

New Mexico
Oil Conservation Commisison
AZTEC, NEW MEXICO

January 7, 1953

John J. Moya
Box 1085
Farmington, N.M.

Dear Mr. Moya:

We have just received 2 forms C--103 in triplicate concerning work done on your well west of Aztec in the Southeast Quarter of Section 7, Twp. 30 N., Range 11 W.

We note that you have the well designated as follows: John J. Moya - Juan Moya Pooled Unit - Jones #1. According to our previous records from the Notice of Intention to Drill the well was designated the Owen Drilling Company #1 Shepard Pooled Unit. As the well is on patented land belonging to Jones it is probably correct to change the well name to Jones; however, if you wish to change the name of the Operator, you will have to do the following things: (1) The Principal of the bond (Owen Drilling Co.) should notify the Commission in writing that the well (name, section, township, and range) has been transferred to a certain transferee (John J. Moya) for the purpose of ownership and operation. (2) On the same instrument the transferee should recite that he accepts such transfer and accepts the responsibility of the well under his bond, tendered therewith, or under a blanket bond on file with the Commission (Rule 101 of the Rules and Regulations, Oil Conservation Commission). We will then be able to release the Owen Drilling Co. from plugging responsibility of the well and you will be able to assume the plugging responsibility. Until this is done we will be unable to transfer ownership insofar as plugging responsibility is concerned and will continue to carry the well as the Owen Drilling Co. #1 Jones. If there is any way that we can help you in clarifying the rules and regulations and save you further work and trouble, please let us know.

We also note that you have failed to submit any information regarding where surface pipe was set or how cemented. We are returning the forms for your attention.

Yours very truly,

Emery C. Arnold
Oil & Gas Inspector
District #3

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