

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

OCD-ARTESIA

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

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.
NMNM29276

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE – Other instructions on page 2.

7. If Unit of CA/Agreement, Name and/or No.
NMNM 100181

8. Well Name and No.
Hammond "17" Fed Com #001

9. API Well No.
30-015-29450

10. Field and Pool or Exploratory Area
Redlake Atoka Morrow (83620)

11. Country or Parish, State
Eddy Co., NM

1. Type of Well

☐ Oil Well ☒ Gas Well ☐ Other

2. Name of Operator
Apache Corporation

3a. Address
303 Veterans Airpark Lane, Suite 3000
Midland, TX 79705

3b. Phone No. (include area code)
432/818-1062

4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description)
1992' FSL & 1796' FEL 17-T18S-R27E ULJ

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

TYPE OF SUBMISSION	TYPE OF ACTION			
☐ Notice of Intent	☐ Acidize	☐ Deepen	☐ Production (Start/Resume)	☐ Water Shut-Off
☒ Subsequent Report	☐ Alter Casing	☐ Fracture Treat	☐ Reclamation	☐ Well Integrity
☐ Final Abandonment Notice	☐ Casing Repair	☐ New Construction	☐ Recomplete	☒ Other <u>Change of Operator</u>
	☐ Change Plans	☐ Plug and Abandon	☐ Temporarily Abandon	
	☐ Convert to Injection	☐ Plug Back	☐ 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.)

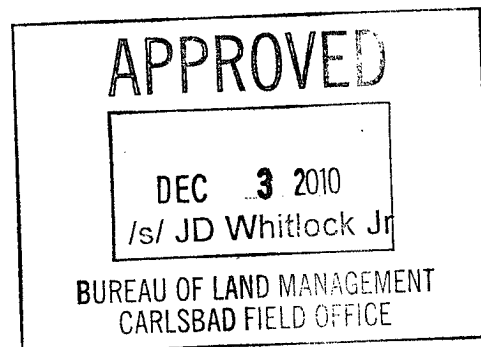
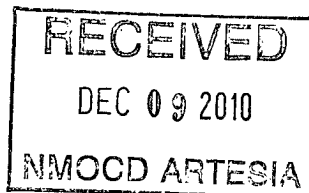
As required by 43 CFR 3100.0-5(a) and 43 CFR 3162.3, we are notifying you of a change of operator on the above referenced lease.

Apache Corporation as new operator, accepts all applicable terms, conditions, stipulations, and restrictions concerning operations conducted on the lease portion of lease described.

Apache Corporation meets federal bonding requirements as follows (43 CFR 3104):

Bond Coverage: Individually Bonded
BLM Bond File No.: CO1463 / 6166312

Effective Date: December 1, 2010



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

Reesa Holland

Title Sr. Engr Tech

Signature

Reesa Holland

Date 11/30/2010

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.

(Instructions on page 2)

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