

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

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APPLICATION OF THE NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION, THROUGH THE ENFORCEMENT AND COMPLIANCE MANAGER, FOR A COMPLIANCE ORDER AGAINST BUDDY DELONG D/B/A READY OIL AND GAS, FINDING OPERATOR IN VIOLATION OF RULE 19.15.4.201 NMAC AS TO TWO WELLS; REQUIRING OPERATOR TO BRING THE TWO WELLS INTO COMPLIANCE BY A DATE CERTAIN; AND IN THE EVENT OF OPERATOR'S NON-COMPLIANCE WITH SAID ORDER, DECLARING THE WELLS ABANDONED AND AUTHORIZING THE DIVISION TO PLUG AND ABANDON THE WELLS, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

CASE NO. 14075

**ENTRY OF APPEARANCE AND  
PRE-HEARING STATEMENT**

The Oil Conservation Division submits this entry of appearance and pre-hearing statement pursuant to OCD Rule 1211 [19.15.14.1211 NMAC].

**APPEARANCES**

APPLICANT

Oil Conservation Division

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RESPONDENT

Buddy Delong d/b/a Ready Oil & Gas

No entry of appearance filed.

**STATEMENT OF THE CASE**

The Oil Conservation Division ("OCD") is seeking a compliance order requiring Respondent Buddy Delong d/b/a Ready Oil & Gas to bring its two inactive wells into compliance with OCD Rule 19.15.4.201 NMAC ("Rule 201") by a date certain; requiring Respondent to plug and abandon the wells and restore and remediate the sites if it does

not return the wells to compliance with OCD Rule 201 by a date certain; and authorizing the OCD to plug and abandon the wells and restore and remediate the sites if Respondent does not comply with the Order.

**APPLICANT'S PROPOSED EVIDENCE**

WITNESS:

ESTIMATED TIME:

Daniel Sanchez  
Enforcement and Compliance Manager

30 Minutes

**PROCEDURAL MATTERS**

None at this time.

Respectfully submitted  
this 30 day of January 2008 by



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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing pleading was served upon the following by email at [buddy\\_delong@msn.com](mailto:buddy_delong@msn.com) and first class mail this 30 day of January 2008:

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