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State of Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission

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WELL ABANDONMENT REPORT

This form is to be submitted as an Intent to Abandon whenever an abandonment is planned on a borehole. After the abandonment is complete, this form shall again be submitted as a Subsequent Report of the actual work completed. The approved intent shall be valid for six months after the approval date, after that period, a new intent will be required.

Attachments required with the Intent to Abandon are wellbore diagrams of the current configuration and the proposed configuration with plugs set.

A Subsequent Report of Abandonment shall indicate the actual work completed. Attachments required with a Subsequent Report are a wellbore diagram showing plugs that were set and casing remaining in the hole, the job summaries from all plugging contractors used, including wireline and cementing (third party verification) and any logs that may have been run during abandonment.

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For "Intent" 24 hour notice required,

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API Number 05-123-33527-00

Well Name: Howard USX

Well Number: A09-09D

Location: QtrQtr: SESE

Section: 9

Township: 6N

Range: 64W

Meridian: 6

County: WELD

Federal, Indian or State Lease Number:

Field Name: WATTENBERG

Field Number: 90750

☒ Notice of Intent to Abandon☐ Subsequent Report of Abandonment

Only Complete the Following Background Information for Intent to Abandon

Latitude: 40.496960

Longitude: -104.549900

GPS Data:

Date of Measurement: 08/19/2011

PDOP Reading: 2.8

GPS Instrument Operator's Name: Paul Tappy

Reason for Abandonment:

☐ Dry☒ Production Sub-economic☐ Mechanical Problems☐ OtherCasing to be pulled: ☒ Yes☐ No

Estimated Depth: 901

Fish in Hole: ☐ Yes☒ No

If yes, explain details below

Wellbore has Uncemented Casing leaks:

☐ Yes☒ No

If yes, explain details below

Details:

Current and Previously Abandoned Zones

| Formation | Perf. Top | Perf. Btm | Abandoned Date | Method of Isolation | Plug Depth |
|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------------|---------------------|------------|
| CODELL | 7162 | 7174 | | | |
| NIOBRARA | 6987 | 7080 | | | |

Total: 2 zone(s)

Casing History

| Casing Type | Size of Hole | Size of Casing | Weight Per Foot | Setting Depth | Sacks Cement | Cement Bot | Cement Top | Status |
|-------------|--------------|----------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------|------------|------------|--------|
| SURF | 12+1/4 | 8+5/8 | 24 | 701 | 236 | 701 | 14 | VISU |
| 1ST | 7+7/8 | 4+1/2 | 11.6 | 7,322 | 600 | 7,322 | 1,751 | CBL |

Plugging Procedure for Intent and Subsequent Report

CIBP #1: Depth 6937 with 10 sacks cmt on top. CIPB #2: Depth _____ with _____ sacks cmt on top.
CIBP #3: Depth _____ with _____ sacks cmt on top. CIPB #4: Depth _____ with _____ sacks cmt on top.
CIBP #5: Depth _____ with _____ sacks cmt on top.

NOTE: Two(2) sacks cement required on all CIBPs.

Set 40 sks cmt from 2500 ft. to 2000 ft. Plug Type: CASING Plug Tagged: ☐
Set _____ sks cmt from _____ ft. to _____ ft. Plug Type: _____ Plug Tagged: ☐
Set _____ sks cmt from _____ ft. to _____ ft. Plug Type: _____ Plug Tagged: ☐
Set _____ sks cmt from _____ ft. to _____ ft. Plug Type: _____ Plug Tagged: ☐
Set _____ sks cmt from _____ ft. to _____ ft. Plug Type: _____ Plug Tagged: ☐

Perforate and squeeze at _____ ft. with _____ sacks. Leave at least 100 ft. in casing _____ CICR Depth

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(Cast Iron Cement Retainer Depth)

Set 320 sacks half in. half out surface casing from 951 ft. to 0 ft. Plug Tagged: ☒

Set _____ sacks at surface

Cut four feet below ground level, weld on plate Above Ground Dry-Hole Marker: ☐ Yes ☐ No

Set _____ sacks in rat hole Set _____ sacks in mouse hole

Additional Plugging Information for Subsequent Report Only

Casing Recovered: _____ ft. of _____ inch casing

Plugging Date: _____

*Wireline Contractor: _____

*Cementing Contractor: _____

Type of Cement and Additives Used: _____

Flowline/Pipeline has been abandoned per Rule 1103 ☐ Yes ☐ No

*ATTACH JOB SUMMARY

Technical Detail/Comments:

I hereby certify all statements made in this form are, to the best of my knowledge, true, correct, and complete.

Signed: _____

Print Name: Stephanie Dionne

Title: Engineering Tech

Date: _____

Email: stephanie.dionne@nblenergy.com

Based on the information provided herein, this Well Abandonment Report (Form 6) complies with COGCC Rules and applicable orders and is hereby approved.

COGCC Approved: _____

Date: _____

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL, IF ANY: _____

Expiration Date: _____

COA Type

Description

| COA Type | Description |
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Attachment Check List

Att Doc Num

Name

401378369

WELLBORE DIAGRAM

Total Attach: 1 Files

General Comments

| <u>User Group</u> | <u>Comment</u> | <u>Comment Date</u> |
|-------------------|----------------|---------------------|
| | | Stamp Upon Approval |

Total: 0 comment(s)