

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

N.M. - Cons. Division
P.O. Box 1980
Hobbs, NM 88241

FORM APPROVED
Budget Bureau No. 1004-0135
Expires: September 30, 1990

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 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oil Well <input type="checkbox"/> Gas Well <input type="checkbox"/> Other	5. Lease Designation and Serial No. LC067230
2. Name of Operator Merit Energy Company	6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name
3. Address and Telephone No. 12222 Merit Drive, Suite 1500, Dallas, Texas 75251	7. If Unit or CA, Agreement Designation
4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description) Sec. 3-T19S-R32E NW SE 1980/5 + 1730/E	8. Well Name and No. Federal 3 #2
	9. API Well No. 30-025-25701
	10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area Lusk Bone Springs
	11. County or Parish, State LEA

12. CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX(s) 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"/> Abandonment
<input type="checkbox"/> Subsequent Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Recompletion
<input type="checkbox"/> Final Abandonment Notice	<input type="checkbox"/> Plugging Back
	<input type="checkbox"/> Casing Repair
	<input type="checkbox"/> Altering Casing
	<input type="checkbox"/> Other
	<input type="checkbox"/> Change of Plans
	<input type="checkbox"/> New Construction
	<input type="checkbox"/> Non-Routine Fracturing
	<input type="checkbox"/> Water Shut-Off
	<input type="checkbox"/> Conversion to Injection
	Request for TA Status
	(Note: Report results of multiple completion on Well Completion or Recompletion Report and Log form.)

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.)

MERIT ENERGY COMPANY RESPECTFULLY REQUEST A ONE YEAR EXTENSION TO OUR TA STATUS FOR THE ABOVE REFERENCED WELL. WE ARE CURRENTLY EVALUATING UPHOLE POTENTIAL AND WILL EITHER SCHEDULE WORKOVER TO BRING THIS WELL BACK ON PRODUCTION OR WILL PLUG AND ABANDON DURING OUR PLANNED PROGRAM FOR 1997.

APPROVED *12 MONTH PERIOD*
ENDING *FEB 20 1997*

RECEIVED
FEB 13 12 34 PM '97
BUREAU OF LAND MGMT
HOBBS, NM

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

Signed *David R. Glass* Title Manager, Regulatory Affairs Date 2/11/97

(This space for Federal or State official use)
ORIG. SGT. DAVID R. GLASS

Approved by PETROLEUM ENGINEER Date FEB 20 1997

Conditions of approval, if any:

This is the last TA extension that will be approved without another casing integrity test.

Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001, makes 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 statement or representations as to any matter within its jurisdiction

*See instruction on Reverse Side