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Romero Federal #1  
Rio Arriba County, NM

Reference is made to your letter 3162.3-2 (019) concerning Amoco's plans for the Romero Federal #1, NW/4 NW/4 Sec. 6, T29N, R4W, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, lease SF-079756-A. The subject well is a Gallup gas completion that has been shut-in since completion in July, 1985 due to lack of market.

Amoco plans to begin a detailed evaluation of connecting this well to pipeline. This will require a significant amount of time since there are few Gallup gas completions in the area for comparative analysis. Amoco will also evaluate the wellbore for uphole potential in the Mesaverde, Pictured Cliffs and Chacra zones. Other factors that have to be considered in the evaluation include obtaining right-of-way, negotiating with the pipeline company, assessing market conditions, ordering equipment, and timing of the physical installation. Daily operations are also of concern since the well is 30-40 miles from Amoco's current operations.

Due to the unique situation of this lease, Amoco anticipates having the evaluation completed within the next twelve months. Amoco will notify your office of the status of the project before year end. If you have any questions, please contact Theresa Wisda at (303) 830-4587.

Yours truly,

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