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Site ID# 170373
Client ID# 244896

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

Well Operator	DEP ID#	Well Permit or Registration Number
Diversified Production LLC	65675	37-085-20845

Address	Well Farm Name
395 Airport Road	Plawky

City	State	Zip Code	Well #	Serial #
Indiana	PA	15701	1	N/A

Phone	Fax	County	Municipality
Northern PA 724-422-7878 Southern PA 724-397-5333	N/A	Mercer	Hermitage

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.**

Plawky 1 well- API 37-085-20845. Wireline was on location 10/23/2026 and ran a gauge ring first, then bond logged well, set a cast iron bridge plug at 5234'. We ran a casing cutter in to 3,940' and shoot off the 4.5" casing. Once completed, we used the service rig and crew to pull 4.5" casing. Once the 4.5" ring was removed and casing was pulled, no popping, jumping, or hesitation of any kind had occurred. Casing was pulled to our trailer where it was discovered that we were only able to recover approximately 3,620' of 4.5" casing. Lance Martinez, Rig Supervisor, informed Matthew Kleese of this finding and potential plugging alternatives were discussed with John Rice, Next Level Energy. The proposal was to attempt to run in with wireline and perforate the section needing to be plugged if we were able to get wireline into the remaining casing still in the hole and set the cement plug through those perforations abandoning the remaining 300' of 4.5" in the hole. This was discussed with Tom Antonishak, PA DEP Oil & Gas Inspector, on 10/26/2026. The depths needed to be achieved (3850' - 3400') for Perforations and cementing purposes were discussed along our plan to run wireline and tools to 3900'. On 10/26/2026, Greg Myers, Operator of Rig 6, ran the wireline and tools in and was able to achieve the 3900' depth required for this plan.

Proposal: Due to the condition of the 4-1/2" casing observed on the initial bond log, we are concerned that attempting to retrieve the remaining casing with an overshot or spear could cause the casing to part again. If this occurs, the ability to reach the required depth necessary to properly place the proposed cement plug from 3,900' to 3,300' may be lost. For this reason, we believe leaving the remaining casing in place and proceeding with the proposed perforating and cementing procedure provides the best opportunity to successfully place the required plug across the intended interval.

Diamond Well Services had perforators on location on 10/27/26 with a perforating strip built containing 4 shots at each interval to be perforated at 3900', 3800, 3700' to 3,630'. Total shots required would be 16 shots. Diamond will run 1.5" tubing back in the well after the perforating operations to 3900', then set a cement plug from 3900' to 3300' (giving 200' coverage above the Marcellus), and gel from 3300' to 741'. After the plug is set, the rig will wait 8 hours and tag the cement to verify that is good. From this point, the wll be plugged per the state regulations before pulling 1.5" and setting the final plug from approximately 741' to 500'(casing shoe @631'), then trip out of hole. Once completed, the wellbore will filled with pea gravel from the final top of cement up to surface, then well will be cut 36" below grade, then have an ID marker welded on the well with the API 37-085-20845 welded on.

Optional: Approval by Coal Owner or Operator		**Signature of Applicant / Well Operator**	
Signature	**Date**	**Signature**	**Date**
		John Rice	10/29/2026
Print or Type Signer's Name and Title		**Print or Type Signer's Name and Title**	
		John Rice, Project Manager	

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~~)	Conditions	Date
OGI - Thomas Antonishak	☐ YES, See Attached ☒ NO	10/30/2026