Form 3160-5 (June 1990)

## UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR 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		Lease Designation and Serial No.     LC 032104     If Indian, Alottee or Tribe Name	
1. Type of Well: OIL GAS WELL OTHER		8. Well Name and Number BLINEBRY, A. H. FEDERAL NCT-1	
Name of Operator     TEXACO EXPLORATION & PRODUCTION INC.		10	
3. Address and Telephone No. P.O. BOX 730, HOBBS, NM 88240 397-0426		9. API Well No.	
4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description)		30 025 12142	
Unit Letter D : 660 Feet From The NORTH Line and 660 Feet From The		10. Field and Pool, Exploaratory Area BRUNSON SAN ANDRES, EAST	
WEST Line Section 20	Township 22S Range 38E	11. County or Parish, State  LEA , NEW MEXICO	
12. Check Appropriate	Box(s) To Indicate Nature of Notice, Re	port. or Other Data	
TYPE OF SUBMISSION		YPE OF ACTION	
	Abandonment	Change of Plans	
	Recompletion	New Construction	
Notice of Intent	Plugging Back	Non-Routine Fracturing	
Subsequent Report	Casing Repair	Water Shut-Off	
Final Abandonment Notice	Atlering Casing	Conversion to Injection	
	OTHER: EXTEND TA STATE	JS Dispose Water	
		(Note: Report results of multiple completion on Well Completion or Recompletion Report and Log Form.)	
Texaco Exploration and Production Inc. respectful	early state all pertinent details, and give pertinent dates, industrial depths for all depths for all ully submits it's plans concerning notice 0162 (067A).  Shove well. The following procedure to test casing and plustrians.	I markers and zones pertinent to this work,)*.	
will be performed and a subsequent 3160-5 will b	e submitted requesting official TA status.	a megnty	
Notify BLM 24 hours in advance of work.			
2. Test casing and plug with 500 psi for 30 min.			
<ol> <li>Classify well to TA status. TEPI will submit pressure chart and subsequent report requesting Temporarily Abandonment Status on this well.</li> </ol>		73 731 4 3 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4	
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SIGNATURE /	TITLE Engineering Assistant	DATE 10/27/94	
	J. Carriger	- 1021104	
APPROVED BY (ORIG. SGD.) JOE	3 LEDA		
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CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL, IF ANY:	attropoli last to be so	Married and a self of the	

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.

## 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.
- 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:

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

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