

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

FORM APPROVED
OMB No. 1004-0137
Expires: July 31, 2010

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.

5. Lease Serial No.
NMNM12412

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE – Other instructions on page 2.

7. If Unit of CA/Agreement, Name and/or No.

1. Type of Well

Oil Well Gas Well Other

8. Well Name and No.
See Attached (Southeast Lusk 27)

2. Name of Operator
Apache Corporation

9. API Well No.
See Attached

3a. Address
303 Veterans Airpark Lane, Suite 3000
Midland, TX 79705

3b. Phone No. (include area code)
432/818-1062

10. Field and Pool or Exploratory Area
See Attached

4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description)
See Attached

11. Country or Parish, State
Lea Co., NM

12. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX(ES) TO INDICATE NATURE OF NOTICE, REPORT OR OTHER DATA

TYPE OF SUBMISSION	TYPE OF ACTION			
<input 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 checked="" 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <u>Change of Operator</u>
	<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 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.)

As required by 43 CFR 3100.0-5(a) and 43 CFR 3162.3, we are notifying you of a change of operator on the above referenced lease.

Apache Corporation as new operator, accepts all applicable terms, conditions, stipulations, and restrictions concerning operations conducted on the lease portion of lease described.

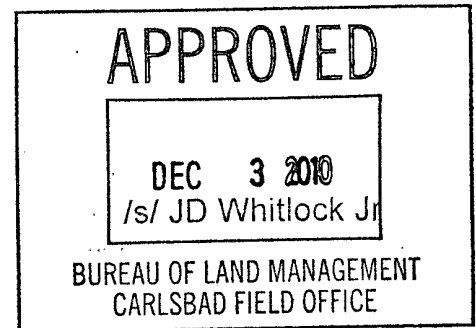
Apache Corporation meets federal bonding requirements as follows (43 CFR 3104):

Bond Coverage: Individually Bonded
BLM Bond File No.: CO1463 / 6166312

Effective Date: December 1, 2010

See Attached

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14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct. Name (Printed/Typed)

Reesa Holland

Title Sr. Engr Tech

Signature

Reesa Holland

Date 11/30/2010

THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE USE

Approved by

PETROLEUM ENGINEER

DEC 09 2010

Title

Date

Office

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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)

API	Well Name	Well Number	Type	Lease	Status	Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	OCD Unit Letter	Spud Date	Current Operator
✓ 30-025-38678	SOUTHEAST LUSK 27 FEDERAL	#001	Oil	Federal	Active New (Not Drilled or	N	27	19S	32E	N	8/21/2008 [224400]	EDGE PETROLEUM OPERATING COMPANY, INC.
✓ 30-025-39464	SOUTHEAST LUSK 27 FEDERAL	#002	Oil	Federal	Completed) New (Not Drilled or	M	27	19S	32E	M	[224400]	EDGE PETROLEUM OPERATING COMPANY, INC.
✓ 30-025-39483	SOUTHEAST LUSK 27 FEDERAL	#003	Oil	Federal	Completed)	O	27	19S	32E	O	[224400]	EDGE PETROLEUM OPERATING COMPANY, INC.
✓ 30-025-39465	SOUTHEAST LUSK 27 FEDERAL	#004	Oil	Federal	Active New (Not Drilled or	K	27	19S	32E	K	5/4/2010 [224400]	EDGE PETROLEUM OPERATING COMPANY, INC.
✓ 30-025-39456	SOUTHEAST LUSK 27 FEDERAL	#005	Oil	Federal	Completed)	L	27	19S	32E	L	[224400]	EDGE PETROLEUM OPERATING COMPANY, INC.