

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

OCD-HOBBS

FORM APPROVED
OMB No. 1004-0135
Expires July 31, 1996

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.

SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE - Other instructions on reverse side

1. Type of Well <input type="checkbox"/> Oil Well <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Gas Well <input type="checkbox"/> Other		5. Lease Serial No. NM-90796
2. Name of Operator Cimarex Energy Co. of Colorado		6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name
3a. Address PO Box 140907; Irving, TX 75014-0907	3b. Phone No. (include area code) 972-401-3111	7. If Unit or CA/Agreement, Name and/or No. Rhodes Federal Unit
4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description) 660' FSL & 760' FEL P-10-26S-37E		8. Well Name and No. Rhodes Federal Unit No. 103
		9. API Well No. 30-025- 37375
		10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area Rhodes; Yates-7 Rivers (Gas)
		11. County or Parish, 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 Request
	<input type="checkbox"/> Change Plans	<input type="checkbox"/> Plug and Abandon	<input type="checkbox"/> Temporarily Abandon	permit extension
	<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, included estimated starting date of any proposed work and approximate duration thereof. If the proposal is to deepen directionally or recomplate 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 recomplate 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.)

The permit for the RFU No. 103 is due to expire on 07-13-06. Cimarex Energy Co. of Colorado respectfully requests a permit extension due to rig scheduling.

APPROVED FOR 12 MONTH PERIOD
ENDING 7-13-07

14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct
Name (Printed/Typed)

Natalie Krueger

Signature

Title

Reg Analyst 1

Date

July 12, 2006

THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE USE

Approved by

/s/ James Stovall

ACTING FIELD MANAGER

Date

AUG 08 2006

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

CARLSBAD FIELD OFFICE

Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001, makes 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.

(Instructions on reverse)

AUG 08 2008

Lease No.: NM-90796
Well Name: Rhodes Federal Unit #103
Well Location: T26S, R37E, Section 10

Dear APD Permittee:

Please be aware that this APD is within Lesser Prairie Chicken habitat and as a result of the settlement in a lawsuit between BLM and the litigant, we will be unable to approve any requests for exceptions without further environmental analysis which could take up to 30 days. Consequently, it is advisable to schedule drilling within Lesser Prairie Chicken habitat outside the March 15th to June 15th timing restrictions in order to avoid a delay if a request for an exception becomes necessary.

If you have any questions regarding this lawsuit or the requirements as a result of the settlement, please contact Jim Stovall (505)234-5981, Dorothy Morgan (505)234-5951, or Russ Sorensen (505)234-5963.

Sincerely,

/s/ James Stovall

ACTING Field Manager