## State of New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

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## \*Response Required - Deadline Enclosed\*

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**LETTER OF VIOLATION - Inspection** 

Dear Operator:

The following inspection(s) indicate that the well, equipment, location or operational status of the well(s) failed to meet standards of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division as described in the detail section below. To comply with standards imposed by Rules and Regulations of the Division, corrective action must be taken immediately and the situation brought into compliance. The detail section indicates preliminary findings and/or probable nature of the violation. This determination is based on an inspection of your well or facility by an inspector employed by the Oil Conservation Division on the date(s) indicated.

Please notify the proper district office of the Division, in writing, of the date corrective actions are scheduled to be made so that arrangements can be made to reinspect the well and/or facility.

## **ATLANTIC 32 STATE** No.002 E-32-18S-33E 30-025-31222-00-00 Inspection \*Significant Corrective Type Inspection Inspector Violation? Inspection No. Date Non-Compliance? Action Due By: Mark Whitaker 09/08/2016 Routine/Periodic Yes No 10/21/2016 iMAW1625235658 **Violations** Surface Damage/Restoration Comments on Inspection: DO NOT RELEASE BONDS. Need to flush flowline to battery and disconnect at production header. Need to install new well sign at battery. Need to remove pumping unit, anchors, wellhead,

and conduit off power pole on northeast corner of location.

concrete, guard rails and other debris on north side of location, well sign, and power disconnect

INSPECTION DETAIL SECTION

In the event that a satisfactory response is not received to this letter of direction by the "Corrective Action Due By:" date shown above, further enforcement will occur. Such enforcement may include this office applying to the Division for an order summoning you to a hearing before a Divison Examiner in Santa Fe to show cause why you should not be ordered to permanently plug and abandon this well.

Sincerely,

Petroleum Engr. Specialist

Hobbs OCD District Office

Note: Information in Detail Section comes directly from field inspector data entries - not all blanks will contain data.

\*Significant Non-Compliance events are reported directly to the EPA, Region VI, Dallas, Texas.

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