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Attn: Mr. Emery C. Arnold

Dear Sir:



Thank you for your letter of April 26, 1967 concerning our State Tract 18-Well #2 and general information concerning water well, however; our letter of inquiry dated April 24, 1967 was concerning our ST#27 well and not the #18-2.

Earlier (in January, 1967), Mr. Hughes talked with Mr. A. R. Kendrick via telephone concerning setting casing on the ST#27 and making a water well out of it and then giving the water well to the Navajo Indians when Hughes & Hughes was through using it. Mr. Kendrick gave his verbal approval. It is our intention to return to the area within the next two weeks; therefore, we are seeking information concerning the forms to be filled out and procedure to follow so as to complete all the necessary paper work while in the area. Your assistance in this matter will be greatly appreciated.

Concerning the Hughes & Hughes State Tract 18-Well #2, please be advised that this well was plugged and abandoned March 23, 1967. I was unable to reach you or Mr. Kendricks on the night of March 22, 1967 or the morning of March 23rd to secure your approval for plugging; therefore, I called Mr. John L. Ward in Farmington early on the morning of March 23rd. After giving Mr. Ward all of the information concerning the well, he approved the plugging operation performed by Halliburton. I inquired of Mr. Ward if I should continue to try to reach you and advise you of our intent concerning the well, whereupon, Mr. Ward stated that this would not be necessary because he would contact you later in the day concerning it. We sincerely hope that this has not caused your office any inconvenience. The reason that we had not filled out and filed forms C-103 and C-105 for State Tract 18-2 was due to the fact that we were waiting to return to the area and supervise filling and leveling the pits properly. The forms, as well as a copy of the log, are enclosed, however, it will be approximately two weeks before the pits are filled and leveled properly.

Yours very truly.

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