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DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION  
OFFICE OF OIL AND GAS MANAGEMENT

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Application Tracking #
1557621

## Proposed Alternate Method or Material for Casing, Plugging, Venting or Equipping a Well

Well Operator Diversified Production LLC		DEP ID# 65675	Well Permit or Registration Number 3712920659	
Address 395 Airport Road			Well Farm Name ROBERT W KAUFFMAN	
City Indiana	State PA	Zip Code 15701	Well # 4798	Serial # N/A
Phone Northern PA 724-422-7878 Southern PA 724-397-5333	Fax N/A	County WESTMORELAND		Municipality EAST HUNTINGDON

*A proposed alternate method is subject to provisions in §3221 of the 2012 Oil and Gas Act, 58 Pa. C.S. §3221 Section 13 of the Coal and Gas Resource Coordination Act, 58 P.S. §513 and 25 PA Code §§78.75-78.75a (relating to Alternate Methods.) **Attach proof of notification of coal operator(s).***

**Describe in reasonable detail using a written description and / or diagram:**

- 1. the proposed alternate method or materials, and**
- 2. the manner in which the alternative will satisfy the goals of the laws and regulations.**

1. In lieu of venting requirements of 78.92 and 78.93 relating to wells located in coal areas, it is proposed to cement the well from TD or DEP-approved attainable bottom to surface.

2. Well shall be cemented using cement that meets or exceeds the ASTM International C 150, Type I, II or III Standard or API Specification 10 to stop the vertical flow of free gas or fluids.

Optional: Approval by Coal Owner or Operator	Signature of Applicant / Well Operator
Signature _____ Date _____	Signature _____ Date _____
Print or Type Signer's Name and Title _____	Print or Type Signer's Name and Title _____
	Digitally signed by Nicholas Bumgardner Date: 2026.01.14 07:45:19 -05'00' 1/14/2026 Nicholas Bumgardner, Permitting Supervisor

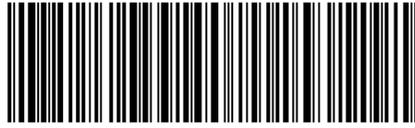
If optional approval is signed by coal owner or operator, the 15-day objection period may be waived.

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Approved by (DEP Manager) <i>April A. Weiland</i>	Conditions <input type="checkbox"/> YES, See Attached <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	Date 02/06/2026

Diversified Gas & Oil Corporation (Permitting)  
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