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Form 3160-5 (September 2001)

#### UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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## SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELESCEIVED Do not use this form for proposals to drill or to re-enter an

abandoned well. Use Form 3160-3 (APD) for such proposals.

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13. Describe Proposed or Completed Operation (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 recomplete 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) ESTI mated date to Start work is 8-20-11.

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RECLAMATION PROCEDURE **ATTACHED** 

SEE ATTACHED FOR CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

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Conditions of approval, if any, are attached. Approval of this notice does not warrant or certify that the applicant holds legal or equitable to those rights in the subject lease which would entitle the applicant to condent operations thereon.	Office CFO	
Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001 and Title 43 U.S.C. Section 1212, make it a crime for any perso States any false, fictitious or fraudulent statements or representations as to any matter within	n knowingly and willfully to man its jurisdiction	ake to any department or agency of the United

(Instructions on page 2)

THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION MUST BE NOTIFIED 24 HOURS PRIOR TO THE **BEGINNING OF PLUGGING OPERATIONS** 

SEP 0-7 2011

McDonnold Operating Inc 505 N. Big Spring @204 Midland, TX 79701

RE:

NMNM7488; Langlie Jack Unit No. 10 1980' FNL & 660' FWL, Sec. 21, T24S-R37E Lea County, New Mexico

Plugging and Abandonment, Conditions of Approval:

The plugging procedure submitted is not adequate to meet requirements of Onshore Oil and Gas Order No. 2. To meet the requirements, the following procedures are to be used for the plugging of the referenced wellbore.

- 1. RIH and tag PBTD. Load hole with plugging mud.
- 2. Spot a plug @ 130' plug from 3360'-3230' (25 sack min. shoe plug). WOC and tag no lower than 3230'.
- 3. Set a CIBP @ 2900' (50' above the uppermost perforations) and cap with 35' cement using a dump bail, or spot a 25 sack cement plug on top of the CIBP. A second option would be to place a cement plug across the perforations from 3140'-2900'. WOC and tag no lower than 2900'.
- 4. Spot a 120' plug from 2642'-2522' (25 sack min. to cover the base of salt). WOC and tag no lower than 2522'.
- 5. Perforate @ 1430' and attempt to squeeze a plug from 1430'-1230' (covers the top of salt and the casing shoe). WOC and tag no lower than 1230'. If unable to pump into perforations, lower tubing to 1480' and spot a plug from 1480'-1230'. WOC and tag no lower than 1230'.
- 6. Perforate @ 331' and circulate cement in/out to surface.

Cut off the wellhead at least 3' below ground level and verify cement to surface behind casing strings (see COAs).

If any questions, contact Jim Amos @ 575-234-5909.

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# Amoco Production Company

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

### Permanent Abandonment of Federal Wells Conditions of Approval

Failure to comply with the following Conditions of Approval may result in a Notice of Incidents of Noncompliance (INC) in accordance with 43 CFR 3163.1.

1. Plugging operations shall commence within <u>ninety (90)</u> days from the approval date of this Notice of Intent to Abandon.

If you are unable to plug the well by the 90<sup>th</sup> day provide this office, prior to the 90<sup>th</sup> day, with the reason for not meeting the deadline and a date when we can expect the well to be plugged. Failure to do so will result in enforcement action.

The rig used for the plugging procedure cannot be released and moved off without the prior approval of the authorized officer. Failure to do so may result in enforcement action.

- 2. <u>Notification:</u> Contact the appropriate BLM office at least 24 hours prior to the commencing of any plugging operations. For wells in Chaves and Roosevelt County, call 575-627-0272; Eddy County, call 575-361-2822; Lea County, call 575-393-3612.
- 3. <u>Blowout Preventers</u>: A blowout preventer (BOP), as appropriate, shall be installed before commencing any plugging operation. The BOP must be installed and maintained as per API and manufacturer recommendations. The minimum BOP requirement is a 2M system for a well not deeper than 9,090 feet; a 3M system for a well not deeper than 13,636 feet; and a 5M system for a well not deeper than 22,727 feet.
- 4. <u>Mud Requirement:</u> Mud shall be placed between all plugs. Minimum consistency of plugging mud shall be obtained by mixing at the rate of 25 sacks (50 pounds each) of gel per 100 barrels of **brine** water. Minimum nine (9) pounds per gallon.
- 5. <u>Cement Requirement</u>: Sufficient cement shall be used to bring any required plug to the specified depth and length. Any given cement volumes on the proposed plugging procedure are merely estimates and are not final. Unless specific approval is received, no plug except the surface plug shall be less than 25 sacks of cement. Any plug that requires a tag will have a minimum WOC time of 4 hours.

In lieu of a cement plug across perforations in a cased hole (not for any other plugs), a bridge plug set within 50 feet to 100 feet above the perforations shall be capped with 25 sacks of cement. If a bailer is used to cap this plug, 35 feet of cement shall be sufficient. Before pumping or bailing cement on top of CIBP, tag will be required to verify depth. Based on depth, a tag of the cement may be deemed necessary.



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#### **BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT**

Carlsbad Field Office 620 E. Greene St. Carlsbad, New Mexico 88220-6292 www.blm.gov/nm



In Reply Refer To: 1310

#### **Reclamation Objectives and Procedures**

Reclamation Objective: Oil and gas development is one of many uses of the public lands and resources. While development may have a short- or long-term effect on the land, successful reclamation can ensure the effect is not permanent. During the life of the development, all disturbed areas not needed for active support of production operations should undergo "interim" reclamation in order to minimize the environmental impacts of development on other resources and uses. At final abandonment, well locations, production facilities, and access roads must undergo "final" reclamation so that the character and productivity of the land and water are restored.

The long-term objective of final reclamation is to set the course for eventual ecosystem restoration, including the restoration of the natural vegetation community, hydrology, and wildlife habitats. In most cases this means returning the land to a condition approximating or equal to that which existed prior to the disturbance. The final goal of reclamation is to restore the character of the land and water to its predisturbance condition. The operator is generally not responsible for achieving full ecological restoration of the site. Instead, the operator must achieve the short-term stability, visual, hydrological, and productivity objectives of the surface management agency and take steps necessary to ensure that long-term objectives will be reached through natural processes.

To achieve these objectives, remove any and all contaminants, scrap/trash, equipment, pipelines and powerlines. Strip and remove caliche, contour the location to blend with the surrounding landscape, redistribute the native soils, provide erosion control as needed, rip and seed as specified in the original APD COA. This will apply to well pads, facilities, and access roads. Barricade access road at the starting point. If reserve pits have not reclaimed due to salts or other contaminants, submit a plan for approval, as to how you propose to provide adequate restoration of the pit area.

- 1. The Application for Permit to Drill or Reenter (APD, Form 3160-3), Surface Use Plan of Operations must include adequate measures for stabilization and reclamation of disturbed lands. Oil and Gas operators must plan for reclamation, both interim and final, up front in the APD process as per Onshore Oil and Gas Order No. 1.
- 2. For wells and/or access roads not having an approved plan, or an inadequate plan for surface reclamation (either interim or final reclamation), the operator must submit a proposal describing the procedures for reclamation. For interim reclamation, the appropriate time for submittal would be when filing the Well Completion or Recompletion Report and Log (Form 3160-4). For final reclamation, the appropriate time for submittal would be when filing the Notice of Intent, or the Subsequent Report of Abandonment, Sundry Notices and Reports on Wells (Form 3160-5). Interim reclamation is to be completed within 6 months of well completion, and final reclamation is to be completed within 6 months of well abandonment.
- 3. The operator must file a Subsequent Report Plug and Abandonment (Form 3160-5) following the plugging of a well.
- 4. Previous instruction had you waiting for a BLM specialist to inspect the location and provide you with reclamation requirements. If you have an approved Surface Use Plan of Operation and/or an approved Sundry Notice, you are free to proceed with reclamation as per approved APD. If you have issues or concerns, contact a BLM specialist to assist you. It would be in your interest to have a BLM specialist look at the location and access road prior to the removal of reclamation

equipment to ensure that it meets BLM objectives. Upon conclusion submit a Form 3160-5, Subsequent Report of Reclamation. This will prompt a specialist to inspect the location to verify work was completed as per approved plans.

- 5. The approved Subsequent Report of Reclamation will be your notice that the native soils, contour and seedbed have been reestablished. If the BLM objectives have not been met the operator will be notified and corrective actions may be required.
- 6. It is the responsibility of the operator to monitor these locations and/or access roads until such time as the operator feels that the BLM objective has been met. If after two growing seasons the location and/or access roads are not showing the potential for successful revegetation, additional actions may be needed. When you feel the BLM objectives have been met submit a Final Abandonment Notice (FAN), Form 3160-5, stating that all reclamation requirements have been achieved and the location and/or access road is ready for a final abandonment inspection.
- 7. At this time the BLM specialist will inspect the location and/or access road. If the native soils and contour have been restored, and the revegetation is successful, the FAN will be approved, releasing the operator of any further liability of the location and/or access road. If the location and/or access road have not achieved the objective, you will be notified as to additional work needed or additional time being needed to achieve the objective.

If there are any questions, please feel free to contact any of the following specialists:

Jim Amos Supervisory Environmental Protection Specialist 575-234-5909, 575-361-2648 (Cell)

Terry Gregston Environmental Protection Specialist 575-234-5958

Bobby Ballard Environmental Protection Specialist 575-234-2230

Randy Rust Environmental Protection Specialist 575-234-5943

Linda Denniston Environmental Protection Specialist 575-234-5974

Jennifer Van Curen Environmental Protection Specialist 575-234-5905

Justin Frye Environmental Protection Specialist 575-234-5922 Cody Layton Natural Resource Specialist 575-234-5959

Trishia Bad Bear Natural Resource Specialist 575-393-3612

Todd Suter Surface Protection Specialist 575-234-5987

Doug Hoag Civil Engineering Technician 575-234-5979 Form 3160-18 (October, 1999)

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