

Form 3160-5  
(June 1990)UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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FORM APPROVED  
Budget Bureau No. 1004-0135  
Expires March 31, 1993

5. Lease Designation and Serial No.

NMLC-068677

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

7. If Unit or CA, Agreement Designation

8. Well Name and No.

Forty-Niners Federal Com #1

9. API Well No.

30-015-36742

10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area

County Line Tank; Abo

11. County or Parish, State

Eddy, NM

## SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS

Do not use this form for proposals to drill or to deepen or reentry to a different reservoir.  
Use "APPLICATION FOR PERMIT—" for such proposals

SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE

1. Type of Well

☒ Oil Well ☐ Gas Well ☐ Other

2. Name of Operator

Mack Energy Corporation

3. Address and Telephone No.

P.O. Box 960 Artesia, NM 88211-0960

(575)748-1288

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

1675 FNL &amp; 330 FWL, Sec. 9 T16S R29E

## 12. CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX(S) TO INDICATE NATURE OF NOTICE, REPORT, OR OTHER DATA

## TYPE OF SUBMISSION

- ☒
- Notice of Intent
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- ☐
- Subsequent Report
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- ☐
- Final Abandonment Notice

## TYPE OF ACTION

- ☐
- Abandonment
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- ☐
- Recompletion
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- ☒
- Plugging Back
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- ☐
- Casing Repair
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- ☐
- Altering Casing
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- ☐
- Other

- ☐
- Change of Plans
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- ☐
- New Construction
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- ☐
- Non-Routine Fracturing
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- ☐
- Water Shut-Off
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- ☐
- Conversion to Injection
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- ☐
- Dispose Water

(Note: Report results of multiple completion on Well Completion or Recompletion Report and Log form.)

13. Describe Proposed or Completed Operations (Clearly state all pertinent details, and give pertinent dates, including estimated date of starting any proposed work. If well is directionally drilled, give subsurface locations and measured and true vertical depths for all markers and zones pertinent to this work.)

Mack Energy Corporation proposes to plug back well as follows. Well TD is 7300'

1. Set 170' cement plug from 7202-7032', top of Wolfcamp @ 7117'. WOC and tag.
2. Set 160' cement plug from 5876-5716', top of Abo @ 5796'. WOC and tag.
3. Set 140' cement plug from 3894-3754', top of Glorieta @ 3824'. WOC and tag.
4. Set 5 1/2 casing @ approximately 3500'.

SEE ATTACHED FOR  
CONDITIONS OF APPROVALAccepted for record  
NMOCD

APPROVED

JAN. 29, 2009

JAMES A. AMOS  
SUPERVISOR-EPS

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

Signed

Title

Production Clerk

Date

1/28/09

(This space for Federal or State office use)

Approved by

Conditions of approval, if any:

Title

Date

Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001, makes 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.

•See Instruction on Reverse Side

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

Plug Back  
Permanent Abandonment of Federal Wells  
Conditions of Approval

Failure to comply with the following Conditions of Approval may result in a Notice of Incidents of Noncompliance (INC) in accordance with 43 CFR 3163.1.

1. Plugging operations shall commence within ninety (90) days from the approval date of this Notice of Intent to Abandon.

If you are unable to plug the well by the 90<sup>th</sup> day provide this office, prior to the 90<sup>th</sup> day, with the reason for not meeting the deadline and a date when we can expect the well to be plugged. Failure to do so will result in enforcement action.

2. **Notification:** Contact the appropriate BLM office at least 24 hours prior to the commencing of any plugging operations. For wells in Chaves and Roosevelt County, call 575-627-0272; Eddy County, call 575-361-2822; Lea County, call 575-393-3612.

3. **Blowout Preventers:** A blowout preventer (BOP), as appropriate, shall be installed before commencing any plugging operation. The minimum BOP requirement is a 2M system for a well not deeper than 9,090 feet; a 3M system for a well not deeper than 13,636 feet; and a 5M system for a well not deeper than 22,727 feet.

4. **Mud Requirement:** Mud shall be placed between all plugs. Minimum consistency of plugging mud shall be obtained by mixing at the rate of 25 sacks (50 pounds each) of gel per 100 barrels of water. Minimum nine (9) pounds per gallon.

5. **Cement Requirement:** Sufficient cement shall be used to bring any required plug to the specified depth and length. Any given cement volumes on the proposed plugging procedure are merely estimates and are not final. Unless specific approval is received, no plug except the surface plug shall be less than 25 sacks of cement. In lieu of a cement plug in a cased hole, a bridge plug set within 50 feet to 100 feet above the perforations shall be capped with 25 sacks of cement. If a bailer is used to cap this plug, 35 feet of cement shall be sufficient.

Unless otherwise specified in the approved procedure, the cement plug shall consist of either Neat Class "C", for up to 7,500 feet of depth or Neat Class "H", for deeper than 7,500 feet plugs.

6. **Dry Hole Marker:** All casing shall be cut-off at the base of the cellar or 3 feet below final restored ground level (whichever is deeper). The well bore shall then be capped with a 4-inch pipe, 10-feet in length, 4 feet above ground and embedded in cement. The following information shall be permanently inscribed on the dry hole marker: well name and number, name of the operator, lease serial number, surveyed location (quarter-quarter section, section, township and range or other authorized survey designation acceptable to the authorized officer such as metes and bounds).

7. **Subsequent Plugging Reporting:** Within 30 days after plugging work is completed, file one original and five copies of the Subsequent Report of Abandonment, Form 3160-5 to BLM. The report should give in detail the manner in which the plugging work was carried out, the extent (by depths) of cement plugs placed, and the size and location (by depths) of casing left in the well. Show date well was plugged.

8. **Trash:** All trash, junk and other waste material shall be contained in trash cages or bins to prevent scattering and will be removed and deposited in an approved sanitary landfill. Burial on site is not permitted.

Following the submission and approval of the Subsequent Report of Abandonment, surface restoration conditions of approval will be developed and furnished to you.