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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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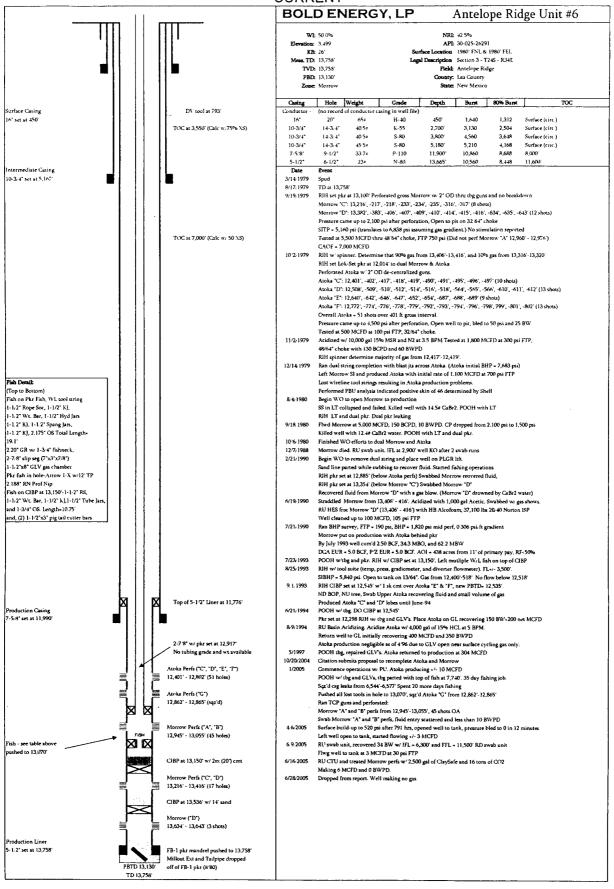
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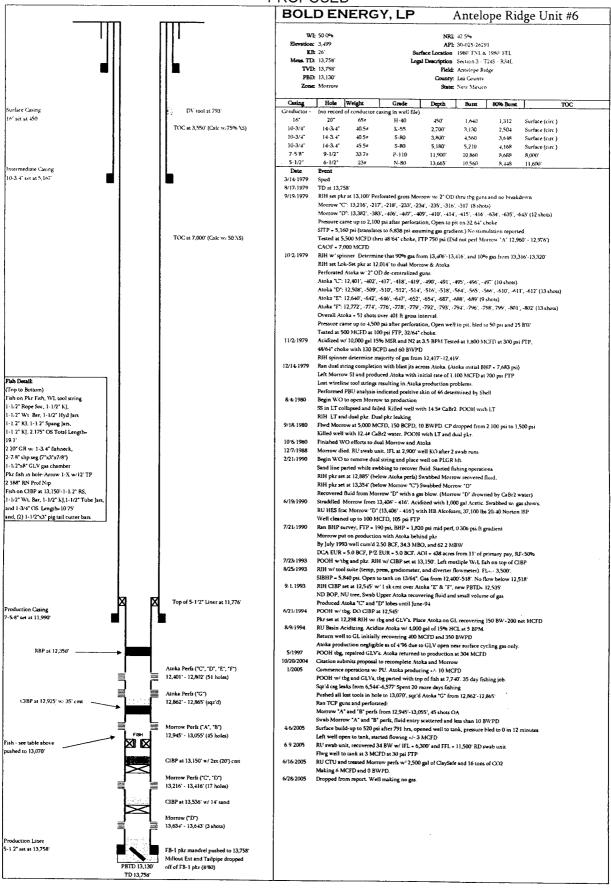
SUNDRY NOTICES AND	NM 0327106 If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name								
Do not use this form for propose abandoned well. Use Form 3160									
SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE- Other	7. If Unit or CA/Agreement, Name and/or No.								
1. Type of Well Gas Well Oth	891008492 NM 68289C DM								
2. Name of Operator BOLD ENERGY, LP	8. Well Name and No. Antelope Ridge Unit #6								
		9. API Well No. 30-025-26291							
3a Address 415 W. Wall, Suite 500 Midland, Texas 79701	3b. Phone No. (include area code) 432-686-1100	10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area							
4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Descrip	tion)	Antelope Ridge Morrow							
1980' FNL & 1980' FEL, Sec 3 - T24S - R34E		11. County or Parish, State							
		Lea County, New Mexico 2425262728							
) TO INDICATE NATURE OF NOTICE, 1	/ ^V							
TYPE OF SUBMISSION	TYPE OF ACTION								
✓ Notice of Intent	Deepen Production (S								
This casing	Fracture Treat Reclamation	Well Integrity Hobbs							
Subsequent Report Casing Repair Change Plans	New Construction ☐ Recomplete ☐ Plug and Abandon ☐ Temporarily A	Other OBD							
Final Abandonment Notice Convert to Injection									
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.) The subject well has been non-productive for over 12 months and is currently on the OCD's Inactive Well List. Bold Energy request approval to temporarily abandon this wellbore to allow time for further evaluation of potential up hole reserves. If approval is granted, the following procedure is expected to be implemented by April 9th, 200 FE ATTACHED FOR Current and planned wellbore diagrams attached. Notify BLM 24 hours prior to commencing Toperation India in part 18 purposes at 432-661-8803. MIRU service rig and steel pit. Bleed pressure off tubing and annulus. Use fresh water as necessary for well control. Check for pressure on all casing strings. Bleed pressure to containment and check for flow. Report any fluid recovery. ND tree. NU BOP. Release packer and POOH laying down 2-7/8" tubing. MIRU WL unit. Set CIBP at 12,225". Bail 35" of cement on CIBP. WL set RBP at 12,350". MIRU pump truck w/chart recorder with a maximum 2-hour clock and maximum 1000 ib spring. Notify BLM of scheduled mechanical integrity test and coordinate to have test witnessed. Open all casing valves. Load casing w/ fresh water and pressure test to 500 psi. An acceptable test will have no more than 10% pressure drop in 30 minutes. Send chart record signed by BLM representative to Bold Energy in Midland, attention Shannon Klier. Release casing pressure. ND BOP. NU tree. Release all equipment.									
14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct Name (Printed/Typed)	Tide O. Con P. I								
Shannon L. Klier	The Operations Engineer	Title Operations Engineering Manager							
Signature SULL	Date 3/14/07	APPROVED							
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Approved by Conditions of approval, if any, are attached. Approval of this r certify that the applicant holds legal or equitable title to those r which would entitle the applicant to conduct operations thereor Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001 and Title 43 U.S.C. Section 1212, ma	ights in the subject lease Office	DaMAR 2 2 2007 WESLEYW. INGRAM WESLEYW. ENGINEER							
States any false, fictitious or fraudulent statements or represent	ations as to anymatter within its jurisdiction.	to make to ranguiscourament or agency to the United							

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Temporary Abandonment of Wells on Federal Lands Conditions of Approval

A temporarily abandoned well is defined as a completion that is not capable of production in paying quantities but which may have value as a service well. Pursuant to 43 CFR 3162.3-4 (c), no well may be temporarily abandoned for more than 30 days without the prior approval of the authorized officer.

Temporary Abandonment (TA) status approval requires a successful mechanical or casing integrity test as follows:

- 1. A Notice of Intent (NOI) Sundry Notice (Form 3160-5) requesting approval to run a mechanical integrity test (MIT) or casing integrity test (CIT).
- 2. A description of the temporary abandonment procedure.
 - a. A bridge plug or packer must be installed as close to 50 feet above any open perforations or open hole as possible. If a cement plug is used, the top of the cement must be verified by tagging.
 - b. The wellbore must be filled with corrosion inhibited fluid and pressure tested to 500 psi. The casing shall be capable of holding this pressure for at least 30 minutes with a 10% allowable leakoff.
 - c. All downhole production/injection equipment (tubing, rods, etc.) shall be removed from the casing if they are not isolated by a packer.
 - d. A bradenhead test must be conducted. If the test indicates a problem exists, a remedial plan and time frame for remediation shall be submitted within ninety (90) days of the test.
 - e. Contact the appropriate BLM office at least 24 hours prior to the scheduled Casing Integrity Test. For wells in Eddy County, 505-361-2822; Lea County 505-393-3612.
- 3. Provides justification why the well should be temporarily abandoned rather than permanently plugged and abandoned and an estimated date that the well will be returned to beneficial use or plugged and abandoned.

Wells that successfully pass the casing integrity test will be approved for Temporary Abandonment (TA) status for a 12 month period provided that the operator:

- Submits a subsequent Sundry Notice (Form 3160-5) requesting TA approval.
- 2. Describes the temporary abandonment procedure.
- 3. Attaches a clear copy or the original of the pressure test chart.

The TA status could be extended for an additional 12 month period without another casing integrity test provided there was no leak-off during the test and the test was witnessed by a BLM representative. The operator must submit a sundry notice requesting an extension of TA status 30 days prior to expiration of the previous approval and appropriate justification for extending the TA status is included.

If the well does not pass the casing integrity test, then the operator shall within 30 days submit to BLM for approval one of the following:

- 1. A procedure to repair the casing so that a TA approval can be granted.
- 2. A procedure to plug and abandon the well.

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