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Form 3160-3
(April 2004)

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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FORM APPROVED
OMB No. 1004-0137
Expires March 31, 2007

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.

SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE- Other instructions on reverse side.

1. Type of Well
 Oil Well Gas Well Other

2. Name of Operator **COG Operating LLC**

3a. Address
550 W. Texas Ave., Suite 1300 Midland, TX 79701

3b. Phone No. (include area code)
432-685-4340

4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description)
**1600' FNL & 2235' FWL
SEC. 29, T17S, R29E, UNIT F**

5. Lease Serial No.
NM-29281

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

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

8. Well Name and No.
SCHLEY FEDERAL #16

9. API Well No.
30-015-34888

10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area
EMPIRE; YESO EAST 96610

11. County or Parish, State
EDDY, NM

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

TYPE OF SUBMISSION	TYPE OF ACTION			
<input 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 checked="" 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
	<input type="checkbox"/> Change Plans	<input type="checkbox"/> Plug and Abandon	<input type="checkbox"/> Temporarily Abandon	Operator Change
	<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.)

As required by 43 CFR 3100.0-5(a) and 43 CFR 3162.3 we are notifying you of a change of operator on the above referenced lease.

COG Operating LLC, as new operator, accepts all applicable terms, conditions, stipulations and restrictions concerning operations conducted on the lease or portion of lease described.

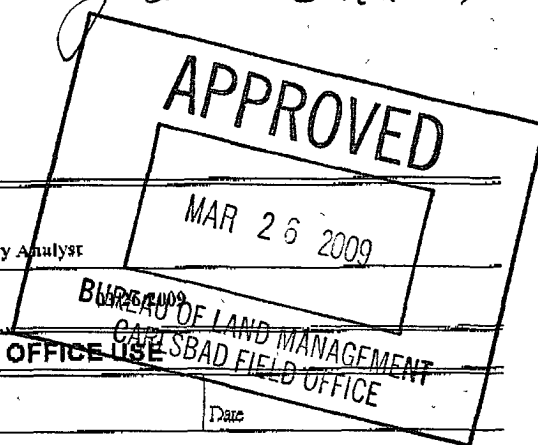
COG Operating LLC meets federal bonding requirements as follows (43 CFR 3104):

Bond Coverage: **Individually Bonded**

BLM Bond File No.: **B001039**

The effective date of this change: **05/20/2006**

*OK To authorize
J. Ames 3-26-09*



14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct
Name (Printed/Typed)

Phyllis Edwards

Title: **Regulatory Analyst**

Signature

Phyllis Edwards

Date

THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE USE

Approved by

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.

Title

Date

Office

Title 18 USC Section 1001 and Title 43 USC 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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