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Tony Cooper McElvain Energy, Inc. 1050 17th Street Suite 2500 Denver, CO 80265-0265

Re: Well Name Howard Federal 15 #43, UL I Sec 15 Twn 25N Rge 2W, API # 30-039-23949

Dear Mr. Cooper:

The 2016 Bradenhead test on the above well indicates a failure. In order to comply with Rule 19.15.16.11, prevent waste and protect fresh water, you are hereby directed to initiate remedial activity before **September 28, 2016**. Initial Surface Casing psi was 59. Initial Production Casing psi was 177.

The Gas analysis and wellbore schematic have been received. Gas analysis show same gas on bradenhead and production casing.

Reference: RBDMS MPK1617634647 on future correspondence for this issue.

Notify the Aztec OCD 24 hours before work is initiated.

If you have any questions, please call me at 505-334-6178, ext. 116.

Sincerely yours,

Brandon Powell

Deputy Oil and Gas Inspector

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District III - Aztec

CC: Well File

BLM Farmington Field Office