must be filed within 20 working days of receipt of the Notice with the appropriate State Director (see 43 CFR 3165.3). The State Director review decision may be appealed to the Interior Board of Land Appeals, 801 North Quincy Street, Suite 300, Arlington, VA 22203 (see 43 CFR 3165.4). Contact the above listed Bureau of Land Management office for further information.

Signature of Bureau of Land Management Authorized Officer <u>Robert E. Hoskinson Sr.</u>		Date <u>1/15/08</u>	Time <u>12:30</u>
FOR OFFICE USE ONLY			
Number 53	Date	Type of Inspection WS	