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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 05-123-23176-00 Well Number: 42-2
 Well Name: WELLS RANCH
 Location: QtrQtr: SENE Section: 2 Township: 5N Range: 63W 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: 40.430690 Longitude: -104.397750
 GPS Data:
 Date of Measurement: 10/16/2006 PDOP Reading: 2.3 GPS Instrument Operator's Name: H.L. TRACY
 Reason for Abandonment: Dry Production Sub-economic Mechanical Problems
 Other _____
 Casing 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
NIOBRARA-CODELL	6386	6643			

Total: 1 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	400	220	400	0	VISU
1ST	7+7/8	4+1/2	10.5	6,797	645	6,797	0	CBL

Plugging Procedure for Intent and Subsequent Report

CIBP #1: Depth 6336 with 2 sacks cmt on top. CIBP #2: Depth 2500 with 2 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 127 sks cmt from 1675 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:
 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 Cut and Cap 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:

Wells Ranch 42-2 (05-123-23176) Proposed Plugging Procedure
 Producing Formations: Nio-Codell: 6386' – 6643'
 Top of Niobrara: 6368'
 Upper Pierre Aquifer: 475' – 1575'
 TD: 6831' PBTD: 6769'
 Surface Casing: 8-5/8" 24# set @ 400' w/ 220 sxs cmt
 Production Casing: 4-1/2" 10.5# set @ 6797' w/ 645 sxs cmt (TOC @ surface - CBL)
 Existing Tubing: 211 jts 2-3/8" 4.7# J55 set @ 6625'
 Proposed Procedure:
 1. MIRU pulling unit. Pull 2 3/8" tubing.
 2. RU wireline company.
 3. TIH with CIBP. Set BP at 6336'. Top with 2 sxs 15.8#/gal CI G cement. (Top of Nio perms @ 6386')
 4. TIH with CIBP. Set BP at 2500'. Top with 2 sxs 15.8#/gal CI G cement.
 5. TIH with tubing to 1675'. RU cementing company. Mix and pump 127 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: Valerie Danson
 Title: Reg Tech Date: _____ Email: valerie.danson@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: _____

Date: _____

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL, IF ANY: _____

Expiration Date: _____

COA Type

Description

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Attachment Check List

Att Doc Num

Name

402255361	WELLBORE DIAGRAM
402255363	WELLBORE DIAGRAM

Total Attach: 2 Files

General Comments

User Group

Comment

Comment Date

		Stamp Upon Approval
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Total: 0 comment(s)