

UNITED STATES **OCD-ARTESIA**
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENTFORM 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 reenter an abandoned well. Use Form 3160-3 (APD) for such proposals.

SUBMIT IN TRIPPLICATE - Other instructions on reverse side

1. Type of Well

☐ Oil Well ☒ Gas Well ☐ Other

2. Name of Operator

Yates Petroleum Corporation

3a. Address

105 South Fourth Street, Artesia, NM 88210

3b. Phone No. (include area code)

(505) 748-1471

4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description)

740' FNL and 410' FEL

Section 12, T20S-R21E

5. Lease Serial No.

NM-103573

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

7. If Unit or CA/Agreement, Name and/o

8. Well Name and No.

Arley Federal Unit #3

9. API Well No.

30-015-34641

10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area

Wildcat Chester

11. County or Parish, State

Eddy County, New Mexico

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

TYPE OF SUBMISSION

TYPE OF ACTION

☒ 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☐ Production (Start/Resume)☐ Reclamation☐ Recomplete☐ Temporarily Abandon☐ Water Disposal☐ Water Shut-Off☐ Well Integrity☒ Other Extend

APD

13. Describe Proposed or Completed Operations (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.)

Yates Petroleum Corporation wishes to extend the captioned well's APD for one year to February 16, 2008

Sources at Yates Petroleum Corporation have relayed information to me that they believe there will not be enough H2S anticipated from the surface to the Chester Formation to meet the OCD's minimum requirements for the submission of a contingency plan per Rule 118.

C-144 Attached

Thank you

APPROVED FOR 12 MONTH PERIOD
ENDING 2-16-08

14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct

Name (Printed/Typed)

Cy Cowan

Title

Regulatory Agent / Land Department cy@ypcnm.com

Signature

Date

January 16, 2007

THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE USE

Approved by

/s/ James Stovall

ACTING FIELD MANAGER

Date

JAN 30 2007

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 FIELD OFFICE

Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001, 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 reverse)

District I
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240
District II
1301 W. Grand Avenue, Artesia, NM 88210
District III
1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410
District IV
1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

State of New Mexico
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources

Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Dr.
Santa Fe, NM 87505

For drilling and production facilities, submit to appropriate NMOCD District Office.
For downstream facilities, submit to Santa Fe office

Form C-144
March 12, 2004

Pit or Below-Grade Tank Registration or Closure

Is pit or below-grade tank covered by a "general plan"? Yes ☒ No ☐

Type of action: Registration of a pit or below-grade tank ☒ Closure of a pit or below-grade tank ☐

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Operator: YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION Telephone: (505) 748-1471

e-mail address: _____

Address: 105 South Fourth Street, Artesia, NM 88210

Facility or well name: Arley Federal Unit #3 API #: _____ U/L or Qtr/Qtr A Sec 12 T 20S R 21E

County: Eddy Latitude N. 32 35'27.3" Longitude W. 104 44'25.3" NAD: 1927 X 1983 ☐ Surface Owner Federal XX State Private ☐ Indian ☐

Pit

Type: Drilling ☒ Production ☐ Disposal ☐

Workover ☐ Emergency ☐

Lined ☒ Unlined ☐

Liner type: Synthetic ☒ Thickness 12 mil Clay ☐ Volume 20,000 bbl

Below-grade tank

Volume: _____ bbl Type of fluid: _____

Construction material: _____

Double-walled, with leak detection? Yes ☐ If not, explain why not. _____

Depth to ground water (vertical distance from bottom of pit to seasonal high water elevation of ground water.) 0

Less than 50 feet

50 feet or more, but less than 100 feet

100 feet or more

(20 points)

(10 points)

(0 points)

0

Wellhead protection area: (Less than 200 feet from a private domestic water source, or less than 1000 feet from all other water sources.)

Yes

No 0

(20 points)

(0 points)

0

Distance to surface water: (horizontal distance to all wetlands, playas, irrigation canals, ditches, and perennial and ephemeral watercourses.)

Less than 200 feet

200 feet or more, but less than 1000 feet

1000 feet or more

(20 points)

(10 points)

(0 points)

0

Ranking Score (Total Points)

0 Points

If this is a pit closure: (1) attach a diagram of the facility showing the pit's relationship to other equipment and tanks. (2) Indicate disposal location:

onsite ☐ offsite ☐ If offsite, name of facility _____ (3) Attach a general description of remedial action taken including remediation start date and end

date. (4) Groundwater encountered: No ☐ Yes ☐ If yes, show depth below ground surface _____ ft. and attach sample results. (5) Attach soil sample results and a

diagram of sample locations and excavations.

I hereby certify that the information above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. I further certify that the above-described pit or below-grade tank has been/will be constructed or closed according to NMOCD guidelines ☐, a general permit X or an (attached) alternative OCD-approved plan ☐.

Date: 10/6/04

Printed Name/Title: Cy Cowan, Regulatory Agent

Signature: 

Your certification and NMOCD approval of this application/closure does not relieve the operator of liability should the contents of the pit or tank contaminate ground water or otherwise endanger public health or the environment. Nor does it relieve the operator of its responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, or local laws and/or regulations.

Approval:

Date: OCT 8 2004

Printed Name/Title: 

Signature: 