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Office of Oil and Gas 601 57th Street SE Charleston, WV 25304 (304) 926-0450 (304) 926-0452 fax Earl Ray Tomblin, Governor Randy C. Huffman, Cabinet Secretary www.dep.wv.gov

#### PERMIT MODIFICATION APPROVAL

January 12, 2015

EQT PRODUCTION COMPANY 303 SAND CUT ROAD CLARKSBURG, WV 26301

Re: Permit Modification Approval for API Number 10302906, Well #: 513982

Modify depth of 13-3/8" and 9-5/8" casing

#### Oil and Gas Operator:

The Office of Oil and Gas has reviewed the attached permit modification for the above referenced permit. The attached modification has been approved and well work may begin. Please be reminded that the oil and gas inspector is to be notified twenty-four (24) hours before permitted well work is commenced.

Please call James Martin at 304-926-0499, extension 1654 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Gene Smith

Assistant Chief of Permitting

for Gene Smith

Office of Oil and Gas



August 14, 2014

Mr. Gene Smith West Virginia Department of Environmental Protection Office of Oil and Gas 601 57th Street SE Charleston, WV 25304

Re: Modification of 47-10302906

Dear Mr. Smith,

EQT would like to modify the above well, due to a change in the casing depths (please see attached letter).

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (304) 848-0076.

Sincerely,

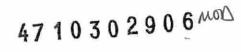
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Permitting Supervisor-WV

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Mr. Gene Smith West Virginia Department of Environmental Protection Office of Oil and Gas 601 57th Street SE Charleston, WV 25304

Re: Casing on Well 513982 (PNG103)

Dear Mr. Smith,

EQT is requesting the 13-3/8" surface casing be set at 1299' KB, 50' below the red rock base at 1249' without setting below elevation. The previous wells drilled on this pad set 13-3/8" casing at approximately 850' KB. This will cover up red rock formations that have given EQT drilling issues in the past. We will set the 9-5/8" intermediate string at 3367' KB, 50' below the base of the Gordon formation.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (304) 848-0076.

Sincerely,

Vicki Roark

Permitting Supervisor

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# STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION, OFFICE OF OIL AND GAS WELL WORK PERMIT APPLICATION

1) Well Operator: EQT Po	roduction Company		103	4	548
		Operator ID	County	District	Quadrangle
2) Operator's Well Number	: 513982	Well Pa	d Name: PN	G103	
3) Farm Name/Surface Own	ner: Scyoc	Public Ro	ad Access: H	wy 20	а
4) Elevation, current ground	d: 1458 El	evation, proposed	post-constru	ction: 1458	
5) Well Type (a) Gas Other	Oil	Und	erground Sto	rage	
(b)If Gas	Shallow	Deep			
6) Existing Pad: Yes or No	Horizontal			DMH	9-4-14
7) Proposed Target Formati Target formation is Marcellus	a barrier of the endeath of the second	· Barrier - Barrier - Marie -		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
8) Proposed Total Vertical	Depth: 7470	900			
9) Formation at Total Vertic	cal Depth: Marcellus				
10) Proposed Total Measure	ed Depth: 14562				
11) Proposed Horizontal Le	g Length: 5280				
12) Approximate Fresh Wa	ter Strata Depths:	66, 141, 777			
13) Method to Determine F	resh Water Depths: 1	by offset wells			
14) Approximate Saltwater	Depths: 2187, 2487				
15) Approximate Coal Sear	n Depths: 1054, 1161				
16) Approximate Depth to l	Possible Void (coal mi	ine, karst, other):	none reported		
17) Does Proposed well loc directly overlying or adjace		ms Yes	1	No 🗸	
(a) If Yes, provide Mine I	nfo: Name:				
	Depth:				
	Seam:				RECEIVED
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#### 18)

#### CASING AND TUBING PROGRAM

TYPE	Size	New or Used	Grade	Weight per ft. (lb/ft)	FOOTAGE: For Drilling	INTERVALS: Left in Well	CEMENT: Fill-up (Cu. Ft.)
Conductor	20	new	MC-50	81	40	40	38 CTS
Fresh Water	13 3/8	new	MC-50	54	1299	1299	1118 CTS
Coal							
Intermediate	9 5/8	new	MC-50	40	3367	3367	1307 CTS
Production	5 1/2	new	P-110	20	14562	14562	see note 1
Tubing	2 3/8		J-55	4.6			If run will be set 100 less than TD
Liners							

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TYPE	Size	Wellbore Diameter	Wall Thickness	Burst Pressure	Cement Type	Cement Yield (cu. ft./k)
Conductor	20	24	.375	-	construction	1.18
Fresh Water	13 3/8	17 1/2	.38	2480	see note 2	1.21
Coal						
Intermediate	9 5/8	12 3/8	.395	3590	see note 2	1.21
Production	5 1/2	8 1/2	.361	12640	/ <u>-</u>	1.27/1.86
Tubing						
Liners	<b>†</b>					

#### **PACKERS**

Kind:	n/a	
Sizes:	n/a	
Depths Set:	n/a	RECEIVED
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19) Describe proposed well work, including the drilling and plugging b	ack of any pilot hole:
Drill and complete a new horizontal well in the Marcellus formation. The vertic 4,170'. Then kick off the horizontal lef into the Marcellus using a slick water f	al drill to go down to an approximate depth of rac.
20) Describe fracturing/stimulating methods in detail, including anticip	pated max pressure and max rate:
Hydraulic fracturing is completed in accordance with state regs using water recobtained from fresh water sources. This water is mixed with sand and a small (including 15% Hydrochloric acid, gelling agent, gel breaker, friction reducer, b vary from 150 to 450 feet. Avg approx 400,000 gl of water per stage. Sand si approx 400,000 lb of sand per stage. Sand sizes vary from 100 mesh to 20/40	percentage (less than 0.3%) of chemicals locide, and scale inhibitor). Stage lengths lizes vary from 100 mesh to 20/40 mesh. Available
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21) Total Area to be disturbed, including roads, stockpile area, pits, etc.	, (acres):
22) Area to be disturbed for well pad only, less access road (acres):	additional disturbance
23) Describe centralizer placement for each casing string:	
Surface: Bow spring centralizers – One at the shoe and one spaced every 50     Intermediate: Bow spring centralizers– One cent at the shoe and one spaced     Production: One spaced every 1000' from KOP to Int csg shoe	
24) Describe all cement additives associated with each cement type:	
see attached	
25) Proposed borehole conditioning procedures:	
see attached	
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*Note: Attach additional sheets as needed.	Environmental Protection

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#### FROM CASING PLAN

Note 1: EQT plans to bring the TOC on the production casing cement job 1,000' above kick off point, which is at least 500' above the shallowest production zone, to avoid communication.

Note 2: Reference Variance 2014-17. (Attached)

#### 24) Describe all cement additives associated with each cement type.

Surface (Type 1 Cement): 0-3% Calcium Chloride used to spped the setting of cement slurries.

0.4% flake. Loss Circulation Material (LCM) is used to combat the loss of the cement slurry to a thief zone. Intermediate (Type 1 Cement): 0-3% Calcium Chloride. Salt is used in shallow, low temperature formations to speed the setting of cement slurries. 0.4% flake. Loss Circulation Material (LCM) is used to combat the loss of whole drilling fluid or cement slurry (not filtrate) to a theif zone.

Production:

Lead (Type 1 Cement): 0.2-0.7% Lignosulfonate (Retarder). Lengthens thickening time.

0.3% CFR (dispersant). Makes cement easier to mix.

Tail (Type H Cement): 0.25-0.40% Lignosulfonate (Retarder). Lengthens thickening time.

0.2-0.3% CFR (dispersant). This is to make the cement easier to mix.

60 % Calcuim Carbonate. Acid solubility.

0.4-0.6% Halad (fluid loss). Reduces amount of water lost to formation.

#### Proposed borehole conditioning procedures.

<u>Surface</u>: Circulate hole clean (Approximately 30-45 minutes) rotating & reciprocating one full joint until cuttings diminish at surface. When cuttings returning to surface diminish, continue to circulate an additional 5 minutes. To ensure that there is no fill, short trip two stands with no circulation. If there is fill, bring compressors back on and circulate hole clean. A constant rate of higher than expected cuttings volume likely indicates washouts that will not clean up.

Intermediate: Circulate hole clean (Approximately 30-45 minutes) rotating & reciprocating one full joint until cutting deminish at surface.

When cuttings returning to surface diminish, continue to circulate an additional 5 minutes. If foam drilling, to enhance hole cleaning use a soap sweep or increase injection rate & foam concentration.

<u>Production</u>: Pump marker sweep with nut plug to determine actual hole washout. Calculate a gauge holes bottoms up volume. Perform a cleanup cycle by pumping 3-5 bottoms up or until the shakers are clean.

Check volume of cuttings coming across the shakers every 15 minutes

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#### BEFORE THE OFFICE OF OIL AND GAS DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA

IN THE MATTER OF A VARIANCE FROM	)	ORDER NO.	2014 - 17
REGULATION 35 CSR § 4-11.4/11.5/14.1	)		
AND 35 CSR § 8-9.2.h. 4/5/6/8 OF THE	)		
THE OPERATIONAL	)		
REGULATIONS OF CEMENTING OIL	)		
AND GAS WELLS	)		

#### REPORT OF THE OFFICE

Nabors Completion & Production Services Co, requests approval of a different cement blend for use in cementing surface and coal protection easing of oil and gas wells.

#### FINDINGS OF FACT

- L) Nabors Completion & Production Services Co. proposes the following cement blend:
  - 2% Calcium Chloride (Accelerator)
  - 0.25 % Super Flake (Lost Circulation)
  - 94% Type "1" Cement
  - 5.20 % Water
- Laboratory testing results indicate that the blend listed in Fact No.1 will achieve a 500
  psi compressive strength within 6 hours and a 2,435 psi compressive strength within 24
  hours.

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#### CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

Pursuant to Articles 6 and 6A, Chapter 22 of the Code of West Virginia, the Office of Oil and Gas has jurisdiction over the subject matter embraced in said notice, and the persons interested therein, and jurisdiction to promulgate the hereinafter prescribed Order.

Pursuant to 35 CSR § 4-11.5 and 35 CSR § 8-9.2 h.8 the Chief of the Office of Oil and Clas may approve different cement blends upon the well operator providing satisfactory proof that different cement types are adequate.

#### ORDER

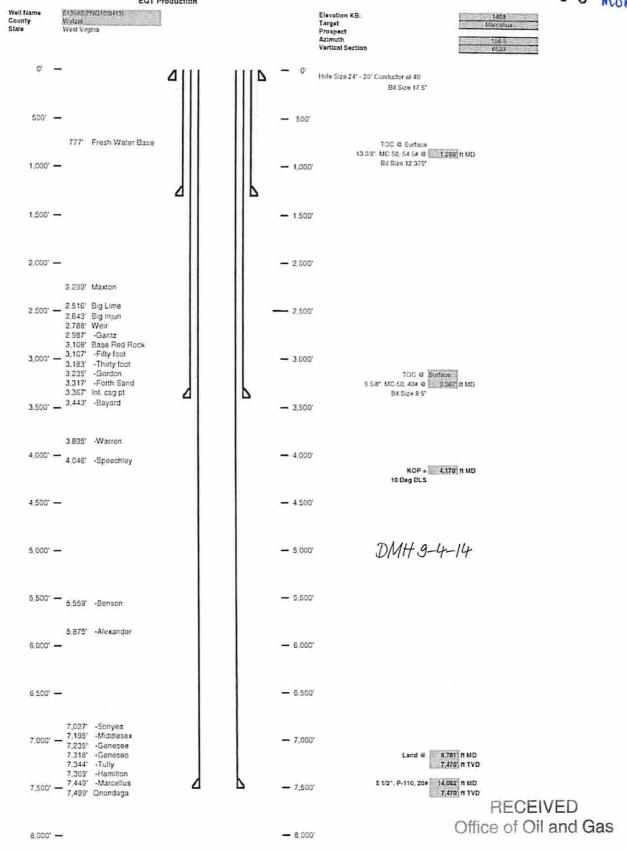
It is ordered that Nabors Completion & Production Services Co. may use the cement blend listed in Findings of Fact No.1 for the cementing of surface and coal protection easing of oil and gas wells in the State as may be requested by oil and gas operators. The waiting time on the cement blend shall be 8 hours. The cement blend shall be mixed in strict accordance with the specifications for each blend and weight measurements made on-site to assure the cement slurries meet the minimum weight specifications. A sample shall be collected and, if after 8 hours the cement is not set up, additional time will be required. Nabors Completion & Production Services Co. shall keep a record of cement blend jobs in which the cement blend approved under this order is to be used and made available to the Office of Oil and Gas upon request.

Dated this, the 18th day of March, 2014.

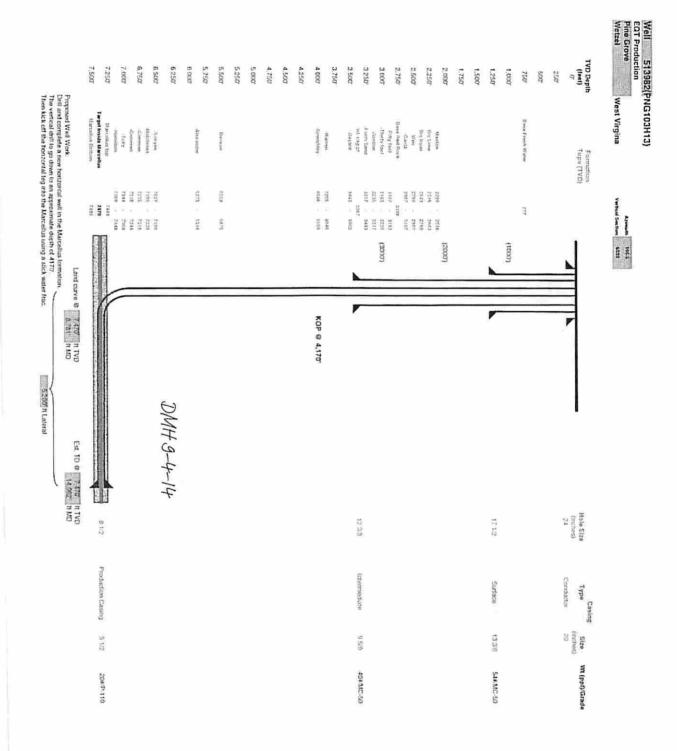
IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA

OFFICE OF OIL AND GAS DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION OF THE STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA

James Martin, Chief Office of Oil and Gas Well Schematic



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