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July 25, 1995

Mr Thurman Velarde
Oil & Gas Administration
Jicarilla Apache Tribe
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RE: A L Dawsey El Vado #1 N-11-27N-01E 30-039-24055 A L Dawsey El Vado #2 I-11-27N-01E 30-039-24053

Dear Thurman:

The above mentioned wells were brought to hearing on May 18, 1995 & ruled that the wells would be plugged or return the well to active drilling status on or before August 31, 1995. Should Mr Dawsey fail to carry out the order the wells will be plugged by the State.

Fred Vigil was in the office and I inquired as to the correct procedures or notification for access to the wells & he suggested I notify you of our intentions. If Mr Dawsey fails to comply we plan to plug the wells in September. The existing roads to the wells need a small amount of repair at the main road. Would you be able to give us some assistance on reworking the roads? Your help would be appreciated in this matter. Please advise me of your needs for access to wells.

Sincerely,

Johnny Robinson

Deputy O&G Inspector