

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENTFORM APPROVED
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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 TRIPLICATE - Other instructions on reverse side

1 Type of Well <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oil Well <input type="checkbox"/> Gas Well <input type="checkbox"/> Other		6 If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name
2 Name of Operator Yates Petroleum Corporation		7. If Unit or CA/Agreement, Name and/or No
3a. Address 105 South Fourth Street, Artesia, NM 88210	3b Phone No (include area code) (575) 748-1471	8. Well Name and No. Balsam BNL Federal Com. #1H
4 Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description) Surface: 960' FNL & 30' FEL , BHL: 990' FNL & 330 FWL , Section 8, T24S-R29E, Unit Letter (Surface A) (BHL D)		9. API Well No 30-015-37035
		10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area Wildcat Bone Springs
		11. County or Parish, State Eddy County

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

TYPE OF SUBMISSION	TYPE OF ACTION			
<input checked="" 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 type="checkbox"/> Subsequent Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Alter Casing	<input type="checkbox"/> Fracture Treat	<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 Pilot hole plug back
	<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 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 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.)

Yates Petroleum Corporation respectfully requests permission to plug back the pilot hole in the following manner:
Plug back with 180' plug on bottom then a 400'-500' kick off plug with KOP of approx. 7281'

*Bottom plug to be tagged and tag reported on
subsequent sundry.*

Thank-You

14 I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct		Title	
Name (Printed/Typed) Jeremiah Mullen		Well Planning Technician	
Signature <i>Jeremiah Mullen</i>	Date	Date	
		JUN 18 2009	
THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE USE			
Approved by	Title	Date	
		JUN 18 2009	
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	
		WESLEY W. INGRAM	
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.		PETROLEUM ENGINEER	

(Instructions on reverse)

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