

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

FORM APPROVED
OMB NO. 1004-0135
Expires: July 31, 2010

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.

OCD Hobbs

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		5. Lease Serial No. NMNM123524
2. Name of Operator CIMAREX ENERGY COMPANY Contact: TERRI STATHEM E-Mail: tstathem@cimarex.com		6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name
3a. Address 600 NORTH MARIENFELD STREET SUITE 600 MIDLAND, TX 79701	3b. Phone No. (include area code) Ph: 432-620-1936	7. If Unit or CA/Agreement, Name and/or No.
4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description) Sec 23 T23S R34E NENE 305FNL 560FEL <i>Unit A</i>		8. Well Name and No. LYNCH 23 FEDERAL COM 3
		9. API Well No. 30-025-40724
		10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory LEA BONE SPRING S.
		11. County or Parish, and State LEA COUNTY, NM

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 Change to Original A PD
	<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 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.)

Cimarex Energy respectfully request approval to build a battery at the Lynch 23 Fed Com #3 well. This well will have diverse ownership in regards to other wells on the lease and therefore Cimarex requests approval to construct a production facility at the well site rather than commingle production.

Please see attached production facilities layout diagram for your approval.

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

**Electronic Submission #151729 verified by the BLM Well Information System
For CIMAREX ENERGY COMPANY, sent to the Hobbs
Committed to AFMSS for processing by KURT SIMMONS on 10/24/2012 ()**

Name (Printed/Typed) TERRI STATHEM	Title REGULATORY ANALYST
Signature (Electronic Submission)	Date 09/25/2012

THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE USE

Approved By <i>[Signature]</i>	Title <i>[Signature]</i> FIELD MANAGER	Date <i>11/16/12</i>
Office CARLSBAD FIELD OFFICE		

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 these rights in the subject lease which would entitle the applicant to conduct operations thereon.

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.

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Exhibit D-1
Interim Reclamation Plat
Lynch '23' Fed Com 3
Cimarex Energy Co. of Colorado
23-20S-34E
SHL 305 FNL & 560 FEL
BHL 330 FSL & 660 FEL
Lea County, NM

