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Re: DASCO's Request to Plug and Abandon Wells

Dear Ms. Tripp:

The Oil Conservation Division ("OCD") received your emails of July 27-29, 2025, requesting permission for DASCO Energy Corporation ("DASCO") to plug and abandon the following well: Crawford State #003 (API No. 30-025-21473). Energy Acumen, LLC is the registered operator ("Operator") of this well, and OCD consents to DASCO's request to plug, abandon, and remediate the aforementioned well.

On or about March 14, 2022, the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division and Operator entered into an Agreed Compliance Order for Inactive Wells ("ACOI"), which included the Crawford State #003 well. For each well subject to the ACOI, including the Crawford State #003 well, Operator agreed to restore the well to production and file a C-115, place the well on approved temporary abandonment status in accordance with 19.15.25 NMAC, or plug the well in accordance with 19.15.25 and file a C-105. NMOC-D-ACOI-201941 is incorporated by reference herein as though set forth in full. On or about March 28, 2023, OCD notified Operator that it is out of compliance with the ACOI and that pursuant to paragraph 21 of the ACOI, OCD is authorized to plug and abandon certain wells, including the Crawford State #003 well. OCD hereby authorizes DASCO to plug, abandon, and remediate the above-identified well on OCD's behalf.

Please contact Michael Hall, Assistant General Counsel, at Michael.Hall@emnrd.nm.gov with questions, including the submission of plugging sundries, as OCD will not be transferring operatorship to DASCO and will need to insert the plugging sundries into the well files.

Regards,



Albert C.S. Chang
Division Director
Oil Conservation Division

7/29/2025

Date