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## \*Response Required - Deadline Enclosed\*

Field Inspection Program
"Preserving the Integrity of Our Environment"

07-May-18

## COG OPERATING LLC

One Concho Center 600 W. Illinois Ave Midland TX 79701-9701

**LETTER 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.

			INSPECTIO	N DETAIL	SECTION		
WHITE STAR FEDERAL No.012 Inspection Date Type Inspection  05/07/2018 Routine/Periodic Violations Absent Well Identification Signs (R			Inspector Tony Morales	Violation? Yes	C-29-17S-29E *Significant Non-Compliance? No	30-015-30928-00-0 Corrective Action Due By: 8/10/2018	Inspection No. iTM1812750944
Comments of	on Inspection:	OK. All Equipr SIGN 19.15.16	nent and Location in	1 Good Shape		ATOR ON LOCATIO	
STATE S 19 Inspection Date 05/07/2018	Type Inspection Routine/Perio		Inspector Tony Morales	Violation? Yes	O-19-17S-29E *Significant Non-Compliance? No	30-015-31108-00-0 Corrective Action Due By: 8/10/2018	Inspection No. iTM1812747206
Comments		eping (Rule 114) OK. All Equip 19.15.10.8	ment and Location i	n Good Shap	e. PJ STAINING AR	OUND WELLHEAD.	

30-015-31703-00-00 No.005 A-30-17S-29E **GOLD STAR FEDERAL** \*Significant Corrective Inspection Inspection No. Violation? Action Due By: Non-Compliance? Inspector Type Inspection Date iTM1812748225 8/10/2018 No Yes **Tony Morales** 05/07/2018 Routine/Periodic Violations General Housekeeping (Rule 114) OK. All Equipment and Location in Good Shape. PJ. STAINING AROUND WELLHEAD. Comments on Inspection: 19.15.10.8 30-015-32062-00-00 P-19-17S-29E **STATE S 19 No.021** Corrective \*Significant Inspection Inspection No. Violation? Action Due By: Inspector Non-Compliance? **Type Inspection** Date 8/10/2018 iTM1812748569 No Tony Morales Yes Routine/Periodic 05/07/2018 Violations General Housekeeping (Rule 114) OK. All Equipment and Location in Good Shape. PJ. STAINING AROUND WELLHEAD **Comments on Inspection:** 19.15.10.8 30-015-32242-00-00 M-20-17S-29E No.004 TENNECO STATE Corrective \*Significant Inspection Inspection No. Action Due By: Violation? Non-Compliance? Inspector **Type Inspection** Date iTM1812750044 No 8/10/2018 Tony Morales Yes Routine/Periodic 05/07/2018 Violations Absent Well Identification Signs (Rule 103) OK. All Equipment and Location in Good Shape. PJ POWER OFF LOCATION SIGN NOT **Comments on Inspection: VISIBLE 19.15.16.8** 30-015-32339-00-00 D-29-17S-29E WHITE STAR FEDERAL No.024 Corrective \*Significant Inspection Inspection No. Violation? Non-Compliance? Action Due By: Inspector **Type Inspection** Date iTM1812750724 8/10/2018 Yes No Routine/Periodic Tony Morales 05/07/2018 Violations Absent Well Identification Signs (Rule 103) General Housekeeping (Rule 114) OK. All Equipment and Location in Good Shape. PJO STAINING AROUND WELLHEAD Comments on Inspection: 19.15.10.8 WRONG OPERATOR ON LOCATION SIGN 19.15.16.8 30-015-34741-00-00 C-30-17S-29E CONTINENTAL A STATE No.003 \*Significant Corrective Inspection Inspection No. Action Due By: Violation? Non-Compliance? Inspector Type Inspection Date iTM1812732930 8/10/2018 Yes No Tony Morales 05/07/2018 Routine/Periodic Violations General Housekeeping (Rule 114) OK. All Equipment and Location in Good Shape. PJ STAINING AROUND WELLHEAD Comments on Inspection: 19.15.10.8 E-30-17S-29E 30-015-39776-00-00 CONTINENTAL A STATE No.022 Corrective \*Significant Inspection Inspection No. Violation? Action Due By: Non-Compliance? Type Inspection Inspector Date iTM1812733932 No 8/10/2018 Yes Tony Morales Routine/Periodic 05/07/2018 Violations General Housekeeping (Rule 114) OK. All Equipment and Location in Good Shape. PJ STAINING AROUND WELLHEAD

Comments on Inspection:

19.15.10.8

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.

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.