



September 12, 1996

Southern

Rockies

Business

Unit

Bureau of Land Management
1235 La Plata Highway
Farmington, New Mexico 87401

Re: Barnes B #9 Well

Gentlemen:

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OIL CON. DIV.
DIST. 3

In December of 1993, Amoco Production Company plugged the Mesaverde horizon, came up hole and perf'd the PC and Fruitland horizons in this well. Amoco did this as a means of converting the Barnes to a pressure monitor well. After our operations were complete, Amoco supplied the BLM with a subsequent report of those procedures which was approved by you in January of 1994. Amoco has now been notified by the New Mexico Oil and Gas Commission that they never received completion reports for the PC and Fruitland horizons and both completion reports were needed to correct their records. After checking our records, we discovered completion reports were never sent to the BLM only a subsequent report of operations. Amoco felt that since we had no intentions of producing these horizons for paying quantities of gas completion reports were not necessary. The PC and Fruitland were solely perf'd to monitor pressures.

In an effort to correct our problems with the State of New Mexico, we have attached completion reports for the PC and Fruitland horizons and ask that you approve same and forward approved copies to the NMOCD returning approved copies to Amoco for its records.

If you have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to call me at (303) 830-6157.

Sincerely,

Gail M. Jefferson

cc: NMOCD
Mark Stelling, Amoco Farmington Op Center