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August 18, 1992

Mr. Tom Price  
Marathon Oil Company  
PO Box 552  
Midland, TX 79702

RE: Temporarily Abandoned Wells

Dear Mr. Price:

I have enclosed a copy of Memorandum 3-91-10 dated December 27, 1991. Plans to bring these wells into compliance were submitted to this office by June 30, 1992 and are listed below.

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|----------------------|--------------|--------------------------|
| Alice Bolack #7      | A-09-27N-11W | Needs TA 11/92           |
| Bolack #1            | H-16-27N-11W | Nit PA BLM Appr. 4/10/92 |
| Schwerdtfeger #12    | K-16-27N-11W | Needs TA 11/92           |
| Schwerdtfeger #9     | A-17-27N-11W | Needs TA 11/92           |
| Bolack #3            | G-21-27N-11W | Nit PA BLM Appr. 4/10/92 |
| Schwerdtfeger #3     | L-21-27N-11W | Nit PA BLM Appr. 4/10/92 |
| Ohio Government #2   | L-15-28N-11W | Needs TA 11/92           |
| Ohio C Government #6 | K-26-28N-11W | Return Production 4/92   |

\* The June C115 indicates that this well is still shut-in.

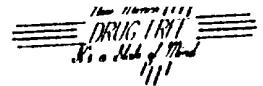
If you have any questions please feel free to contact this office.

Sincerely,

*Dianna K. Fairhurst*

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Deputy Oil & Gas Inspector

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DKF File  
Well File



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M-E-M-O-R-A-N-D-U-M (3-91-10)

TO: OPERATORS OF TA WELLS  
FROM: FRANK T. CHAVEZ, DISTRICT SUPERVISOR  
SUBJECT: TEMPORARILY ABANDONED WELLS  
DATE: DECEMBER 27, 1991

Gentlemen:

The attached list contains wells which our records show to be inactive and require P&A or TA approval under Rules 201, 202, and 203. Given the time it took to compile this list some of these wells may have already been P&A, approved for TA with a mechanical integrity test, or returned to production. Please review this list and return it to this office indicating the current status of each well. This list is to be returned to this office by February 3, 1992. Plans to bring these wells into compliance are to be submitted by June 30, 1992, and work completed by December 31, 1992. If you have a large number of wells that are not yet in compliance with Rule 203 contact this office and we will work with you (and the BLM if Federal or Indian wells are included) to draw up a schedule to bring these wells into compliance. Rule 203 requires that a notice of intent to temporarily abandon a well be submitted on a Sundry Notice (OCD form C-103 or to the BLM on their appropriate form) and that a mechanical integrity test be conducted prior to final approval.

Use the following abbreviations on the STATUS line:

|                                                                                                                                                          |                                                                                                                              |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| P&A (date)                                                                                                                                               | to show if the well is P&A and the date.                                                                                     |
| PROD                                                                                                                                                     | to show that a well has been returned to production.                                                                         |
| TA (date)                                                                                                                                                | (date of mechanical integrity test) <u>Do not use this abbreviation if the well has not had a mechanical integrity test!</u> |
| OTHER                                                                                                                                                    | to show that a well has been converted to other beneficial use and designate the new use.                                    |
| MC                                                                                                                                                       | to show a well that is part of multiple completion which is producing.                                                       |
| Leave the STATUS line blank if the well has been approved for TA <u>without</u> a test or the well has not produced for over a year without TA approval. |                                                                                                                              |

If there is an notice of intention to P&A filed and approved for any well on this list the work is to be completed by December 31, 1992, or the well is to be tested and approved for TA.