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	60-5UNITED STATES1999)DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR			FORM APPROVED OMB No. 1004-0135 Expires November 30,2000 5 Lease Serial No.		
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT						
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				6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name		
SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE - Other Instructions on reverse side				7. If Unit or CA	VAgreement, Name and/or	
				No. North E	North El Mar Unit	
I. Type of Well Oil Well Gas Well Other Service (Injection)				8. Well Name a	and No.	
2. Name of Operator Sahara Operating Company				North El Mar Unit #3 9. API Well No.		
3a. Address 3b. Phone No. (inc			le area code)	30 025 08420		
P.O. Box 4130, Midland, TX 79704 432/697-09				10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area		
4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description)			- ++	er "M" El Mar (Delaware)		
330' FSL & 330' FWL, Sec 19, T26S, R33E, NMPM Unit Letter "M"				Lea County, N.M.		
12. CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX(ES) TO INDICATE NATURE OF NOTICE,				REPORT, OR (	OTHER DATA	
TYPE OF SUBMISSION TYPE OF ACTION						
Notice of Intent	Acidize	Deepen		on (Start/Resume)	Water Shut-Off	
	Alter Casing	Fracture Treatme			Well Integrity	
Subsequent Report	Casing Repair	New Construction       Plug and Abandon		plete Other		
Final Abandonment Notice	Change Plans	Plug Back	Water D	-		
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 file within 30 days following completion of the involved operations. If the operation results in a mutiple 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.)						
Respectfully request Temporarity Abandoned status for this well. Due to recently increased EOR						
activity in the area, we wish to preserve this wellbore for future enhanced oil recovery operations.						
Expect to commence CO2 injection in 2008 or 2009.					DDDOVED	
					PPROVED	
Please see attached justification for TA status for further explanation						
Sahara proposes to perform integrity tests across all proposed TA wells in fie					AUG 3 1 2006	
Wellbore as follows:	5-1/2" casing @ 4702'			LES BABYAK PETROLEUM ENGINEER		
	Openhole 4702-4710'					
	CIBP @	) <b>4650'</b>			12 MONTH PERIOD	
If the certify that the foregoing is true and correct The APPROVED FOR 12 MONTH PEROD   Name (Printed/Typed) The APPROVED FOR 12 MONTH PEROD						
Name (Printed/Typed)	Almina		D 1	ENDING.		
Robert Mc			itle Presider	11		
Signature Date 7/6/2006						
THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE USE						
Approved by Conditions of approval, if any, are attached. Approval of this notice does not warrant or certify tha the applicant holds legal or equitable title to those rights in the subject lease which would entitle th applicant to conduct operations thereon.						
					Date	
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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