

STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT  
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

APPLICATION OF THE NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION, THROUGH THE SUPERVISOR OF DISTRICT I, FOR AN ORDER REQUIRING TOMMY L. WILLYARD AND TOMMY L. WILLYARD JR. DBA R.W. OIL COMPANY TO BRING FOUR WELLS INTO COMPLIANCE WITH 19.15.4.201 NMAC, ASSESSING AN APPROPRIATE CIVIL PENALTY IN THE EVENT OF NON-COMPLIANCE, AUTHORIZING THE DIVISION TO PLUG SAID WELLS AND ORDERING A FORFEITURE OF THE APPLICABLE PLUGGING BOND; CHAVES COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

CASE NO. 13412

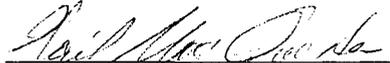
CERTIFICATE OF NOTICE

In accordance with Division Rule 1207 (19.15.14.1207 NMAC) I hereby certify that notice of the February 3, 2005 hearing setting in the above-captioned case, with a copy of the application, was mailed to the following by certified mail, return receipt requested, at least 20 days prior to that hearing date:

Tommy L. Willyard, Jr.  
Tommy L. Willyard  
P.O. Box 1209  
Lovington, NM 88260

Underwriters Indemnity Company  
8 Greenway Plaza, Suite 400  
Houston, TX 77046

A copy of the notice with the certified mail receipts is "Attachment A" to this certificate.

  
Gail MacQuesten

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 25<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2005.

  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

4/2/07

Before the OCD  
Case 13412  
OCD Ex. 10



# NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS and NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

**BILL RICHARDSON**  
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Oil Conservation Division

January 12, 2005

Tommy L. Willyard, Jr.  
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P.O. Box 1209  
Lovington, NM 88260  
Certified Mail No. 7099 3220 0009 7873 1513

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Ladies and Gentlemen:

You are hereby notified that the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division has filed the above-captioned Application seeking an order requiring Tommy L. Willyard and Tommy L. Willyard Jr. dba R.W. Oil Company to bring the following four wells into compliance with Division rules by plugging and abandoning the well, securing temporary abandonment status for the well, or returning the well to a Division-approved beneficial use:

Reno Federal #001, API 30-005-00548, UL L, Sec. 3, 15S, 31E, Chaves Co.  
Reno Federal #002, API 30-005-10151, UL M, Sec. 3, 15S, 31E, Chaves Co.  
Reno Federal #003, API 30-005-10152, UL K, Sec. 3, 15S, 31E, Chaves Co.  
Reno Federal #004, API 30-005-10153, UL N, Sec. 3, 15S, 31E, Chaves Co.

A copy of the Application is enclosed.

A hearing on this application will take place before a Division hearing officer on Thursday, February 3, 2005, at 8:15 a.m., in Porter Hall, First Floor, 1220 South St. Francis Drive in Santa Fe, New Mexico. At that hearing you will have an opportunity to show cause why an order should not be entered as requested in the Application. If you intend to present evidence at the hearing, you should file a pre-hearing statement at least four days in advance of the hearing, as required by 19.15.14.1208.B NMAC.

**Attachment A**

"Tommy L. Willyard dba RW Oil Co." posted a \$50,000 blanket plugging bond, number BO4841, through Underwriters Indemnity Company, to secure the operator's obligation to plug and abandon the wells identified above in compliance with Division rules. That security will be forfeited if an order is entered as requested in the attached application and the wells are not brought into compliance with Division rules by the date set by the order.

Inquiries concerning this application may be directed to the undersigned in the Santa Fe office of the Division at (505) 476-3451.

Very truly yours,



Gail MacQuesten  
Assistant General Counsel  
Ec: Chris Williams and Billy Prichard, District I

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 8 Greenway Plaza, Ste 400  
 Houston, TX 77046

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 Addressee

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*F. TAYLOR* *11/18/05*

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