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RODDY PRODUCTION COMPANY, INC.

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March 9, 2004

Mr. Fred Vigil
Jicarilla Apache Tribe
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Re: Assignment of Operating Rights
Jicarilla Contract No. 412
Jicarilla Contract No. 413

Dear Mr. Vigil:


30-039-20526

The New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department requested Roddy Production Company, Inc. plug and abandon the Chacon Jicarilla No. 1, Contract 413 by November 1, 2003. We cannot comply with this directive until we receive an approved assignment. Would you please advise the status of these assignments?

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

RODDY PRODUCTION COMPANY, INC.


Joyce Roddy
Vice President

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cc: Mr. Charlie T. Perrin
NM Energy, Minerals and natural Resources Department
Oil Conservation Division
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