## STATE OF NEW MEXICO



## ENERGY, MINERALS and NATURAL RESOURCES DIVISION OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION AZTEC DISTRICT OFFICE



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May 3, 1994

MR TROY STRICKLAND S&I OIL CO #286 US HWY 64 FARMINGTON NM 87401

RE: BARBARA #1 P-12-29N-15W

DAVIE #1 M-02-29N-15W MOORE #1 E-12-29N-15W

TRS-EVI #1 H-11-29N-15W

BOB BLANCHE #1 L-12-29N-15W

DOROTHY #1 I-11-29N-15W

NEILSON #1 P-03-29N-15W

Dear Mr. Strickland

The last reported production for any of the referenced wells was for the month of July, 1991. Allowables were cancelled at a later date for failure to file production reports. A field inspection conducted on 5-2-94 revealed that the wells are in a state of extreme neglect with gas and water leaks on wellheads, fences down or in poor repair, stripped down or vandalized production equipment, oil stains from old stuffing box leaks, junk on locations and high dry weeds constituting fire hazards.

In order to comply with Rule 201, prevent waste, protect fresh water and protect the environment, you are hereby directed to submit a plan to bring the wells into compliance and return them to production, or initiate division approved P&A procedures prior to July 4, 1994. Failure to comply will result in a case being called for Troy Strickland and EV Isabell DBA S&I Oil Co., Commercial Union Insurance and all other interested parties to appear and show cause why the subject wells should not be plugged and abandoned in accordance with division approved plugging programs.

Yours Truly

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Well Files