New Maxica Oil Conservation Division, District i 1625 N. French Drive Hobbs, NM 80840

iom 3160-3 April 2004)				FORM AI OMB No. Expires Ma	1004-0137		
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE I	NTERIOR			5. Lease Serial No. NM94192			
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la. Type of work: I DRILL	ER			7 If Unit or CA Agree	ment, Na	me and No	
lb. Type of Well: Voil Well Gas Well Other	Sing	gle Zone 🔲 Multip	le Zone	-8. Lease Name and W Southpaw 30 Fe			346>
2. Name of Operator				9. API Well No.		-11	
Pecos Production Company	N DI N	52157	58/	30-02	5-	368	65
3a. Address 400 W. Illinois, Ste 1070, Midland, TX 79701	3b. Phone No. 432-620	(include area code) -8480	(10. Field and Pool, or E Shugart	law	are.	Nort
4. Location of Well (Report location clearly and in accordance with any	ry State requiremen	nts.*)		11. Sec., T. R. M. or Bl	c and Su	vey or Are	a
At surface 960' FSL & 2100' FWL At proposed prod. zone 960' FSL & 2100' FWL		<i>a</i> \$		Sec 30- 18S- 32	E .		
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14. Distance in miles and direction from nearest town or post office* 10 Miles South of Maljamar				Lea Co.		N	Μ
15. Distance from proposed* 360' location to nearest	16. No. of ac	res in lease	17. Spacin	ig Unit dedicated to this w	ell		
property or lease line, ft. (Also to nearest drig. unit line, if any)	80		40				
 Distance from proposed location* to nearest well, drilling, completed, applied for, on this lease, ft. 1506' 	19. Proposed 5000'	Depth		BIA Bond No. on file 1000020			
21. Elevations (Show whether DF, KDB, RT, GL, etc.) 3687' GL	22. Approxim	nate date work will sta	l rt*	23. Estimated duration 4 Weeks			
	24. Attac	hments	CAPITA	N CONTROLLED	WAI	ER BAS	SIN
The following, completed in accordance with the requirements of Onsho	ore Oil and Gas (Order No.1, shall be a	ttached to th	his form:			
1. Well plat certified by a registered surveyor.				ons unless covered by an	existing	bond on fil	e (see
 A Drilling Plan. A Surface Use Plan (if the location is on National Forest System 	Lands, the	5. Operator certifi	cation				
SUPO shall be filed with the appropriate Forest Service Office).	,		specific inf	formation and/or plans as	may be	equired by	the
	Name	(Printed/Typed)			Date		
25. Signature 1 ana		Dora Lara			07/	06/2004	
Title Engr Asst.	I						
Approved by (Signature) /s/ Joe G. Lara	Name	(Printed/Typed)	/ Joe (G. Lara	Date	B SEP	2004
Title FIELD MANAGER	Office) FIELD OFI	FICE		
Application approval does not warrant or certify that the applicant hol	ds legal or equit	table title to those right	nts in the su	bject lease which would e	ntitle the	applicantt	0
conduct operations thereon. Conditions of approval, if any, are attached.	<i>0</i>			OVAL FOR 1			
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*(Instructions on page 2)

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APPROVAL SUBJECT TO GENERAL REQUIREMENTS AND SPECIAL STIPULATIONS ATTACHED

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Attachment to Form 3160-3 Pecos Production Company Southpaw 30 Federal No. 2 960' FSL & 2100' FWL Section 30, T18S, R32E Lea County, New Mexico

1. Geologic Name of Surface Formation

Quaternary Alluvium

2. Estimated Tops of Important Geological Formations

950'
2300'
2550'
3600'
4450'
4900'

3. Estimated Depths of Anticipated Fresh Water, Oil or Gas

Water:	Approximately 200'
Oil:	3600', 4050', 4450', 4750'

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No other formations are expected to yield oil, gas or fresh water in measurable volumes. Any surface fresh water sands will be protected by setting 8-5/8" casing at 650' and circulating cement back to surface. The Salt will be isolated with a 5-1/2" production casing string set through the San Andres @ approximately 5000' and cement circulated to surface.

4. Casing Program

Hole Size	Interval	<u>Casing</u>	<u>Weight</u>	Grade	<u>Type</u>
11"	650 1100	8-5/8"	24#	J- 55	ST&C
7-7/8"	0' - 5000'	5-1/2"	15.5#	J-55	LT&C

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Cementing Program*

650'	8-5/8" Surface Casing:	Cement to surface:
	Slurry:	350 sxs Class C containing 0.25 pps Cello-flake. 2% CaCl.
5000'	5-1/2" Production Casing	
	Lead Slurry:	50:50:10 Poz C containing 10% bentonite, 0.1% FLAC, 0.25 pps Cello-flake – or equivalent.
	Tail Slurry:	50:50:2 Poz C containing 2% bentonite, 5% (bwow) salt, 0.25 pps Cello-flake – or equivalent.

*Cement designs may change as hole conditions dictate.

5. Minimum Specifications for Pressure Control

The blowout preventor equipment (BOP) shown in Exhibit #1 will consist of a (3M system) double ram type preventor. This unit will be hydraulically operated. The BOP will be installed on the 8-5/8" surface casing and utilized continuously until total depth is reached. Prior to drilling out of the 8-5/8" casing shoe, the BOP will be pressure tested to 1000 psi.

Pipe rams will be operated and checked each 24 hour period and each time the drill pipe is out of the hole. These function test will be documented on the daily driller's log. Other accessory BOP equipment will include a kelly cock, floor safety valve, choke lines and choke manifold having a 3000# WP rating.

6. Types and Characteristics of Proposed Mud System

This well will be drilled to total depth with fresh water, and cut brine/starch mud systems. Depths are as follows:

Depth	Type	Weight (ppg)	Viscosity	Water Loss
0' - 650'	Spud Mud	8.3 - 9.2	28 - 36	No control
/00 650' - 3500'	Brine	10.0 - 10.3	29	No control
3500' - 5000'	Brine/Starch	10.0	32	10cc

7. Auxiliary Well Control and Monitoring Equipment

- A. A kelly cock will be in the drill string at all times.
- B. A full opening drill pipe stabbing valve having the appropriate connections will be on the rig floor at all times.

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- 8. Logging, Testing and Coring Program
 - A. No cores or test planned.
 - B. The open hole electrical logging program will be:
 - 1. DLL/MSFL/GR (TD-650') Note: GR will be pulled to Ground Level
 - 2. DEN/NEU/CAL (TD to 650') Note: Neutron log will be pulled to Ground Level
 - C. No coring program is planned.
 - D. No additional testing will be initiated subsequent to setting the 5-1/2" production casing.
- 9. Abnormal Pressures, Temperatures and Potential Hazards

No abnormal pressures or temperatures are expected. The anticipated bottom hole temperature at total depth is 110 degrees and maximum bottom pressure is 2000 psia. Lost circulation within the surface and intermediate intervals is possible. Small quantities of hydrogen sulfide gas are associated with the Queen, Grayburg and San Andres formations in this area. However Radii of exposure is such that this operation is exempt from specific requirements. However a hydrogen sulfide plan is on file.

10. Anticipated Starting Date and Duration of Operations

Archeological Survey Consultants has been requested to perform and submit a cultural resources examination to the BLM office in Carlsbad, New Mexico.

Road and location preparation will not be undertaken until approval has been received from the BLM. The anticipated spud date for this well is as soon as permitted. The drilling operation should require approximately 10 days. If the well is deemed productive, completion operations will require, at minimum, an additional 10 days for completion and testing.

SURFACE USE AND OPERATING PLAN

Attachment to Form 3160-3 Pecos Production Company **Southpaw 30 Federal No. 2** 960' FSL & 2100' FWL Section 30, T18S, R32E Lea County, New Mexico

- 1. Existing Roads
 - A. The well site and elevation plat for the proposed Southpaw 30 Federal No. 2 are reflected on Exhibit #2. The well was staked by John West Engineering of Hobbs, New Mexico.
 - B. Approximately 200 feet of new road will extend North to SW corner of pad on Exhibit #3.
 - C. Intersection of Hwy 529 and Hwy 126 in Lea County. South (on Hwy 126) 5.6 miles to right (Southwest) 0.6 miles on existing lease road. Right onto new lease road 2100 feet to Southpaw 30 Federal No. 1
- 2. Proposed Access Road

Only 200 feet of new road will be built.

3. Location of Existing Wells

Exhibit #4 shows all existing wells within a one-mile radius of the proposed Southpaw 30 Federal No. 1.

4. Location of Existing and/or Proposed Facilities

If the well is productive, all produced fluids will transport via $2\frac{1}{2}$ " flowline to existing facilities located at Southpaw 30 Federal No. 1 as reflected on Exhibit #6.

- B. No new facilities will be built.
- C. The well should be a pumping oil or gas well.
- D. If the well is productive, rehabilitation plans are as follows:
 - 1. Free water will be hauled to disposal and the reserve pit will be back-filled after the contents of the pit are dry, and topsoil replaced (within 120 days of completion, weather permitting).

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2. At abandonment caliche from the drill pad will be removed. The original topsoil from well site will be returned to the location. The drill site will then be contoured to the original natural state.

5. Location and Type of Water Supply

The Southpaw 30 Federal No. 2 will be drilled using a combination of brine and fresh water mud systems (outlined in Drilling Program). The water will be obtained from commercial sources and trucked to location.

6. Sources of Construction Materials

All caliche utilized for the drilling pad will be obtained from the reserve pit area or an existing BLM approved pit.

7. Methods of Handling Water and Waste Disposal

- A. Drill cuttings will be disposed into the reserve pit.
- B. Drilling fluids will be contained in steel mud tanks or lined earthen pits and the reserve pit. After drilling operations are complete, free water will be hauled to disposal, the cuttings and mud allowed to dry, and the pit backfilled according to OCD guidelines.
- C. The reserve pit will be fenced on three sides throughout drilling operations and will be totally isolated upon removal of the rotary rig. The pit will be lined using a 12 mil plastic to prevent loss of drilling fluids.
- D. Water produced from the well during completion operations will be disposed into a steel tank. After placing the well on production, all water will be collected in tanks, pumped to a nearby lease for injection or trucked to disposal.
- E. Garbage, trash and waste paper produced during drilling operations will be collected in a contained trailer and disposed at an approved landfill. All waste material will be contained to prevent scattering by the wind. All water, fluids, salt or other chemicals will be disposed into the reserve pit. No toxic waste or hazardous chemicals will be generated by this operation.

8. Ancillary Facilities

No campsite or other facilities will be constructed as a result of this well.

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9. Well Site Layout

- A. The drill pad is shown on Exhibit #5. Approximate dimensions of the pad, pits and general location of the rig equipment are displayed. Top soil, if any found, will be stored adjacent to the pad until reclamation efforts are undertaken. Only modest cuts will be necessary to build the pad which will be covered with 6" compacted caliche.
- B. No permanent living facilities are planned, temporary trailers for the tool pusher, and company supervisors may be on location throughout drilling operations.
- C. The reserve pit and earthen pits will be lined using plastic sheeting minimum 12 mil thickness.

10. Plans for Restoration of Surface

- A. After concluding the drilling, completion and/or production operations, the caliche will be removed from the pad and transported to the original caliche pit or used for other drilling locations. The original top soil will again be returned to the pad and contoured, as close as possible, to the original topography.
- B. The pit lining will <u>remain intact during reclamation</u> in order to prevent leaching. All pits will be filled and location leveled, weather permitting, within 120 days after abandonment. Original topsoil will be returned to the pit area.
- C. The location will be rehabilitated as recommended by the BLM.
- 11. Surface Ownership

This well site is owned by the U.S.A. An agreement for surface orientation and use has been reached with the BLM Field Inspector during the onsite meeting.

12. Other Information

- A. The area surrounding the well site is gypsiferous and supportive of desert scrub and grassland formation. The vegetation is moderately sparse with desert scrub.
- B. No permanent water or water wells are within a 1 mile radius of this location.
- C. Southern NM Archeological Surveyors has been requested to perform and submit a cultural resources examination to the BLM office in Carlsbad, New Mexico.



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13. Lessee's and Operator's Representative

The Pecos Production Company representative responsible for ensuring compliance of the surface use plan is:

William R. Huck VP – Engr. and Operations (432) 620-8480

Pecos Production Company 400 W. Illinois, Suite 1070 Midland, TX 79701

Certification

I hereby certify that I, or persons under my direct supervision, have inspected the proposed drill site and access road, that I am familiar with the conditions that presently exist; that the statements made in this plan are, to the best if my knowledge, true and correct; and that the work associated with the operations proposed herein will be performed by Pecos Production Company and its contractors under which it is approved.

Signed: <u>John Hann</u> Dora Lara – Engr. & Operations Asst.

____ Date: <u>7-7-04</u>



BLOWOUT PREVENTOR ARRANGEMENT

11" DOUBLE RAM – 3000 psi WP 80 GALLON, 3 STATION ACCUMULATOR 3000 PSI CHOKE MANIFOLD



Exhibit #1 Pecos Production Company Southpaw "30" Federal No. 2 960' FSL & 2100' FWL Sec. 30, T-18-S, R-32-E Lea Co., NM Attachment to Exhibit #1 Attachment to Form 3160-3 Pecos Production Company **Southpaw 30 Federal No. 2** 960' FSL & 2100' FWL Section 30, T18S, R32E Lea County, New Mexico

- 1. Drilling nipple will be constructed so it can be removed mechanically without the aid of a welder. The minimum internal diameter will equal BOP bore.
- 2. Blowout preventor and all associated fittings will be in operable condition to withstand a minimum 2000 psi working pressure.
- 3. A full bore safety valve tested to a minimum 3000 psi WP with proper thread connections will be available on the rotary rig floor at all times.
- 4. All BOP equipment will be equal to or larger in bore than the internal diameter of the last casing string.
- 5. Will maintain a kelly cock attached to the kelly.
- 6. Hand wheels and wrenches will be properly installed and tested for safe operation.
- 7. All BOP equipment will meet API standards and include a minimum 40 gallon accumulator having two independent means of power to initiate closing operation.

DISTRICT I

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1625 N. PRENCH DR., HOBBS, NM 86240

DISTRICT II 1301 W. GRAND AVENUE, ARTESIA, NM 88210

DISTRICT III

1000 Rio Brazos Rd., Aztec, NM 87410

State of New Mexico

Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION 1220 SOUTH ST. FRANCIS DR. Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Form C-102 Revised JUNE 10, 2003 Submit to Appropriate District Office State Lease - 4 Copies Fee Lease - 3 Copies

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management Roswell Field Office 2909 West Second Street Roswell, New Mexico 88201-1287

Statement Accepting Responsibility for Operations

Operator Name	:	Pecos Production Company
Street or Box	:	400 W. Illinois, Suite 1070
City, State	:	Midland, TX
Zip Code	:	79701

The undersigned accepts all applicable terms, conditions, stipulations, and restrictions concerning operations conducted on the leased land or portion thereof, as described below:

Lease No.: NM 94192

Legal Description of Land: 960' FSL & 2100' FWL of Section 30, T18S-R32E

Formation (s) (if applicable): San Andres / Grayburg

Bond Coverage (State if individually bonded or another's bond): \$25,000 Statewide (NM)

BLM Bond File No.: NMB000020

Authorized Signature: Suchae

Title: President

Date: 7/07/04

1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240	ate of New Mexico nerals and Natural Resources	Form C-144 June 1, 2004
1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410 <u>District IV</u> 1220	Conservation Division South St. Francis Dr. anta Fe, NM 87505	For drilling and production facilities, submit to appropriate NMOCD District Office. For downstream facilities, submit to Santa Fe office
Is pit or below-grade tan	de Tank Registration or (k covered by a "general plan"? Yes r below-grade tank 🛛 Closure of a pit or b	
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Address: _400 W. Illinois, Suite 1070, Midland, TX 79701 acility or well name: _Southpaw 30 Federal #2API #:	20-075 21865	
County: _Lea Latitude_32*42' 49.80" N Longitude_103*4	48' 25.34" W NAD: 1927 🖾 1983 L	_] Surface Owner Federal 🛛 State 🛄 Private 🛄 Indian
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Type: Drilling 🛛 Production 🛄 Disposal 🗌	Volume:bbl Type of fluid:	
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