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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT**OCD-HOBBS**FORM APPROVED
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HOBBS**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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oil Well <input type="checkbox"/> Gas Well <input type="checkbox"/> Other	7. If Unit or CA/Agreement, Name and/or No. Thompson Federal 19 //
2	Name of Operator Sahara Operating Company //	8. Well Name and No. Thompson Federal 19 #3 //
3a	Address P O. Box 4130, Midland, TX 79704	9. API Well No. 30 025 08267 //
3b	Phone No. (include area code) 432/697-0967	10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area North Mason (Delaware) //
4	Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T, R., M., or Survey Description) 660' FNL & 1980' FWL, Sec 19, T26S, R32E, NMPM Unit Letter "D" 660 //	11. County or Parish, State Lea County, N.M. //

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 checked="" 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 Treatment	<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 type="checkbox"/> Other _____
	<input type="checkbox"/> Change Plans	<input type="checkbox"/> Plug and Abandon	<input type="checkbox"/> Temporarily Abandon	
	<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, 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 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 not produced since October, 1999. Sahara wishes to resume production from this well as follows:

1. Test Casing
2. Repair casing if necessary
3. Place well back on production

We expect to complete this work within 90 days.

After 6-10-08 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)

Robert McAlpine

Title President

Signature

Date 03/04/2008

THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE USE

Approved by

Title

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.

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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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CARLSBAD FIELD OFFICE