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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR **BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT**

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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.

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

5. Lease Serial No. NMLC029415B

SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE - Other instructions on page 2				7. If Unit or CA/Agreement, Name and/or No.		
1. Type of Well ☑ Oil Well ☐ Gas Well ☐ Other				8. Well Name and No. NOSLER FEDERAL 1		
Name of Operator Contact: LESLIE GARVIS BURNETT OIL CO. INC. E-Mail: lgarvis@burnettoil.com				9. API Well No. 30-015-38633		
3a. Address BURNETT PLAZA - SUITE 1500 801 CHERRY STREETPHJNETF-983-8799RTH, TX 76102 FORT WORTH, TX 76102				10. Field and Pool or Exploratory Area FREN GLORIETA YESO		
4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description)				11. County or Parish, State		
Sec 12 T17S R31E Mer NMP SESE 799FSL 564FEL				EDDY COUNTY	′, NM	
12. CHECK THE AF	PPROPRIATE BOX(ES) TO I	NDICATE NATURE O	F NOTICE,	REPORT, OR OTH	IER DATA	
TYPE OF SUBMISSION	TYPE OF ACTION					
Notice of Intent	☐ Acidize	□ Deepen	☐ Producti	on (Start/Resume)	■ Water Shut-Off	
_	☐ Alter Casing	☐ Hydraulic Fracturing	☐ Reclama	ition	■ Well Integrity	
☐ Subsequent Report	Casing Repair	■ New Construction	☐ Recomplete		Other	
☐ Final Abandonment Notice	☐ Change Plans	□ Plug and Abandon	☐ Tempora	arily Abandon	Venting and/or Flari	
	Convert to Injection	□ Plug Back	☐ Water D	isposal	•	
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. Burnett is requesting permission to flare at the Nosler battery from April through June 2017. We will only be flaring as needed (i.e during DCP maintenance). All gas flared will be metered and reported as per BLM requirements. We have previously received approval to install a flare at this location and an updated battery diagram showing the flare location is on file. The Nosler battery is located at: T17S, R 31 E, SECTION 12, UNIT P, SESE 799' FSL, 564' FEL LEASE: NMLC-029415B **MOIL CONSERVATION** ARTESIA DISTRICT JUL 19 2017 RECEIVED **RECEIVED** **RECE						
14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is	Electronic Submission #37056 For BURNETT OF Committed to AFMSS for process	IL CO. INC., sent to the Cassing by DEBORAH MCKI	arisbad NNEY on 03/:	23/2017 ()		
Name (Printed/Typed) LESLIE (SARVIS	Title REGUL	ATORY CO	ORDINATOR		
Signature (Electronic S	Submission)	Date 03/21/20	017		·	
THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE USE						
Approved By		Title PETEO	LEUM ENG	INEES	JUL 1 2 2017	
Conditions of approval, if any, are attache certify that the applicant holds legal or equivalent would entitle the applicant to conduct the applicant the applicant to conduct the applicant the applicant to conduct the applicant th						
Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001 and Title 43 States any false, fictitious or fraudulent			willfully to ma	ke to any department or	agency of the United	

Additional data for EC transaction #370564 that would not fit on the form

32. Additional remarks, continued

The following wells are associated with this battery: Nosler 1 - 30-015-38633 Nosler 5 - 30-015-40830

BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT Carlsbad Field Office 620 East Greene Street Carlsbad, New Mexico 88220 575-234-5972

Pursuant to, 43 CFR 3179

Lessees or operators are hereby authorized to vent or flare gas on a short-term basis without incurring a royalty obligation in the following circumstances:

- A. 43 CFR 3179.105 Emergencies (a) An operator may flare or, if flaring is not feasible given the emergency, vent gas royalty-free under §3179.4 (a) (vi) of this subpart during an emergency. For purposes of this subpart, an "emergency" is a temporary, infrequent and unavoidable situation in which the loss of gas or oil is uncontrollable or necessary to avoid risk of an immediate and substantial adverse impact on safety, public health, or the environment. For purposes of royalty assessment, an "emergency" is limited to a short-term situation of 24 hours or less (unless the BLM agrees that the emergency conditions necessitating venting or flaring extend for a longer period) caused by an unanticipated event or failure that is out of the operator's control and was not due to operator negligence.
- B. 43 CFR 3179.4 Determining when the loss of oil or gas is avoidable or unavoidable.
 (2) Avoidably lost oil or gas means: Lost oil or gas that is not "unavoidably lost," as defined in paragraph (a) of this section; waste oil that became waste oil through operator negligence; and, any "excess flared gas," as defined in §3179.7.
- C. 43 CFR 3179.5 When lost production is subject to royalty.
 - (a) Royalty is due on all avoidably lost oil or gas.
 - (b) Royalty is not due on any unavoidably lost oil or gas.

Condition of Approval to Flare Gas

- 1. The first 24 hours of a <u>temporary emergency flare</u> is considered "unavoidably lost" and is therefore royalty free. Flared volumes that are considered unavoidably lost are not to be included in Sundry Notice (Form 3160-5). These Volumes are not royalty bearing and shall be reported on OGOR "B" as either disposition code "21" or "22".
- 2. Flared volumes considered to be "avoidably lost": These flare events will require prior approval via Notice of Intent- Sundry Notice (Form 3160-5). Volumes flared beyond limits defined in 43 CFR 3179.7 are considered "avoidably lost" and will require payment of royalties, unless an exception is granted in accordance with 43 CFR 3179. Volumes for avoidably lost gas shall be reported on OGOR "B" reports as disposition code "08".

If the operator believes that the flared volumes were "unavoidably lost" and the BLM determines them to be "avoidably lost", the operator can submit a more detailed request via Sundry Notice (Form 3160-5) for an exception in accordance with 43 CFR 3179.4, 3179.103 - 3179.105. As an alternative to producing oil and flaring gas the operator may choose to shut the well in and avoid paying royalties on otherwise avoidably lost gas.

- 3. Approval not to exceed 90 days, if flaring is still required past 90 days submit new request for approval.
- 4. Submit Subsequent Report with actual volumes of gas flared for each month gas is flared on a Sundry Notice (Form 3160-5). <u>Include method for volume determination and duration</u>. <u>Report unavoidably lost (first 24 hrs. of unexpected event) and avoidably lost (exceeding the first 24 hrs. or flared gas that has been approved as avoidably lost by the Authorized Officer) volumes and durations on the Subsequent Report.</u>
- 5. In determining the volumes of gas to be reported, shall be in accordance with 43 CFR 3179.4, 43 CFR 3179.5, 43 CFR 3179.9 and 43 CFR 3179.10
- 6. The operator must estimate or measure all volumes of gas vented or flared gas by one of the following methods.
 - Measure the flare gas by a meter. The meter shall meet all requirements for a sales meter as per Federal Regulations, 43 CFR 3175 (due to volume of gas being flared). Include meter serial number on Sundry Notice (Form 3160-5).
 - ii. Calculate the volume of the flared gas based on the results of a regularly performed GOR test and measured values for the volumes of oil production and gas sales, so as to allow BLM to independently verify the volume, rate, and heating value of the gas flared.

Regulation Ref: Link to 43 CFR 3179 **Waste Prevention and Resources Conservation**; https://www.ecfr.gov/cgi-

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