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Gentlemen:

Trans Delta Oil and Gas Co., Inc. is the operator of the No. 3 Crane-Federal well in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 32, T. 24 N., R. 1 W., and the No. 8 Crane-Federal well in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 29, T. 24 N., R. 1 W., both in Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, on Federal oil and gas lease New Mexico 036224. The No. 3 Crane-Federal has been temporarily abandoned for more than ten years, and the No. 8 Crane-Federal last produced in October 1968.

Temporary abandonment of any well under jurisdiction of the U.S. Geological Survey must now receive formal approval. Such approval may be granted, for a period not to exceed one year, provided reasons for temporary abandonment are deemed adequate.

Please submit an original and four copies of Sundry Notice (form 9-331) for each of the above wells requesting approval of their temporary abandonments. These requests should set forth the present status, date of last production, reason for requesting temporary abandonment, and future plans for the wells including approximate dates of planned workovers or plugging operations.

Sincerely yours,

(Orig. Sgd.) J. W. LONG

Jerry W. Long
District Engineer

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