

ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION ARTESIA DISTRICT OFFICE

JENNIFER SALISBURY
CABINET SECRETARY

May 15, 1995

H & W Enterprises Henry Hall & Chandler D. Wilcox P.O. Box 437 Artesia, NM 88210

Re: Properly Abandoned Wells, Mobil State #1 H-16-17S-31E

Dear Sirs,

Rule 201 A. states the operator of any well drilled for oil, gas or injection, for seismic, core or other exploration, or for a service well, whether cased or uncased, shall be responsible for the plugging thereof.

Rule 201 B. states a well shall be either properly plugged and abandoned or temporarily abandoned in accordance with these rules within 90 days after (1.) A 60 day period following suspension of drilling (2.) A determination that the well is no longer usable for beneficial purposes (3.) A period of one year in which a well has been continuously inactive.

Our records show the last date of production on the subject well was February 1979.

Please submit to this office by June 15, 1995 some plan for this well.

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Ray Smith Field Rep II