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RE: Delinquent Reports

Dear Mr. Chavez:

In response to your letter of December 28, 1984, enclosed please find the delinquent reports you requested with the following exceptions:

1. Santa Fe Pacific 29 #3 - K-29-17N-9W. Shut in pressure report Form C-125. This well is currently producing and Dakota Resources Inc. would prefer to delay the test until spring to prevent freeze ups, causing additional down time.
2. Santa Fe Pacific 29-44 - P-29-17N-9W. Packer test, as per my phone call of 2/5/85 we are presently repairing mechanical communication between the Dakota and Hospah formations. As soon as repairs are complete and the well is returned to production we will supply a valid packer test.
3. Temporary abandonment request. As per my phone call of February 5, 1985 the Jeffrey Federal 30-41 is a federal lease, copy of temporary abandonment approval enclosed. Temporary abandonment request, Santa Fe Pacific 20 #12 enclosed. All other wells are producing.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call.

Yours very truly,

DAKOTA RESOURCES, INC.

D. M. Erickson
Operations Manager

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