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## \*Response Required - Deadline Enclosed\*

Field Inspection Program \*\*
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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.

## INSPECTION DETAIL SECTION

B-3-23S-37E ELLEN SIMS No.009 30-025-31957-00-00 Inspection \*Significant Corrective Type Inspection Inspector Violation? Inspection No. Non-Compliance? Date Action Due By: 03/02/2015 Routine/Periodic Mark Whitaker Yes No 4/10/2015 iMAW1506156781 Violations Surface Leaks/Spills Comments on Inspection: Oil tank has overflowed. Drip containment unit under oil load line full of fluid. NEED TO FILE C141 WITH TOMAS OBERDING (505-476-3403) IN OUR SANTA FE OFFICE REGUARDING CLEANUP REQUIRED. NEED TO REMOVE FLUID FROM DRIP CONTAINMENT UNIT UNDER OIL LOAD LINE AND PLASTIC CONTAINERS FROM LOCATION. 1ST NOTICE OF VIOLATION.

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,

COMPLIANCE OFFICER

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.

**EMNRD OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION 1625 N FRENCH DRIVE HOBBS NM 88240** 



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