

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

OCD - Hobbs

FORM APPROVED
OMB NO. 1004-0137
Expires March 31, 2007

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

☒ Oil Well ☐ Gas Well ☐ Other

2. Name of Operator

Occidental Permian Limited Partnership Attn: Mark Stephens, Rm. 19.013

3a. Address

P.O. Box 4294, Houston, TX 77210-4294

3b. Phone No. (include area code)

(713) 366-5158

4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description)

2310' FSL x 990' FEL, Letter I, Sec. 30, T-18-S, R-38-E

5. Lease Serial No.

LC-032233(A)

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

7. If Unit or CA/Agreement, Name and/or No.

8. Well Name and No.

North Hobbs G/SA No. 431
Unit

9. API Well No.

30-025-07474

10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area

Hobbs; Grayburg-San Andres

11. County or Parish, State

Lea Co. NM

12. CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX(ES) TO INDICATE NATURE OF NOTICE, REPORT, OR OTHER DATA

TYPE OF SUBMISSION

☒ Notice of Intent☐ Subsequent Report☐ Final Abandonment Notice

TYPE OF ACTION

☐ Acidize☐ Alter Casing☐ Casing Repair☐ Change Plans☐ Convert to Injection☐ Deepen☐ Fracture Treat☐ New Construction☐ Plug and Abandon☐ Plug Back☐ Production (Start/Resume)☐ Reclamation☐ Recomplete☐ Temporarily Abandon☐ Water Disposal☐ Water Shut-Off☐ Well Integrity☒ Other Request

approval for TxA

status

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 recomple 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 recomple 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 final site is ready for final inspection.)

Occidental Permian Limited Partnership requests approval of temporary abandonment status for the subject well in accordance with BLM correspondence dated 6/26/06. Well No. 431 was temporarily abandoned in November, 2004, due to its close proximity to a CO2 injector. Approval of TxA status will allow the well to be available as a future replacement well if offset wells are permanently plugged and abandoned for mechanical reasons. Well No. 431 is scheduled for an MIT the week of August 14, and results of the testing will be submitted to the BLM's Hobbs Field Office.

APPROVED FOR 12 MONTH PERIOD
ENDING 8/18/07After 8/18/07 the well must be online
or plans to P & A must be submitted.14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct
Name (Printed/Typed)

Mark Stephens

Title

Regulatory Compliance Analyst

Date

8/10/06

THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE USE

Approved by

LES BABYAK (ORIG. SGD.)

Title

Petroleum Engineer

Date

10/16/06

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.

Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001, and Title 43 U.S.C. Section 1212, 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.

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