

UNITED STATES **OCD-ARTESIA**  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

FORM APPROVED  
OMB No. 1004-0135  
Expires November 30, 2000

**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.  
NMIN 029435 **025530**

6. If Indian, Allottee or tribe Name

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

**SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE – Other instructions on reverse side**

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

8. Well Name and No.  
EMPIRE ABO UNIT "J" 8

2. Name of Operator  
BP AMERICA PRODUCTION COMPANY

9. API Well No.  
30-015-32744 **00771**

3a. Address  
PO BOX 3092 HOUSTON, TX 77253

3b. Phone No. (include area code)  
281-366-2052

10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area  
EMPIRE ABO

4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description)  
2194' ENL & 330' FWL; SEC 4 T18S R27E

11. County or Parish, State  
EDDY, NM

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

**TYPE OF SUBMISSION**

☐ Notice of Intent

☒ Subsequent Report

☐ Final Abandonment Notice

☐ Acidize

☐ Alter Casing

☐ Casing Repair

☐ Change Plans

☐ Convert to Injection

☐ Deepen

☐ Fracture Treat

☐ New Construction

☐ Plug and Abandon

☐ Plug Back

**TYPE OF ACTION**

☐ Production (Start/Resume)

☐ Reclamation

☐ Recomplete

☐ Water Disposal

☐ Water shut-Off

☐ Well Integrity

☐ Other ~~SPUD & SET~~

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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 shall 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 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

BLM GRANTED AN APPROVAL TO MAINTAIN THE TEMPORARY ABANDONMENT STATUS OF THIS WELL THROUGH 2/25/06.

BP AMERICA RESPECTFULLY REQUESTS APPROVA TO MAINTAIN THIS STUATUS ON THIS WELL.

APPROVED FOR 12 MONTH PERIOD

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

ENDING 2/25/2007

Sue Sellers

Title Regulatory Analyst

Signature

*Sue Sellers / Sum Beuel*

Date 04/072006

Accepted for record - NMOCB */p.*

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

Approved by

(ORIG. SGD.) ALEXIS C. SWOBODA

PETROLEUM ENGINEER

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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.

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