

UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

FORM APPROVED  
OMB NO. 1004-0137  
Expires: January 31, 2018

**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.  
NMNM98120

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

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

8. Well Name and No.  
SKELLY UNIT B 78

9. API Well No.  
30-015-05366

10. Field and Pool or Exploratory Area  
GRAYBURG JACKSON; SRQGS

11. County or Parish, State  
EDDY COUNTY COUNTY, NM

**SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE - Other instructions on page 2**

1. Type of Well  
 Oil Well    Gas Well    Other

2. Name of Operator  
LINN OPERATING, INC.  
 Contact: MINDY K KOTESKY  
 E-Mail: MKOTESKY@LINNENERGY.COM

3a. Address  
600 TRAVIS, SUITE 1400  
HOUSTON,, TX 77002

3b. Phone No. (include area code)  
Ph: 281-840-4208  
Fx: 832-426-5972

4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description)  
 Sec 23 T17S R31E Mer 6PM SWSW 1278FSL 660FWL  
 32.816368 N Lat, 103.846954 W Lon

**12. CHECK THE 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"/> Hydraulic Fracturing	<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 Venting and/or Flaring
	<input type="checkbox"/> Change Plans	<input type="checkbox"/> Plug and Abandon	<input 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 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 must 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 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.

LINN SUBMITTED AN NOI TO FLARE FROM THE SKELLY UNIT B BATTERY FROM 8/13/2016 THRU 10/31/2016.

LINN'S MONTHLY FLARE VOLUMES DURING THE REQUESTED PERIOD ARE AS FOLLOWS:

AUGUST 2016 - 1494 MCF  
 SEPTEMBER 2016 - 1292 MCF  
 OCTOBER 2016 - 775

**NM OIL CONSERVATION**  
ARTESIA DISTRICT

JUL 19 2017  
 RECEIVED AB 7/20/17

14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct.  
**Electronic Submission #371542 verified by the BLM Well Information System For LINN OPERATING, INC., sent to the Carlsbad Committed to AFMSS for processing by DEBORAH MCKINNEY on 04/03/2017 ()**

Name (Printed/Typed) MINDY K KOTESKY      Title REGULATORY SPECIALIST

Signature (Electronic Submission)      Date 03/29/2017

**ACCEPTED FOR RECORD**  
 JUL 5 2017  
 BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT  
 CARLSBAD FIELD OFFICE

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)

**\*\* OPERATOR-SUBMITTED \*\* OPERATOR-SUBMITTED \*\* OPERATOR-SUBMITTED \*\***

**SKELLY UNIT B BATTERY**

<b>API</b>	<b>Well Name</b>	<b>Well Number</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Lease</b>
30-015-05366	SKELLY UNIT	#078 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-22252	SKELLY UNIT	#118 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-22256	SKELLY UNIT	#122 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-22257	SKELLY UNIT	#123 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-22264	SKELLY UNIT	#130 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-22265	SKELLY UNIT	#131 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-22266	SKELLY UNIT	#132 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-22267	SKELLY UNIT	#133 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-22268	SKELLY UNIT	#134 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-22269	SKELLY UNIT	#135 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-22481	SKELLY UNIT	#136 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-22506	SKELLY UNIT	#137 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-22482	SKELLY UNIT	#138 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-22507	SKELLY UNIT	#139 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-22509	SKELLY UNIT	#140 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-22484	SKELLY UNIT	#141 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-22510	SKELLY UNIT	#142 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-22513	SKELLY UNIT	#143 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-25040	SKELLY UNIT	#158 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-25041	SKELLY UNIT	#159 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-25042	SKELLY UNIT	#160 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-29235	SKELLY UNIT	#229 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-29236	SKELLY UNIT	#230 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-29032	SKELLY UNIT	#240 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-29033	SKELLY UNIT	#241 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-29237	SKELLY UNIT	#242 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-29183	SKELLY UNIT	#243 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-28950	SKELLY UNIT	#253 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-29034	SKELLY UNIT	#254 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-29238	SKELLY UNIT	#255 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-28974	SKELLY UNIT	#256 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-28975	SKELLY UNIT	#259 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-28811	SKELLY UNIT	#260 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-28812	SKELLY UNIT	#261 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-28789	SKELLY UNIT	#262 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-29209	SKELLY UNIT	#265 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-28951	SKELLY UNIT	#266 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-29224	SKELLY UNIT	#267 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-29064	SKELLY UNIT	#272 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-29239	SKELLY UNIT	#273 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-29210	SKELLY UNIT	#274 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-28881	SKELLY UNIT	#275 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-29225	SKELLY UNIT	#276 ✓	Oil	Federal

**SKELLY UNIT B BATTERY**

30-015-28967	SKELLY UNIT	#277 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-29226	SKELLY UNIT	#278 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-29227	SKELLY UNIT	#283 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-29314	SKELLY UNIT	#284 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-29712	SKELLY UNIT	#302 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-29856	SKELLY UNIT	#400 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-29817	SKELLY UNIT	#401 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-29860	SKELLY UNIT	#402 ✓	Oil	Federal
30-015-31069	SKELLY UNIT	#403 ✓	Oil	Federal