

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

N.M. OIL CONS. COMMISSION
P.C. BOX 1980
HOBBS NEW MEXICO 88240
FORM 3160-5
Bureau No. 1004-0135
Expires: March 31, 1993

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. NM 81633
2. Name of Operator MERIDIAN OIL INC.	6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name
3. Address and Telephone No. P.O. Box 51810, Midland, TX 79710-1810 915-688-6943	7. If Unit or CA, Agreement Designation
4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description) 1980' FNL & 990' FWL SEC. 23, T22S, R32E	8. Well Name and No. CHECKERBOARD 23 NO. 10 FEDERAL
	9. API Well No. 30-025-32627
	10. Field and Pool, or exploratory Area WEST RED TANK DELAWARE
	11. County or Parish, State LEA NM

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

TYPE OF SUBMISSION	TYPE OF ACTION
<input type="checkbox"/> Notice of Intent	<input type="checkbox"/> Abandonment
<input checked="" 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other SET CSG(S)
	<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
	<input type="checkbox"/> 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.)*

10/9/94: SPUD. DRLD A 17 1/2" HOLE TO 850'. RAN 19 JTS OF 13 3/8" 48# H-40 STC CSG AND SET @ 850'. USED 5 CENTRALIZERS. CMTED W/LEAD: 600 SXS 'C' + 2% CACL2 + 4% GEL + .25 PPS FLOCELE, TAIL W/200 SXS 'C' + 2% CACL2 + 2% FLOCELE. CIRC TO SURF. WOC 16.75 HRS.

DRLD A 12 1/4" HOLE TO 4573'. RAN 101 JTS 28#/32# K-55 CSG AND SET @ 4573'. USED 15 CENTRALIZERS. CMTED W/2 STAGES: 1ST STAGE: LEAD W/560 SXS 'C' + 9 PPS SALT + .25 PPS FLOCELE + 5 PPS GILSONITE + 1 PPS ECONOLITE, TAIL W/250 SXS 'C' + 2% CACL2. 2ND STAGE: LEAD W/775 SXS 'C' + 9 PPS SALT + .25 PPS FLOCELE, TAIL W/200 SXS 'C' + 2% CACL2. CIRC TO SURF. WOC 16.50 HRS.

DRLD A 7 7/8" HOLE TO 8904'. RAN 204 JTS OF 5 1/2" 17# CSG AND SET @ 8904'. USED 16 CENTRALIZERS. DV TOOL @ 7006'. CMTED W/540 SXS 50/50 POZ 'H' + 2% GEL + 6% HALAD-9 + 3 PPS KCL + .25 PPS FLOCELE, TAIL W/755 SXS 'H' LITE + 6% GEL + .40 HALAD-9, 2ND STAGE: 100 SXS 'H' NEAT. TOC @ 2700' (TS). WOC 8 DAYS.

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

Signed [Signature] Title REGULATORY ASSISTANT

Date 12/5/94

(This space for Federal or State office use)

Approved by _____ Title _____
Conditions of approval, if any:

ACCEPTED FOR RECORD

[Signature]
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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 statements or representations as to any matter within its jurisdiction.

* See Instruction on Reverse Side

CARLSBAD, NEW MEXICO

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

This form is designed for submitting proposals to perform certain well operations, and reports of such operations when completed, as indicated, on Federal and Indian lands pursuant to applicable Federal law and regulations, and, if approved or accepted by any State, on all lands in such State, pursuant to applicable State law and regulations. Any necessary special instructions concerning the use of this form and the number of copies to be submitted, particularly with regard to local area, or regional procedures and practices, either are shown below or will be issued by, or may be obtained from, the local Federal and/or State office.

SPECIFIC INSTRUCTIONS

Item 4 - If there are no applicable State requirements, locations on Federal or Indian land should be described in accordance with Federal requirements. Consult local State or Federal office for specific instructions.

Item 13 - Proposals to abandon a well and subsequent reports of abandonment should include such special information as is required by local Federal and/or State offices. In addition, such proposals and reports should include reasons for the abandonment; data on any former or present productive zones, or other zones with present significant fluid contents not sealed off by cement or otherwise; depths (top and bottom) and method of placement of cement plugs; mud or other material placed below, between and above plugs; amount, size, method of parting of any casing, liner or tubing pulled and the depth to top of any left in the hole; method of closing top of well; and date well site conditioned for final inspection looking to approval of the abandonment.

NOTICE

The Privacy Act of 1974 and the regulation in 43 CFR 2.48(d) provide that you be furnished the following information in connection with information required by this application.

AUTHORITY: 30 U.S.C. 181 et seq., 351 et. seq., 25 U.S.C. et. seq.; 43 CFR 3160.

PRINCIPAL PURPOSE - The information is to be used to evaluate, when appropriate, approve applications, and report completion of secondary well operation, on a Federal or Indian lease.

ROUTINE USES:

- (1) Evaluate the equipment and procedures used during the proposed or completed subsequent well operations.
- (2) Request and grant approval to perform those actions covered by 43 CFR 3162.3-2(2).
- (3) Analyze future applications to drill or modify operations in light of data obtained and methods used.
- (4)(5) Information from the record and/or the record will be transferred to appropriate Federal, State, local or foreign agencies, when relevant to civil, criminal or regulatory investigations or prosecutions.

EFFECT OF NOT PROVIDING INFORMATION - Filing of this notice and report and disclosure of the information is mandatory once an oil or gas well is drilled.

The Paperwork Reduction Act of 1980 (44 U.S.C. 3501 et seq.) requires us to inform you that:

This information is being collected in order to evaluate proposed and/or completed subsequent well operations on Federal or Indian oil and gas leases.

This information will be used to report subsequent operations once work is completed and when requested, to obtain approval for subsequent operations not previously authorized.

Response to this request is mandatory only for the specific types of activities specified in 43 CFR Part 3160.

BURDEN HOURS STATEMENT

Public reporting burden for this form is estimated to average 25 minutes per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, gathering and maintaining data, and completing and reviewing the form. Direct comments regarding the burden estimate or any other aspect of this form to U.S. Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management, (Alternate) Bureau Clearance Officer, (WO-771), 18 and C Streets, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20240, and the Office of Management and Budget, Paperwork Reduction Project (1004-0135), Washington, D.C. 20503.

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