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(August 7 OCD-HORRS FORM APPROVED (August 2007) 1 4 2010 UNITED STATES OMB No. 1004-0137 HOBBSOC BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT Expires: July 31, 2010 Lease Serial No. NMLC-029512C SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS 6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name Do not use this form for proposals to drill or to re-enter an N/A abandoned well. Use Form 3160-3 (APD) for such proposals. 7. If Unit of CA/Agreement, Name and/or No. SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE - Other instructions on page 2. 1. Type of Well 8. Well Name and No Oil Well X Gas Well Other linagua 18 Federal 2 2. Name of Operator 9. API Well No. LINN Operating, Inc. 30-025-32694 3a. Address 600 Travis, Suite 5100 3b. Phone No. (include area code) 10. Field and Pool or Exploratory Area (281) 840-4266 Quail Ridge; Morrow (Gas) Houston, TX 77002 4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description) 11. Country or Parish, State Lea County, NM FSL & 2171' FEL 18-20s-34e, NMPM 2041' 12. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX(ES) TO INDICATE NATURE OF NOTICE, REPORT OR OTHER DATA TYPE OF SUBMISSION TYPE OF ACTION Acidize Deepen Production (Start/Resume) Water Shut-Off Notice of Intent Alter Casing Fracture Treat Reclamation Well Integrity New Construction X Other Casing Repair Recomplete X Subsequent Report Change of Operator Change Plans Plug and Abandon Temporarily Abandon Final Abandonment Notice Plug Back Convert to Injection 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 must 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 must be filed once testing has been completed. Final Abandonment Notices must 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 undersigned accepts all applicable terms, conditions, stipulations, and restrictions concerning operations conducted on the leased land or portions thereof, as described above. Nationwide BLM Bond: NMB-000501 Effective date: 2/1/10 charof op. effective 1/1/09 cc: Fitzwater 14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct. Name (Printed/Typed) BRIAN WOOD CONSULTANT (505) 466-8120 Title 10-4-10 Signature Date THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE USE Approved by OCT 1 4 2010 iretroleum engineer 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 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)