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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 05-123-30795-00 Well Number: 31-31D
 Well Name: THISTLE DOWN B
 Location: QtrQtr: NWNW Section: 31 Township: 5N 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: 40.361325 Longitude: -104.601206
 GPS Data:
 Date of Measurement: 05/26/2010 PDOP Reading: 5.1 GPS Instrument Operator's Name: PAUL TAPPY
 Reason for Abandonment: Dry Production Sub-economic Mechanical Problems
 Other _____
 Casing to be pulled: Yes No Estimated Depth: 713
 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	7127	7142			
NIOBRARA	6840	7030			

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	32	513	193	513	0	CALC
1ST	7+7/8	4+1/2	11.60	7,271	580	7,271	2,200	CBL

Plugging Procedure for Intent and Subsequent Report

CIBP #1: Depth 6790 with 20 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 _____ 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:
 Set _____ sks cmt from _____ ft. to _____ ft. Plug Type: _____ Plug Tagged:

Perforate and squeeze at 2200 ft. with 165 sacks. Leave at least 100 ft. in casing 2100 CICR Depth
 Perforate and squeeze at _____ ft. with _____ sacks. Leave at least 100 ft. in casing _____ CICR Depth
 Perforate and squeeze at _____ ft. with _____ sacks. Leave at least 100 ft. in casing _____ CICR Depth
(Cast Iron Cement Retainer Depth)

Set 250 sacks half in. half out surface casing from 763 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. _____ inch casing Plugging Date: _____
 of _____
 *Wireline Contractor: _____ *Cementing Contractor: _____
 Type of Cement and Additives Used: _____
 Flowline/Pipeline has been abandoned per Rule 1105 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: Jan Barthel
 Title: Engineering Technician Date: _____ Email: jan.barthel@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

Attachment Check List

Att Doc Num	Name
401777745	WELLBORE DIAGRAM
401777759	WELLBORE DIAGRAM

Total Attach: 2 Files

General Comments

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

Total: 0 comment(s)