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NOTICE OF VIOLATION - Inspection

Dear Operator:

The following inspection(s) indicate that the well, equipment, location or operational status of the well(s) failed to meet standards of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division as described in the detail section below. To comply with standards imposed by Rules and Regulations of the Division, corrective action must be taken immediately and the situation brought into compliance. The detail section indicates preliminary findings and/or probable nature of the violation. This determination is based on an inspection of your well or facility by an inspector employed by the Oil Conservation Division on the date(s) indicated.

Please notify the proper district office of the Division, in writing, of the date corrective actions are scheduled to be made so that arrangements can be made to reinspect the well and/or facility.

INSPECTION DETAIL SECTION

WHITE STAR FEDERAL No.009

B-29-17S-29E

30-015-30694-00-00

Inspection Date

Type Inspection

Inspector

Violation?

*Significant Non-Compliance? Corrective

Action Due By: Inspection No.

09/15/2005

Routine/Periodic

Chris Beadle

Yes

No

10/17/2005

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Violations

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Surface Leaks/Spills

Surface Damage/Restoration

Comments on Inspection:

Flow line has leaked and been repaired. Contamination from leak has flowed off location into

pasture area impacting vegetation and pooling approximately 40 feet from flow line repair.

Remediation required.

Contact NMOCD District 2 Environmental Compliance Officer with site ranking and remediation

work plan.

Notify NMOCD District 2 Office 48 hours prior to any remediation work or taking samples where

results that may be submitted to OCD.

In the event that a satisfactory response is not received to this letter of direction by the "Corrective Action Due By:" date shown above, further enforcement will occur. Such enforcement may include this office applying to the Division for an order summoning you to a hearing before a Divison Examiner in Santa Fe to show cause why you should not be ordered to permanently plug and abandon this well. Such a hearing may result in imposition of CIVIL PENALTIES for your violation of OCD rules.

Sincerely

Artesia OCD District Office

Note: Information in Detail Section comes directly from field inspector data entries - not all blanks will contain data.

*Significant Non-Compliance events are reported directly to the EPA, Region VI, Dallas, Texas.