



STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
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AZTEC DISTRICT OFFICE

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Mr. R.J. Broussard  
Amoco Production Co.  
2325 East 30th  
Farmington, NM 87401

Re: Abrams L #1 Blowout - *M- 56- 310 110*

Dear Mr. Broussard:

The report you filed does not agree with the verbal report I received from your foreman. He told me that while the tubing was being pulled from the well it was flowing through the annulus to the pit. This causes me some concern because that is not an adequate means to relieve the pressure on a well while pulling tubing. Secondly, is it not standard procedure in your company to kill a well or at least install a tubing plug before pulling tubing at least in the vicinity of occupied homes?

Sincerely,

Frank T. Chavez  
District Supervisor

FTC/dj

xc: Mr. W.J. LeMay  
Well File  
Operator File