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BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS

Do not use this form for proposals to drill or to deepen or reentry to a different reservoir.
Use "APPLICATION FOR PERMIT—" for such proposals

SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE

1. Type of Well
☒ Oil Well ☐ Gas Well ☐ Other

2. Name of Operator

3. Address and Telephone No.
CONOCO, Inc.

4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description):
10 Desta Dr. Ste 100W, Midland, TX 79705

1980' FNL & 1965' FEL
Sec. 23, T-17S, R-32E

5. Lease Designation and Serial No.

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name
LC 058498B

7. If Unit or CA, Agreement Designation

8. Well Name and No.

MCA Unit No. 33

9. API Well No.

30-025-00655

10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area

11. County or Parish, State
Maljamar Grayburg-SA

Lea

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

TYPE OF SUBMISSION

- ☒ Notice of Intent
☐ Subsequent Report
☐ Final Abandonment Notice

TYPE OF ACTION

- ☐ Abandonment
☐ Recompletion
☐ Plugging Back
☐ Casing Repair
☐ Altering Casing
☒ Other Casing Integrity Test
☐ Change of Plans
☐ New Construction
☐ Non-Routine Fracturing
☐ Water Shut-Off
☐ Conversion to Injection
☐ Dispose Water

13. Describe Proposed or Completed Operations (Clearly state all pertinent details, and give pertinent dates, including estimated date of starting any proposed work. If well is directionally drilled, give subsurface locations and measured and true vertical depths for all markers and zones pertinent to this work.)

It is proposed to perform the following operations in order to prepare this well for temporary abandonment:

1. POOH with production equipment.
2. Set a cement retainer at 3450'.
3. Circulate packer fluid to surface.
4. Notify the Carlsbad Blm Office 24 hrs. in advance of performing the pressure test.
5. Pressure test casing to 500 psig for 30 minutes.

This well will be recommended for temporary abandonment due to non-utility in the current waterflood. Wellbore access should be preserved due to uphole potential in the Queen formation.

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

Signed Joe G. Lara

Title Sr. Conservation Coordinator

Date 6/7/94

(This space for Federal or State office use)

Approved by (ORIG. SGD.) JOE G. LARA

Title PETROLEUM ENGINEER

Date 7/5/94

Conditions of approval, if any:

See attached.

BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT
CARLSBAD RESOURCE AREA

Temporary Abandonment of Wells on Federal Lands

Conditions of Approval

According to 43 CFR 3162.3-4-c, " No well may be temporarily abandoned for more than 30 days without the prior approval of the authorized officer".

Temporary Abandonment (TA) status approval requires a successful casing integrity test as follows:

1. Contact the appropriate BLM office at least 24 hours prior to the scheduled Casing Integrity Test. For wells in Eddy County call (505) 887-6544 ; for wells in Lea County call (505) 393-3612.
2. A bridge plug or packer shall be set at a maximum of 50 feet above any open perforations or open hole.
3. All downhole production/injection equipment (tubing, rods, etc.) shall be removed from the casing if they are not isolated by a packer.
4. The production casing shall be filled with corrosion inhibited fluid and pressure tested to 500 psi. The casing shall be capable of holding this pressure for at least 30 minutes with a 10% allowable leak-off.

Wells that successfully pass the casing integrity test will be approved for Temporary Abandonment (TA) status for 12 months provided that the operator:

1. Submits a subsequent Sundry Notice requesting TA approval,
2. Attaches a clear copy or the original of the pressure test chart,
3. And attaches a detailed justification why the well should not be plugged and abandoned.

The TA status could be extended without another casing integrity test provided there was no leak-off during the test.

If the well does not pass the casing integrity test, then the operator shall within 30 days submit to BLM for approval one of the following:

1. A procedure to repair the casing so that a TA approval can be granted.
2. A procedure to plug and abandon the well.