

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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FORM APPROVED
OMB NO 1004-0135
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.***SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE - Other instructions on reverse side.**

1. Type of Well ☒ Oil Well ☐ Gas Well ☐ Other		5. Lease Serial No. NMLC054988A
2. Name of Operator COG OPERATING LLC		6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name
Contact: ROBYN ODOM E-Mail: rododom@conchoresources.com		7. If Unit or CA/Agreement, Name and/or No.
3a. Address ONE CONCHO CENTER 600 W ILLINOIS AVENUE MIDLAND, TX 79701	3b. Phone No (include area code) Ph: 432-685-4385	8. Well Name and No. BERRY A FEDERAL 16
4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description) Sec 21 T17S R30E SWNW 1393FNL 740FWL		9. API Well No 30-015-39997-00-X1
		10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory LOCO HILLS
		11. County or Parish, and State EDDY COUNTY, NM

12. CHECK 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
	☐ Change Plans	☐ Plug and Abandon	☐ Temporarily Abandon	Change to Original APD
	☐ Convert to Injection	☐ Plug Back	☐ Water Disposal	

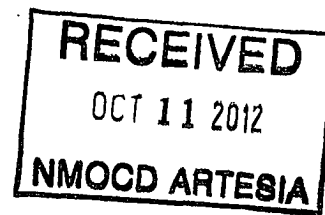
13. Describe Proposed or Completed Operation (clearly state all pertinent details, including estimated starting date of any proposed work and approximate duration thereof. If the proposal is to deepen directionally or recompleat horizontally, give subsurface locations and measured and true vertical depths 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 shall 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 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 requested by the sundry of 7/16/2012, the requested and approved cement plug was a sidetrack plug to sidetrack around the listed unrecoverable fish.

COG Operating LLC respectfully requests permission to utilized the sidetrack plug to sidetrack around the unrecoverable fish.

Accepted for record
NMOCD

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10/15/2012



14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct	
Electronic Submission #143836 verified by the BLM Well Information System For COG OPERATING LLC, sent to the Carlsbad Committed to AFMSS for processing by BEVERLY WEATHERFORD on 07/26/2012 (12BMW0408SE)	
Name (Printed/Typed) ROBYN ODOM	Title PERSON RESPONSIBLE
Signature (Electronic Submission)	Date 07/24/2012

THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE USE

Approved By ACCEPTED	WESLEY INGRAM Title PETROLEUM ENGINEER	Date 10/09/2012
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 Carlsbad

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.

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