

STATE OF NEW MEXICO



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November 18, 1992

Mr. John Corbett Giant Exploration and Production PO Box 2810 Farmington NM 87499

RE: Illegal Pits in Northwestern New Mexico

Renate Hixon 31, J-21-25N-12W

Andy Williams Well No. 1, J-31-25N-12W

Dear Mr. Corbett:

Exceptions to Order R-8952 (C-134) were filed by Hixon in September 1989 and approved by the NMOCD the same month. On November 13, 1992 field inspections revealed that the above mentioned pits now contain oil (see enclosed copies). In order for these pits to remain in compliance, you are hereby directed to remove all oil by November 23, 1992. Approval of the C-134's will be rescinded if the pits are not returned to compliance.

If you have any questions please feel free to call this office.

Sincerely,

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Deputy Oil & Gas Inspector

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Don Ellsworth - BLM Farmington