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Form 3160-3  
(August 2007)

UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

OCD Artesia

FORM APPROVED  
OMB No. 1004-0137  
Expires: July 31, 2010

5. Lease Serial No  
LC - 070286

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

**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 page 2.**

1. Type of Well  
☒ Oil Well    ☐ Gas Well    ☐ Other

2. Name of Operator  
Hudson Oil Company of Texas

3a. Address  
616 Texas Street  
Fort Worth, Texas 76102

3b. Phone No. (include area code)  
817-336-7109

4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec, T, R, M, or Survey Description)  
330' FSL & 1980' FWL, Unit N, Sec. 28, Township 20 South, Range 30 East

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

8. Well Name and No.  
Federal #7

9. API Well No.  
30-015-04709

10. Field and Pool or Exploratory Area  
Dos Hermanos/Yates/Seven Rivers

11. Country or Parish, State  
Eddy County, New Mexico

**12. CHECK THE 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 type="checkbox"/> Other
	<input type="checkbox"/> Change Plans	<input type="checkbox"/> Plug and Abandon	<input checked="" 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 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)

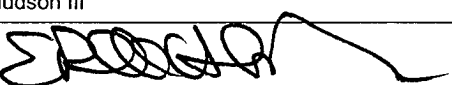
Requesting Temporary Abandonment status declaration for one year due to current pit rules.

We presently are not anticipating any change in the pit rule. Therefore submit for approval of proposed water disposal method. Place well on production or submit plans to Plug and abandon well within 30 days (by September 7/2010). **NOI to TA well is DENIED**

Accepted for record  
NMOCD RF  
8/25/10

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

Title Vice President

Signature 

Date 07/30/2010

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

Approved by **DENIED** /s/ JD Whitlock Jr

Title LPE7

Office CFO

Date 8/7/10

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 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.