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Re: Status update on letters received May 5, 2005
Hill View AHE Federal Com #3, #6, #17 - NMNM86241
Federal BZ Com #12 - NMNM0219603
Roden GD Federal #4 - NMNM26864
Senita AIP Federal Com #1, #2 - NMNM42787-A

Dear Ms. Swoboda,

Yates Petroleum received your letters on May 5, 2005 in regards to the above referenced wells. We have submitted AFE's to management requesting plugging approval for all the wells except the Hill View AHE Federal Com #3. For this well we have submitted a workover AFE. An estimate of 60-90 days will be needed to evaluate these AFE's. Upon managements decision we will notify your office.

If you have any questions, please give me a call at (505) 748-4205.

Sincerely,

Michelle Taylor
Regulatory Compliance Manager
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