

OCD-HOBBS
UNITED STATESDEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENTFORM APPROVED
OMB No. 1004-0137
Expires March 31, 2007

ATS-07-489

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL OR REENTER

Split Estate

1a. Type of work: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> DRILL <input type="checkbox"/> REENTER		5. Lease Serial No. NM 89872
1b. Type of Well: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oil Well <input type="checkbox"/> Gas Well <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> Single Zone <input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Zone		6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name
2. Name of Operator Range Operating New Mexico, Inc.		7. If Unit or CA Agreement, Name and No.
3a. Address 100 Throckmorton St., Ste. 1200 Fort Worth, TX 76102		8. Lease Name and Well No. Federal 1-17 #3
3b. Phone No. (include area code) 817-869-4216		9. API Well No. 30-025-38550
4. Location of Well (Report location clearly and in accordance with any State requirements *) At surface 1650' FSL & 2310' FWL At proposed prod. zone 1650' FSL & 2310' FWL		10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Blinbry-Tubb-Drinkard
11. Sec., T. R. M. or Blk. and Survey or Area Unit K, Sec. 17, T22S, R37E		12. County or Parish
13. State		
14. Distance in miles and direction from nearest town or post office* 12 miles SW from Eunice, NM	15. Distance from proposed* location to nearest property or lease line, ft (Also to nearest drig. unit line, if any) 1650	16. No. of acres in lease 40
17. Spacing Unit dedicated to this well 40	18. Distance from proposed location* to nearest well, drilling, completed, applied for, on this lease, ft	19. Proposed Depth 6900
20. BLM/BIA Bond No. on file	21. Elevations (Show whether DF, KDB, RT, GL, etc.) 3387	22. Approximate date work will start* 08/01/2007
23. Estimated duration 14 days	24. Attachments	

The following, completed in accordance with the requirements of Onshore Oil and Gas Order No.1, shall be attached to this form:

- Well plat certified by a registered surveyor.
- A Drilling Plan.
- A Surface Use Plan (if the location is on National Forest System Lands, the SUPO shall be filed with the appropriate Forest Service Office).
- Bond to cover the operations unless covered by an existing bond on file (see Item 20 above).
- Operator certification
- Such other site specific information and/or plans as may be required by the authorized officer.

25. Signature 	Name (Printed/Typed) Paula Hale	Date 07/16/2007
Title Sr. Reg. Sp.		
Approved by (Signature)	Name (Printed/Typed) CARLSBAD FIELD OFFICE	Date SEP 12 2007
Title FIELD MANAGER		

Application approval 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.

Conditions of approval, if any, are attached.

APPROVAL FOR TWO YEARS

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.

(Instructions on page 2)

SEE ATTACHED FOR
CONDITIONS OF APPROVALAPPROVAL SUBJECT TO
GENERAL REQUIREMENTS
AND SPECIAL STIPULATIONS
ATTACHED