

CASE 13163: Continued from November 7, 2003, Examiner Hearing.

Application of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division for an Order Requiring Saba Energy of Texas, Inc., to Properly Plug Six Wells, Imposing Civil Penalties in Event of Failure to Comply, Authorizing the Division to Plug Said Wells in Default of Compliance by Operator, and Ordering a Forfeiture of Applicable Security, if Any, Lea County, New Mexico. The Applicant seeks an order requiring Saba Energy of Texas, Inc., the operator of six inactive wells in Lea County, New Mexico, to properly plug and abandon the same, imposing civil penalties in event of failure to comply, authorizing the Division to plug said well or wells if the operator fails to do so, forfeiting Operator's plugging security, if any, and providing for such other relief as the Director deems appropriate. The affected wells are the following:

Harton State #1	API # 30-025-28540	UL H, Section 7, T13S, R36E
Morris #1	API # 30-025-29247	UL D, Section 8, T13S, R36E
Fern Guye #1	API #30-025-34488	UL M, Section 5, T13S, R36E
Saba State #1	API #30-025-33726	UL I, Section 7, T13S, R36E
San Simon 5 State #1	API #30-025-27564	UL E, Section 5, T22S, R35E
San Simon 5 State #2	API #30-025-28480	UL G, Section 5, T22S, R35E