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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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API Number 05-123-28130-00

Well Name: RYLAND

Well Number: 43-20D

Location: QtrQtr: SWSE Section: 20 Township: 4N Range: 67W 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: 40.294220

Longitude: -104.911830

GPS Data:

Date of Measurement: 09/11/2009

PDOP Reading: 1.5

GPS Instrument Operator's Name: Holly L. Tracy

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

Estimated Depth:

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	7510	7522			
NIOBRARA	7197	7292			

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	577	410	577	0	VISU
1ST	7+7/8	4+1/2	10.5	7,686	850	7,686	0	CBL

Plugging Procedure for Intent and Subsequent Report

CIBP #1: Depth 7147 with 2 sacks cmt on top. CIBP #2: Depth _____ with _____ sacks cmt on top.
CIBP #3: Depth _____ with _____ sacks cmt on top. CIBP #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 25 sks cmt from 2725 ft. to 2450 ft. Plug Type: CASING Plug Tagged: ☐
Set 65 sks cmt from 800 ft. to 0 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: ☐

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 _____ sacks half in. half out surface casing from _____ ft. to _____ 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. _____ inch casing Plugging Date: _____
of _____

*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:

Ryland 43-20D (05-123-28130)/Plugging Procedure (Intent)
Producing Formation: Niobrara: 7197'-7292' Codell: 7510'-7522'
Upper Pierre Aquifer: 2571'-2622'
TD: 7696' PBD: 7665'
Surface Casing: 8 5/8" 24# @ 577' w/ 410 sxs
Production Casing: 4 1/2" 10.5# @ 7686' w/ 850 sxs cmt (TOC @ Surface' - CBL).

Tubing: 2 3/8" tubing set @ 7499' (9/11/2015).

Proposed Procedure:

1. MIRU pulling unit. Pull 2 3/8" tubing.
2. RU wireline company.
3. TIH with CIBP. Set BP at 7147'. Top with 2 sxs 15.8#/gal CI G cement.
4. TIH with tubing to 2725'. RU cementing company. Mix and pump 25 sxs 15.8#/gal CI G cement down tubing.
5. Pick up tubing to 800'. Mix and pump 65 sxs 15.8#/gal CI G cement down tubing. Cement should circulate to surface.
6. Cut surface casing 6' below ground level and weld on cap.

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

Signed: _____ Print Name: Jenifer Hakkarinen
Title: Reg Tech Date: 2/15/2018 Email: Jenifer.Hakkarinen@pdce.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: JENKINS, STEVE Date: 3/7/2018

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL, IF ANY:

Expiration Date: 9/6/2018

COA Type**Description**

	1) Provide 48 hour notice of plugging MIRU via electronic Form 42. 2) Prior to placing the 800' plug: verify that all fluid migration (liquid or gas) has been eliminated. If evidence of fluid migration or pressure remains, contact COGCC Engineer for an update to plugging orders. 3) After isolation has been verified, pump plug and displace. If cement is not circulated to surface, shut-in, WOC 4 hours then tag plug – must be at 527' or shallower and provide 10 sx plug at the surface. Leave at least 100' of cement in the casing for each plug. 4) Properly abandon flowlines as per Rule 1103. File electronic Form 42 once abandonment is complete.
	Operator shall implement measures to control unnecessary and excessive venting, to protect the health and safety of the public, and to ensure that vapors and odors from well plugging operations do not constitute a nuisance or hazard to public welfare.
	Prior to starting plugging operations a Bradenhead test shall be performed. 1) If, before opening the Bradenhead valve, the beginning pressure is greater than 25 psi, sampling is required. 2) If pressure remains at the conclusion of the test, or if any liquids were present during the test, sampling is required. 3) If sampling is required contact COGCC engineering for an confirmation of plugging requirements prior to placing any plugs. Sampling shall comply with Operator Guidance - Bradenhead Testing and Reporting Instructions. The Form 17 shall be submitted within 10 days of the test

Attachment Check List**Att Doc Num****Name**

401547284	FORM 6 INTENT SUBMITTED
401547306	WELLBORE DIAGRAM
401547307	WELLBORE DIAGRAM

Total Attach: 3 Files

General Comments**User Group****Comment****Comment Date**

Engineer	1) Deepest Water Well within 1 mile = 300'. 2) Fox Hills Bottom- N/A, per SB5.	03/07/2018
Permit	•Permitting Review Complete.	02/28/2018
Public Room	Pass	02/27/2018

Total: 3 comment(s)