UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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L. Type of Well GAS	 5. Lease Number Jic. Contract #65 6. If Indian, All.or Tribe Name Jic.Apache 7. Unit Agreement Name
2. Name of Operator Meridian Oil Inc. 3. Address & Phone No. of Operator Box 4289, Farmington, NM 87499 (505)326-9700 4. Location of Well, Footage, Sec, T, R, M. SW/4 SE/4 Sec. 16, T-25-N, R-4-W, NMPM	8. Well Name & Number Jicarilla C #12 9. API Well No. 10.Field and Pool
2.CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX TO INDICATE NATURE OF NOT Type of Submission Type of Notice of Intent Abandonment	11.County and State Rio Arriba County, NM TICE, REPORT, OTHER DATA Action Change of Plans New Construction Non-Routine Fracturing
Casing Repair	Water Shut Off Conversion to Injection
This well will be plugged and abandoned to surfa- sundry notice approved April 2, 1990 with one ex plugged before 12-31-91 instead of the date stat	ception: the well will be
	OIL CON. DIV.
14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true Signed James Madheela (JK) Title Regulatory	OIL CON. DIV.
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BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

Farmington Resource Area 1235 Laplata Highway Farmington, New Mexico 87401

IN REPLY REFER TO:

Jic Cont. 65

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MERIDIAN OIL AUG 21 1991 FARMINGTON, NEW MEXICO REGULATORY

Meridia P.O. Box 4289 Farmington, NM 87499

Gentlemen:

Returned with no action taken are your Sundry Notice Requests to plug and abandon Well No. 12 Jicarilla C, SWSE Sec. 16, T. 25 N., R. 4 W., Jicarilla Contract No. 65 for conditioning as a water well.

The Bureau of Land Management has requested that the Jicarilla Apache Tribe sign a standard water well release form that relieves Meridian of any further liability for this well after the proposed abandonment procedures are completed. Since the Tribe is not certain that the well will become a water source well, they do not wish to sign such a release.

In view of the circumstances, the well should be plugged and abandoned in accordance with the procedure approved April 2, 1990.

A copy of this letter is being sent to the BIA and the Jicarilla Tribal Water Development Committee for their information.

Sincerely.

ohn Phillips

Acting Area Manager

Enclosures

cc:

BIA, Dulce, NM