Form 3160-5 (August 2007)

# UNITED STATES OCD-A

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT FORM APPROVED OMB No. 1004-0137 Expires: July 31, 2010

Expires: July ease Scrial No.

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

5. Lease Scrial No. NMNM 0559532

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  |                            |  | ·   |  |
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| SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE – Other inst   |                            | ement, Name and/or No.                   |   |  |
| 1. Type of Well   |                            | NMNM 72211                               | ·   |  |
| Oil Well Gas Well Other   |                            | 8. Well Name and No<br>Federal CX Gas Co | m 1   |  |
| Name of Operator     Three Rivers Operating Company LLC   |                            | 9. API Well No.<br>30-015-24025          | 9. API Well No.<br>30-015-24025                 |  |
| 3a. Address 3b. Phone No. (include area code)   |                            |  | 10. Field and Pool or Exploratory Area          |  |
| 1122 S. Capital of TX Hwy., Suite 325 Austin, TX 78746 512-600-3196   |                            | Crow Flats - Morrow                      | Crow Flats - Morrow                             |  |
| 4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T.,R.,M., or Survey Description)  |                            | 11. Country or Parish,                   | State   |  |
| B-12-17S-27E 660 FNL & 1650 FEL   |                            | Eddy, NM                                 |   |  |
| 12. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX(E   | S) TO INDICATE NATURE O    | F NOTICE, REPORT OR OTH                  | ER DATA   |  |
| TYPE OF SUBMISSION  | TYPE OF ACTION             |  |   |  |
| Notice of Intent Acidize  | Deepen [                   | Production (Start/Resume)                | Water Shut-Off                                  |  |
| Alter Casing  | Fracture Treat             | Reclamation                              | Well Integrity                                  |  |
| Subsequent Report Casing Repair   | New Construction           | Recomplete                               | Other Change of Operator                        |  |
| Change Plans  | Plug and Abandon           | Temporarily Abandon                      |   |  |
| Final Abandonment Notice Convert to Injection   | Plug Back                  | Water Disposal                           |   |  |
| determined that the site is ready for final inspection.)  The undersigned accepts all applicable terms, conditions, stipulation pursuant to NTL 89-1  Bond Coverage: BLM Bond No. NMB000672 Surety Bond No. RLB0013149 Bond Amount: \$25,000.00 Bond Type: Statewide Bond  Effective Date: April 26, 2010  Change of Operator from Chesapeake Operating Inc. to Three Riv.  The owners of this CA/Agreement have been notified of the Change. | vers Operating Company LLC |  | APPROVED  JAN 1 8 2011 /s/ JD Whitlock J        |  |
| CITTIEN   |                            |  | h   |  |
| SEE ATTACH <b>ED FOR</b><br>CONDITIONS OF APPR <b>OVAL</b>  | 1000000000                 | P 20-                                    | BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEM<br>CARLSBAD FIELD OFFICE |  |
| 14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct. Name (Printed/Type Russell Macaw   | Title V. P. of Ope         | rations                                  | ^   |  |
| Signature Muacan  | Date 09/27/2010            |  | R   |  |
| THIS SPACE FO   | R FEDERAL OR STAT          | E OFFICE USE                             | W S S   |  |
| Approved by   | <br> Fitle                 | Í.                                       |   |  |
| Conditions of approval, if any, are attached. Approval of this notice does not that the applicant holds legal or equitable title to those rights in the subject least   | warrant or certify         |  | Zant (X S)                                      |  |

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 ager

entitle the applicant to conduct operations thereon.

fictitious or fraudulent statements or representations as to any matter within its jurisdiction.

#### **Designation of Successor Operator for Communitization Agreement**

Designation of Successor Operator, Communitization Agreement No. NMNM 072211, covering the UL "B" Sec. 12, T. 17S, R. 27E, Eddy County, New Mexico.

This indenture, dated as to the 24th day of August, 2010, by and between Chesapeake Operating, Inc., and Three Rivers Operating Company, hereinafter designated as "First Party," and the owners of communitized working interest, hereinafter designated as "Second Parties."

Witnesseth: Whereas under the provision of section 17(j) of the Act of February 25, 1920, as amended (74 Stat. 784; 30 U.S.C. 266(J)), and by authority delegated, Chesapeake Operating on the 9th day of April, 2010, approved communitization agreement no. NMNM 72211 whereby Three Rivers Operating Company is designated as Operator of the communitized area; and

Whereas the designation of a successor operator is now desired pursuant to section No. 3 of the communitization agreement; and

Whereas the First Party has been and hereby is designated by Second Parties as Operator of the communitized area, and said First Party desires to assume all the rights, duties and obligations of Operator under said communitization;

Now, therefore, in consideration of the premises hereinbefore set forth and the promises hereinafter stated, the First party hereby covenants and agrees to fulfill the duties and assume the obligations of Operator of the communitized area under and pursuant to all the terms of communitization agreement no. NMNM 72211 and the Second Parties covenant and agree that effective as of the date herein specified, and upon receipt of this indenture, properly executed, by the Authorized Officer, the First Party shall be granted the exclusive right and privilege of exercising any and all rights and privileges as Operator, pursuant to the terms and conditions of said communitization agreement, said communitization agreement being hereby incorporated herein by reference and made a part hereof as fully and effectively as though said agreement were expressly set forth in this instrument.

| In witness whereof, the parties her | reto have executed this instrument as of the date hereinabove         |
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| set forth.                          | Three Rivers Operating Company, LLC                                   |
| Dalota Gring                        | Muscan  |
| (Witness) Dakota Ening willing AKE  | OPERATIONS (First Party) Russell D. Mucaw Vice President - Operations |
| Attest: SI                          | CHESAPEAKE OPERATING, INC.  |
| anta S. Brodrick                    | HOMA  |
| Anita L. Brodrick                   | Douglas S. Jacobson   |
| ,                                   | Evecutive Vice-President  |

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

## **Conditions of Approval**

### Three Rivers Operating Company - Federal CX Gas Com #1

- 1. Tank battery must be bermed/diked (must be able to contain 1 1/2 times the volume of the largest tank).
- 2. All above ground structures and equipment on the lease shall be painted Shale Green (5Y 4/2). This is to be done within 90 days, if you have not already done so.
- 3. Submit for approval of water disposal method.
- 4. Submit updated facility diagrams as per Onshore Order #3
- 5. This agency shall be notified of any spill or discharge as required by NTL-3A.
- 6. All outstanding environmental issue must be addressed within 90 days. Contact Jim Amos for inspection and to resolve environmental issues. 575-234-5909