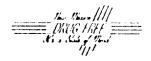


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Texaco, Inc. 3300 N. Butler Farmington, NM 87401

Dugan Production, Inc. P O Box 420 Farmington, NM 87499

Re: Douthit Browning #1 & #1J

J.05-13N-01W

Gentlemen:

It has come to our attention that the referenced wells have been divided in ownership, with Dugan purchasing and operating the Douthit Browning #1J and the Peggy Federal #1J, and Texaco operating the other two wells. We inadvertently approved the C-104s for these changes. Our rules do not allow two separate operators of the same drill tract or proration unit.

We need a decision right away as to who will operate and report the production for these wells. If we cannot receive clarification and new C-104's within 15 days we will have to cancel the existing C-104's.

Sincerely,

Frank T. Chavez' District Supervisor

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cc:BLM Farmington