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(April 2004)

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

SEP 26 2008

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

SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS

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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		5. Lease Serial No. LC-032096A
2. Name of Operator APACHE CORPORATION		6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name _____
3a. Address 6120 SOUTH YALE SUITE 1500 TULSA, OKLAHOMA 74136-4224	3b. Phone No. (include area code) 918-491-4954	7. If Unit or CA/Agreement, Name and/or No. _____
4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description) 990' FNL & 2375' FWL SECTION 27 T21S-R37E LEA CO. NM		8. Well Name and No. LOCKHART "A-27" # 23
		9. API Well No. 30-025-39114
		10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area EUNICE BLINERY TUBB DRINK.-NORTH
		11. County or Parish, State LEA CO. NEW MEXICO

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 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 Treat	<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 recompleat 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 recompleat 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.)

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2. APACHE CORPORATION also requests the approval to change the cementing on the surface casing as follows: Cement with 450 Sx. of Class "C" cement + 4% Bentonite + 3% Salt + 33/Sx LCM + 0.125#/Sx. Cello Flakes, Mix @ 13.5PPG. Yiled 1.77, circulate cement to surface.

14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct

Name (Printed/Typed)
Joe T. Janica

Title Permit Eng.

Signature

Date 09/17/08

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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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