

UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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OMB NO 1004-0135  
Expires: July 31, 2010

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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.

1. Type of Well <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oil Well <input type="checkbox"/> Gas Well <input type="checkbox"/> Other		5. Lease Serial No. NMNM98122 ✓
2. Name of Operator COG OPERATING LLC Contact: PHYLLIS A EDWARDS E-Mail: pedwards@conchoresources.com		6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name
3a. Address 550 WEST TEXAS AVENUE SUITE 1300 MIDLAND, TX 79701	3b. Phone No. (include area code) Ph: 432-685-4340	7. If Unit or CA/Agreement, Name and/or No.
4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description) Sec 21 T17S R31E 1710FSL 1650FEL		8. Well Name and No. SKELLY UNIT 719 ✓
		9. API Well No. 30-015-37883 ✓
		10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory FREN; GLORIETA YESO ✓
		11. County or Parish, and State EDDY COUNTY, NM ✓

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

TYPE OF SUBMISSION	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Notice of Intent	<input type="checkbox"/> Acidize <input type="checkbox"/> Deepen
<input type="checkbox"/> Subsequent Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Alter Casing <input type="checkbox"/> Fracture
<input type="checkbox"/> Final Abandonment Notice	<input type="checkbox"/> Casing Repair <input type="checkbox"/> New Con
	<input type="checkbox"/> Change Plans <input type="checkbox"/> Plug and
	<input type="checkbox"/> Convert to Injection <input type="checkbox"/> Plug Back

COAs still apply from approved APD. TEN

Shut-Off integrity on thereof and zones. 30 days filed once itor has

13. Describe Proposed or Completed Operation (clearly state all pertinent details, including est If the proposal is to deepen directionally or recomplete horizontally, give subsurface locati Attach the Bond under which the work will be performed or provide the Bond No. on file v following completion of the involved operations. If the operation results in a multiple com testing has been completed. Final Abandonment Notices shall be filed only after all requir determined that the site is ready for final inspection.)

COG respectfully requests permission to change V-door direction to the Southeast. The reason for this request is to accomodate the rig properly.

Tanner Nygren gave verbal approval for this change with these stipulations:

COG will keep the topsoil stockpiled West.  
COG will submit a new interim reclamation plan for downsizing.

Plats are attached for your review, and below is the plan for downsizing:

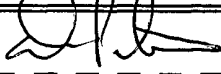
Interim Reclamation will take place after the well has been completed. The pad will be downsized by reclaiming the areas not needed for production operations. The portions of the pad that are not

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

**Electronic Submission #89453 verified by the BLM Well Information System For COG OPERATING LLC, sent to the Carlsbad**

Name (Printed/Typed) PHYLLIS A EDWARDS	Title REGULATORY ANALYST
Signature (Electronic Submission)	Date 07/13/2010

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

Approved By 	Title <b>FIELD MANAGER</b>	Date 8/26/10
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 <b>CARLSBAD FIELD OFFICE</b>

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.

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

*Handwritten initials and marks*

## **Additional data for EC transaction #89453 that would not fit on the form**

### **32. Additional remarks, continued**

needed for production operations will be recontoured to its original state as much as possible. The caliche that is removed will be reused to either build another pad site or for road repairs within the lease. The stockpiled topsoil will then be spread out reclaimed area and reseeded with a BLM approved seed mixture. In the event that the well must be worked over or maintained, it may be necessary to drive, park, and/or operate machinery on reclaimed land. This area will be repaired or reclaimed after work is complete.

