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## Stogner, Michael

From: Sent: To: Cc: Subject: Brooks, David K Tuesday, February 08, 2005 5:08 PM Stogner, Michael Ezeanyim, Richard; Sanchez, Daniel; MacQuesten, Gail Case No. 12771

Gail asked if this case should be dismissed. I said "no" because I think there are possible some live coals in that old fire, i.e. operators who have not plugged wells but still might.

However, I recognize that a great deal has happened since the hearing two and one-half years ago. Therefore I need to look at it and figure out what still needs action. I would not suggest you spend any more of your time on it till I do so. I hope to get that done in the next couple of weeks. Then maybe we can dismiss out a bunch of it and get it trimmed down to something you can work with.

Thanx

**David Brooks**