

IN REPLY REFER TO:
3160

Date

Company Name & Address

This letter provides written notification that the submitted Application for Permit to Drill (APD) is complete or contains deficiencies that need to be corrected. Any retained APD which is deficient must be brought to an acceptable level of completion within 45 days of the date of this notice or the APD may be returned unapproved.

NOTICE OF COMPLETENESS OR DEFICIENCIES FOR AN APD

Lease No.: _____ Well No.: _____ APD Received Date: _____

- I. APD IS COMPLETE AS SUBMITTED.
- II. APD IS DEFICIENT IN THE FOLLOWING AREA(S) [as marked]:
 - A. Form 3160-3 is Incomplete.
 - B. Well Plat.
 - C. Drilling Plan is Deficient in the Following Area(s)
 - 1. Geologic formation names and tops.
 - 2. Estimated depths of anticipated water, oil, gas, or minerals.
 - 3. Minimum specifications for pressure control.
 - 4. Proposed casing program.
 - 5. Estimated amount and types of cement.
 - 6. Type and characteristics of the proposed circulation muds.
 - 7. Testing, logging, and coring programs
 - 8. Anticipated bottom hole and abnormal pressure, temperature or hazards.
 - 9. Other.

- D. Surface Use and Operations Plan is Deficient in the Following Area(s)
 - 1. Existing roads.
 - 2. New or reconstructed access roads.
 - 3. Location of existing wells.
 - 4. Location of existing and/or proposed facilities.
 - 5. Location and type of water supply.
 - 6. Source and character of construction materials.
 - 7. Methods for handling waste.
 - 8. Ancillary facilities.
 - 9. Well site layout.
 - 10. Plans for surface reclamation.
 - 11. Surface ownership
 - 12. Other information.

E. Evidence of Bonding.

D. Operator Certification.

G. Onsite Inspection

H. Other:

- 1. _____
- 2. _____

III. Other Information Needed:

- 1. _____
- 2. _____

IV. APD is retained. Processing will start upon receipt of further information as noted above.

VI. APD is being processed. Final action is pending receipt of further information as noted.

VII. Other:

If you have any questions concerning the processing of this APD, please contact Jim Burd at 202-452-5017.