

#### **UNITED STATES** DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

FORM APPROVED OMB NO. 1004-0135

Expires: July 31, 2010

APR 192010 HOBBSOCE	SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS on not use this form for proposals to drill or to re-enter an indoned well. Use form 3160-3 (APD) for such proposals.	•	Lease Serial No.     NMNM97164     If Indian, Allottee or Tribe
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6.	If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name	

SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE - Oti	7. If Unit or CA/Agreement, Name and/or No.	
I. Type of Well  ☐ Gas Well ☐ Other		8. Well Name and No. FEDERAL 24 04
	Contact: LINDA GOOD : linda.good@chk.com	9. API Well No. 30-025-34104-00-S4
3a. Address P O BOX 18496 OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73154-0496	3b. Phone No. (include area code) Ph: 405-935-4275	10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory E-WARREN Wildcat San Andres
4 Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Surve Sec 24 T20S R38E SESE 467FSL 660FEL	y Description)	II. County or Parish, and State  LEA COUNTY, NM
12. CHECK APPROPRIATE BO	OX(ES) TO INDICATE NATURE OF NOTIC	E, REPORT, OR OTHER DATA
TYPE OF SUBMISSION	ON	

TYPE OF SUBMISSION		ТҮРЕ С	OF ACTION	
Notice of Intent  Subsequent Report Final Abandonment Notice	☐ 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

Describe Proposed or Completed Operation (clearly state an 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 stimated starting date of any proposed work and approximate duration thereof determined that the site is ready for final inspection.)

Chesapeake, respectfully, requests permission to plug and abandon this well per the following procedure:

RECLAMATION PROCEDURE ATTACHED

- 1. Notify the BLM 24 hours in advance prior to commencing plug and abandonment operations.
- 2. Hold PJSA meeting prior to beginning work each morning and as required for specific operations.
- 3. Prep location. Check anchors and clean area for workover.
- 4. Rack and tally 199 joints of 2-7/8", 6.5#, N-80 Oil Dog workstring.
- 5. MIRU workover rig. ND WH. POH w/pump and rods.

## SEE ATTACHED FOR CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

14. Thereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct.  Electronic Submission #82938 verified by the BLM Well Information System  For CHESAPEAKE OPERATING INC, sent to the Hobbs  Committed to AFMSS for processing by CHERYLE RYAN on 03/24/2010 (10CMR0128SE)									
Name (Printed/Typed	LINDA GOOD	Title	SR. REGULATOR	Y CON	/PLIANCE	SPEC			
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Approved By CHRIS			PETROLEUM ENGIN	EER	APR	132	10 <sub>Date (</sub>	04/13/2	F
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.  Office Hobbs  BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT CARLED AD SILL DOES LOS						NT			
Fitle 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.									

#### Additional data for EC transaction #82938 that would not fit on the form

#### 32. Additional remarks, continued

- 6. NU and test 5k BOP. POH w/production tubing (laying down).
- 7. RIH w/workstring and spot a 35' cement plug on the CIBP @ 5,945'. WOC and tag plug. POH. (Top of Blinebry Perfs @ 6,045')
- 8. Fill well with plugging mud and pressure up to 500# to test for leak off.
- 9. RU wireline and set a 5-1/2" CIBP @ +/- 4,300'. RIH w/workstring and spot a 35' cement plug on top of the CIBP @ +/- 4,300'. PUH, WOC and tag plug. (Top of San Andres Perfs @ 4,326')
- 10. Spot a 100' (25 sxs minimum) cement plug @ 1,636'. PUH, WOC and tag plug. (9-5/8" Casing Shoe @ 1,586')
- 11. RIH to 71' and spot a cement plug to surface. Top off casing. POH.
- 12. RDMO. Install dry hole marker and cut off dead man. Restore location.

(CHK PN 890129)



#### FEDERAL 4-24

Field:

Blinebry

County: State:

LEA **NEW MEXICO** 

Location: Elevation:

GL 3,567.00

KB 3,578.00

KB Height: 11.00

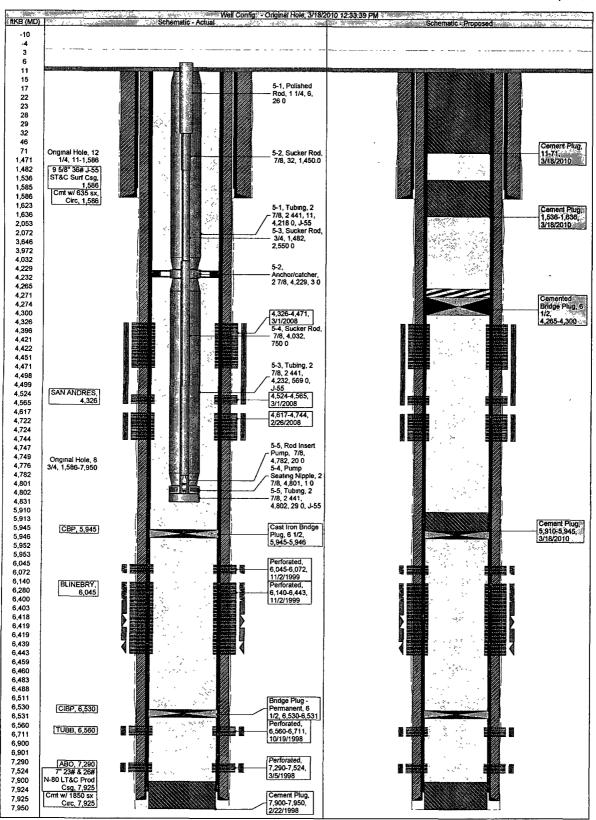
SEC 24, 20S-38E, 467 FSL & 660 FEL

Initial Compl. Date: API #: 3002534104 CHK Propterty #: 890129 1st Prod Date: 3/16/1998 PBTD: Original Hole - 5945.0

TD: 7,950.0

Ty 18 40'
Top yates 2900'

Spud Date: 2/5/1998





# Federal #4-24 Plug and Abandonment <u>Lea County, NM</u>

#### **Current Wellbore Information**

TD: 7,950' PBTD: 5,945'

**Casing Data** 

Surface	9-5/8"	36#	J-55	1,586'	Surface
Production		23# & 26#	N-80	7.925'	Surface
Casing	OD	Weight	Grade	Depth Set	тос

#### **Pressure and Dimensional Data**

Size	Weight	Grade	Drift	Collapse	Burst	80% Burst
9-5/8"	36#	J-55	8.765	2,020	3,520	2,816
7"	23# & 26#	N-80	6.241	3,830	6,340	5,072

**Existing Perforations** 

Perfs	Top Perf	Bottom Perf	Status
San Andres	4,326'	4,471'	Open
San Andres	4,524'	4,565'	Open
San Andres	4,617'	4,744'	Open
Blinebry	6,045'	6,072'	Abandoned
Blinebry	6,140'	6,443'	Abandoned
Tubb	6,560'	6,711'	Abandoned
Abo	7,290'	7,524'	Abandoned

#### Other In Hole

OIH Size Location					
CIBP	5-1/2"	5,945'			
CIBP	5-1/2"	6,530'			

**Formation Tops** 

Formation	Location
T. San Andres	4,310'
T. Glorieta	5,590'
T. Blinebry	6,024'
T. Tubb	6,554'
T. Drinkard	6,922'
T. Abo	7,290'

GL: 3,567' KB: 11' KB Height: 3,578'

#### **Procedure**

- 1. Notify the BLM 24 hours in advance prior to commencing plug and abandonment operations.
- Hold PJSA meeting prior to beginning work each morning and as required for specific operations.
- 3. Prep location. Check anchors and clean area for workover.
- 4. Rack and tally 199 joints of 2-7/8", 6.5#, N-80 Oil Dog workstring.
- 5. MIRU workover rig. ND WH. POH w/ pump and rods.
- 6. NU and test 5k BOP. POH w/ production tubing (laying down).

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- 7. RIH w/ workstring and spot a 35' cement plug on the CIBP @ 5,945'. WOC and tag plug. POH. (Top of Blinebry Perfs @ 6,045')
- 8. Fill well with plugging mud and pressure up to 500# to test for leak off.
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- 12. RDMO. Install dry hole marker and cut off dead man. Restore location.

#### **Contacts**

Production Foreman Greg Skiles Office: 575-391-1462 Cell: 575-631-1663

Asset Manager Kim Henderson Office: 405-935-8583 Cell: 405-312-1840

# Federal 24 #4 30-025-34104 Chesapeake Operating Inc. April 2, 2010 Conditions of Approval

#### **Plugging Procedure:**

- 1-6. Ok. (Wolfcamp perfs)
- 7. Either bail 35' of cement or spot 25 sx of cement on the top of the CIBP at 5,945'.
- 8. Ok.
  - a. Spot a 25 sx plug at 5,640', plug to be a minimum of 155' in length. (Glorieta)
- 9. Set CIBP at 4,226'-4276' and either bail 35' of cement or spot 25 sx of cement on the top of the CIBP.
  - a. Spot a 25 sx plug at 2,950'. WOC and tag no shallower than 2,820'. (Top of Yates/ base of salt)
  - b. Spot a 25 sx plug at 1,890'. WOC and tag no shallower than 1,770'. (Top of salt)
- 10. Plug to be a minimum of 120' in length otherwise, ok. (Surface shoe)
- 11. Ok.
- 12. Ok.

See attached standard Conditions of Approval

This location warrants a ground level dry hole marker, see attached conditions.

CRW 040210

#### **BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT**

Carlsbad Field Office 620 East Greene Street Carlsbad, New Mexico 88220 575-234-5972

#### Permanent Abandonment of Federal Wells Conditions of Approval

Failure to comply with the following Conditions of Approval may result in a Notice of Incidents of Noncompliance (INC) in accordance with 43 CFR 3163.1.

1. Plugging operations shall commence within <u>ninety (90)</u> days from the approval date of this Notice of Intent to Abandon.

If you are unable to plug the well by the 90<sup>th</sup> day provide this office, prior to the 90<sup>th</sup> day, with the reason for not meeting the deadline and a date when we can expect the well to be plugged. Failure to do so will result in enforcement action.

The rig used for the plugging procedure cannot be released and moved off without the prior approval of the authorized officer. Failure to do so may result in enforcement action.

- 2. <u>Notification:</u> Contact the appropriate BLM office at least 24 hours prior to the commencing of any plugging operations. For wells in Chaves and Roosevelt County, call 575-627-0272; Eddy County, call 575-361-2822; Lea County, call 575-393-3612.
- 3. <u>Blowout Preventers</u>: A blowout preventer (BOP), as appropriate, shall be installed before commencing any plugging operation. The BOP must be installed and maintained as per API and manufacturer recommendations. The minimum BOP requirement is a 2M system for a well not deeper than 9,090 feet; a 3M system for a well not deeper than 13,636 feet; and a 5M system for a well not deeper than 22,727 feet.
- 4. <u>Mud Requirement:</u> Mud shall be placed between all plugs. Minimum consistency of plugging mud shall be obtained by mixing at the rate of 25 sacks (50 pounds each) of gel per 100 barrels of **brine** water. Minimum nine (9) pounds per gallon.
- 5. <u>Cement Requirement</u>: Sufficient cement shall be used to bring any required plug to the specified depth and length. Any given cement volumes on the proposed plugging procedure are merely estimates and are not final. Unless specific approval is received, no plug except the surface plug shall be less than 25 sacks of cement. In lieu of a cement plug in a cased hole, a bridge plug set within 50 feet to 100 feet above the perforations shall be capped with 25 sacks of cement. If a bailer is used to cap this plug, 35 feet of cement shall be sufficient. Any plug that requires a tag will have a minimum WOC time of 4 hours.

Unless otherwise specified in the approved procedure, the cement plug shall consist of either Neat Class "C", for up to 7,500 feet of depth or Neat Class "H", for deeper than 7,500 feet plugs.

- 6. <u>Dry Hole Marker</u>: All casing shall be cut-off at the base of the cellar or 3 feet below final restored ground level (whichever is deeper). The well bore shall then be capped with a 4-inch pipe, 10-feet in length, 4 feet above ground and embedded in cement. The following information shall be permanently inscribed on the dry hole marker: well name and number, name of the operator, lease serial number, surveyed location (quarter-quarter section, section, township and range or other authorized survey designation acceptable to the authorized officer such as metes and bounds).
- 7. <u>Subsequent Plugging Reporting:</u> Within 30 days after plugging work is completed, file one original and five copies of the Subsequent Report of Abandonment, Form 3160-5 to BLM. The report should give in detail the manner in which the plugging work was carried out, the extent (by depths) of cement plugs placed, and the size and location (by depths) of casing left in the well. **Show date well was plugged.**
- 8. <u>Trash:</u> All trash, junk and other waste material shall be contained in trash cages or bins to prevent scattering and will be removed and deposited in an approved sanitary landfill. Burial on site is not permitted.

Following the submission and approval of the Subsequent Report of Abandonment, surface restoration will be required. See attached reclamation procedure.

DHW 111109



### **United States Department of the Interior**

#### **BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT**

Carlsbad Field Office 620 E. Greene St. Carlsbad, New Mexico 88220-6292 www.blm.gov/nm



In Reply Refer To: 1310

#### **Reclamation Objectives and Procedures**

Reclamation Objective: Oil and gas development is one of many uses of the public lands and resources. While development may have a short- or long-term effect on the land, successful reclamation can ensure the effect is not permanent. During the life of the development, all disturbed areas not needed for active support of production operations should undergo "interim" reclamation in order to minimize the environmental impacts of development on other resources and uses. At final abandonment, well locations, production facilities, and access roads must undergo "final" reclamation so that the character and productivity of the land and water are restored.

The long-term objective of final reclamation is to set the course for eventual ecosystem restoration, including the restoration of the natural vegetation community, hydrology, and wildlife habitats. In most cases this means returning the land to a condition approximating or equal to that which existed prior to the disturbance. The final goal of reclamation is to restore the character of the land and water to its predisturbance condition. The operator is generally not responsible for achieving full ecological restoration of the site. Instead, the operator must achieve the short-term stability, visual, hydrological, and productivity objectives of the surface management agency and take steps necessary to ensure that long-term objectives will be reached through natural processes.

To achieve these objectives, remove any and all contaminants, scrap/trash, equipment, pipelines and powerlines. Strip and remove caliche, contour the location to blend with the surrounding landscape, redistribute the native soils, provide erosion control as needed, rip and seed as specified in the original APD COA. This will apply to well pads, facilities, and access roads. Barricade access road at the starting point. If reserve pits have not reclaimed due to salts or other contaminants, submit a plan for approval, as to how you propose to provide adequate restoration of the pit area.

- The Application for Permit to Drill or Reenter (APD, Form 3160-3), Surface Use Plan of
  Operations must include adequate measures for stabilization and reclamation of disturbed lands.
  Oil and Gas operators must plan for reclamation, both interim and final, up front in the APD
  process as per Onshore Oil and Gas Order No. 1.
- 2. For wells and/or access roads not having an approved plan, or an inadequate plan for surface reclamation (either interim or final reclamation), the operator must submit a proposal describing the procedures for reclamation. For interim reclamation, the appropriate time for submittal would be when filing the Well Completion or Recompletion Report and Log (Form 3160-4). For final reclamation, the appropriate time for submittal would be when filing the Notice of Intent, or the Subsequent Report of Abandonment, Sundry Notices and Reports on Wells (Form 3160-5). Interim reclamation is to be completed within 6 months of well completion, and final reclamation is to be completed within 6 months of well abandonment.
- 3. The operator must file a Subsequent Report Plug and Abandonment (Form 3160-5) following the plugging of a well.
- 4. Previous instruction had you waiting for a BLM specialist to inspect the location and provide you with reclamation requirements. If you have an approved Surface Use Plan of Operation and/or an approved Sundry Notice, you are free to proceed with reclamation as per approved APD. If you have issues or concerns, contact a BLM specialist to assist you. It would be in your interest to have a BLM specialist look at the location and access road prior to the removal of reclamation

equipment to ensure that it meets BLM objectives. Upon conclusion submit a Form 3160-5, Subsequent Report of Reclamation. This will prompt a specialist to inspect the location to verify work was completed as per approved plans.

- 5. The approved Subsequent Report of Reclamation will be your notice that the native soils, contour and seedbed have been reestablished. If the BLM objectives have not been met the operator will be notified and corrective actions may be required.
- 6. It is the responsibility of the operator to monitor these locations and/or access roads until such time as the operator feels that the BLM objective has been met. If after two growing seasons the location and/or access roads are not showing the potential for successful revegetation, additional actions may be needed. When you feel the BLM objectives have been met submit a Final Abandonment Notice (FAN), Form 3160-5, stating that all reclamation requirements have been achieved and the location and/or access road is ready for a final abandonment inspection.
- 7. At this time the BLM specialist will inspect the location and/or access road. If the native soils and contour have been restored, and the revegetation is successful, the FAN will be approved, releasing the operator of any further liability of the location and/or access road. If the location and/or access road have not achieved the objective, you will be notified as to additional work needed or additional time being needed to achieve the objective.

If there are any questions, please feel free to contact any of the following specialists:

Jim Amos Supervisory Environmental Protection Specialist 575-234-5909, 575-361-2648 (Cell)

Terry Gregston Environmental Protection Specialist 575-234-5958

Bobby Ballard Environmental Protection Specialist 575-234-2230

Randy Rust Environmental Protection Specialist 575-234-5943

Linda Denniston Environmental Protection Specialist 575-234-5974

Jennifer Van Curen Environmental Protection Specialist 575-234-5905

Justin Frye Environmental Protection Specialist 575-234-5922 Cody Layton Natural Resource Specialist 575-234-5959

Trishia Bad Bear Natural Resource Specialist 575-393-3612

Todd Suter Surface Protection Specialist 575-234-5987

Doug Hoag Civil Engineering Technician 575-234-5979

# Requirements for ground level dry hole markers <u>Well Identification Markers</u> Conditions of Approval (COA)

The BLM Carlsbad Field Office (CFO) Conditions of Approval (COA) Requires that ground level dry hole markers be placed on well within the Lesser Prairie Chicken habitat area. The dry hole markers will be to the following specifications. The operator will construct the markers as follows:

- 1. An 8 inch X 8 inch steel plate 1/8 to 3/16 of an inch thick is to be placed on the old dry hole marker stand pipe 2 inches from ground level, in the Lesser Prairie Chicken habitat area.
- 2. Steel plate may be welded or bolted approximately 2 inches from ground level on the stand pipes. If plates are bolted to the stand pipe, the person installing the plate will be required to weld a pipe collar on the plate and place a minimum of two set screws/bolt on each collar. Aluminum data plates may be bolted with minimum ¼ inch bolt and locking nuts or self tapping fine threaded screws. A minimum of one in each corner is to be installed on each plate.
- 3. An 8 inch x 8 inch aluminum plate, which is 12 gauge or .080 sign material (1/8 inch aluminum plate may be used in place of the .080 plate) with the required information for that well stamped or engraved in a minimum 3/8 inch tall letter or number.
- 4. The following information will be stamped or engraved on the 8 inch X 8 inch aluminum plate in the following order.
  - a. First row: Operators name
  - b. Second row: Well name and number
  - c. Third row: Legal location to include ¼ ¼, Section, Township, and range. If the legal location cannot be placed on one row it can be split into two rows with the ¼ ¼ (example: 1980 FNL 1980 FWL) being on the top row.
  - d. Fourth row: Lease Number and API number.
    - i. Example marker plate: (attached)

NMOCD Order No. R-12965 also required the operator to notify NMOCD when this type of dry hole marker is used. This can be done on the subsequent report of abandonment which is submitted to the BLM after the well is plugged. State that a ground level dry hole marker was installed as required in the COA's from the BLM.