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# State of Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission

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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 05-123-20221-00

Well Name: BENSON

Well Number: 23-15

Location: QtrQtr: NESW Section: 15 Township: 6N Range: 65W 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: 40.484330

Longitude: -104.651690

GPS Data:

Date of Measurement: 08/25/2006

PDOP Reading: 3.8

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: 1600

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    | 7093      | 7101      |                |                     |            |

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              | 413           | 300          | 413        | 0          | VISU   |
| 1ST         | 7+7/8        | 4+1/2          | 10.5            | 7,210         | 594          | 7,210      | 3,130      | CBL    |

## Plugging Procedure for Intent and Subsequent Report

CIBP #1: Depth 7043 with 2 sacks cmt on top. CIBP #2: Depth 6692 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 255 sks cmt from 1715 ft. to 1300 ft. Plug Type: STUB PLUG Plug Tagged: ☐  
Set 365 sks cmt from 613 ft. to 0 ft. Plug Type: OPEN HOLE 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 1105 ☐ Yes ☐ No \*ATTACH JOB SUMMARY

#### Technical Detail/Comments:

Benson 23-15 (05-123-20221)/Plugging Procedure (Intent)

Producing Formation: Codell: 7093'-7101'

Upper Pierre Aquifer: 468'-1475'

TD: 7212' PBTD: 7164'

Surface Casing: 8 5/8" 24# @ 413' w/ 300 sxs cmt

Production Casing: 4 1/2" 10.5# @ 7210' w/ 594 sxs cmt (TOC @ 3130' - CBL).

Tubing: 2 3/8" tubing set @ 7078' (11/12/2001).

Proposed Procedure:

1. Run gyro survey.
2. MIRU pulling unit. Pull 2 3/8" tubing.
3. RU wireline company.
4. TIH with CIBP. Set BP at 7043'. Top with 2 sxs 15.8#/gal CI G cement.
5. TIH with CIBP. Set BP at 6692'. Top with 2 sxs 15.8#/gal CI G cement.
6. TIH with casing cutter. Cut 4 1/2" casing at 1600'. Pull cut casing.
7. TIH with tubing to 1715'. RU cementing company. Mix and pump 255 sxs 15.8#/gal CI G cement w/ 2% CaCl down tubing (Pierre coverage from 1715'-1300').
8. Pickup tubing to 613'. Mix and pump 365 sxs 15.8#/gal CL G cement down tubing. Cement should circulate to surface.
9. 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: \_\_\_\_\_

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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**

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| 401858865 | WELLBORE DIAGRAM |
| 401858868 | WELLBORE DIAGRAM |

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