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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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Type of Well Abandonment Report: Notice of Intent to Abandon Subsequent Report of Abandonment

API Number 05-123-22069-00
 Well Name: OPEL Well Number: 5
 Location: QtrQtr: NENE Section: 17 Township: 4N Range: 65W Meridian: 6
 County: WELD Federal, Indian or State Lease Number: _____
 Field Name: WATTENBERG Field Number: 90750

Only Complete the Following Background Information for Intent to Abandon

Latitude: 40.315643 Longitude: -104.682187
 GPS Data: GPS Quality Value: 2.9 Type of GPS Quality Value: _____ Date of Measurement: 01/14/2010

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	6850	7159			

Total: 1 zone(s)

Casing History

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Casing Type	Size of Hole	Size of Casing	Grade	Wt/Ft	Csg/Liner Top	Setting Depth	Sacks Cmt	Cmt Btm	Cmt Top	Status
SURF	12+1/4	8+5/8	J-55	24	0	429	350	429	0	VISU
1ST	7+7/8	4+1/2	J-55	11.6	0	7315	615	7315	0	CBL

Subsurface hazards include, but are not limited to, the following: overpressured zones, underpressured zones, major geologic faults, salt sections, H2S at concentrations greater than or equal to 100 ppm.

Plugging Procedure for Intent and Subsequent Report

CIBP #1: Depth 6800 with 2 sacks cmt on top. CIPB #2: Depth 4450 with 2 sacks cmt on top.
 CIBP #3: Depth 2500 with 2 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 112 sks cmt from 1475 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 1560 ft. with 38 sacks. Leave at least 100 ft. in casing 1475 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 _____ 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. of _____ inch casing Number of Days from Setting Surface Plug to Capping or Sealing the Well: _____
 Surface Plug Setting Date: _____ Cut and Cap Date: _____

*Wireline Contractor: _____ *Cementing Contractor: _____

Type of Cement and Additives Used: _____

Flowline/Pipeline has been abandoned per Rule 1105 Yes No

Technical Detail/Comments:

Opel 5 (05-123-22069)/Plugging Procedure (Intent)
 Producing Formation: Nio/Codell: 6850'-7159'
 Upper Pierre Aquifer: 430'-1430'
 TD: 7343' PBD: 7300' (4/12/2004)
 Surface Casing: 8 5/8" 24# @ 429' w/ 350 sxs cmt
 Production Casing: 4 1/2" 11.6# @ 7315' w/ 615 sxs cmt (TOC @ Surface - CBL)

Tubing: 2 3/8" tubing set @ 7119' (5/3/2004)

Proposed Procedure:

1. MIRU. Pull 2 3/8" tubing.
2. RU wireline company.
3. TIH with CIBP. Set BP at 6800'. Top with 2 sxs 15.8#/gal CI G cement. (Top of Nio/Codell perms @ 6850')
4. TIH with CIBP. Set BP at 4450'. Top with 2 sxs 15.8#/gal CI G cement. (Top of Sussex @ 4500')
5. TIH with CIBP. Set BP at 2500'. Top with 2 sxs 15.8#/gal CI G cement. (Courtesy Plug)
6. TIH with perf gun.
7. Shoot lower squeeze holes at 1560'.
8. Shoot upper squeeze holes at 1460'.
9. TIH with CICR. Set CICR at 1475'.
10. Sting in and pump 38 sxs 15.8#/gal CI G cement.
11. Sting out and pump 112 sxs cement on top of CICR. Cement should circulate to surface.
12. 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: _____ 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: _____ Date: _____

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL, IF ANY: _____ Expiration Date: _____

<u>COA Type</u>	<u>Description</u>

Attachment Check List

<u>Att Doc Num</u>	<u>Name</u>
402561699	WELLBORE DIAGRAM
402561700	WELLBORE DIAGRAM

Total Attach: 2 Files

General Comments

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

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