

Drawer 600  
Farmington, New Mexico 87401

November 12, 1981



Benson Mineral Group  
1726 Champa Street, Suite 600  
Denver, Colorado 80202

Gentlemen:

Reference is made to your Sundry Notice dated October 15, 1981 requesting temporary abandonment status for one year on well No. 2 Federal 29-22-6, sec. 29, T. 22 N., R. 6 W., Sandoval County, New Mexico, lease No. NM-6676.

Pursuant to authority contained in CFR 30 221.8, concurrence with this request is contingent upon lessee's compliance with U.S. Geological Survey requirements as follows:

All lessees of leases which are in their extended terms by reason of shut-in well(s) are required to test at least one well on the lease every year to confirm that the lease remains capable of production in paying quantities. Each lessee is also required to submit data, on an annual basis, to show that it is not economically feasible to construct the necessary marketing facilities.

You are required to submit the subject data within 60 days of the date of this letter.

Any subsequent request to continue the temporary abandonment status of the subject well must be submitted through this office and concurrence received from the Regional Deputy Conservation Manager, South Central Region, Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Procedures governing appeals from final decisions and orders by Conservation Division officials are contained in the regulations in 30 CFR Part 290. A notice of appeal must be filed in this office within 30 days of receipt of the final decision or order being appealed.

Sincerely yours,

For Raymond W. Vinyard  
Acting District Oil and Gas Supervisor

Enclosure

cc: Copy to Alb. NMOCC  
Well file (active)  
Chronological

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