## STATE OF NEW WIEXICO



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April 26, 1978

Ms. Lynn Teschendorf Oil Conservation Division P. O. Box 2088 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Re: Melborne Petroleum Corporation R. L. Finch #1 B-22-29N-11W

Haynes and V. T. Drilling Company
Hartman #1
C-31-29N-11W

Dear Lynn:

The first above well was plugged in 1960 by the bonding company of Berger, Briggs, and Company. (See Attached C-103) This well is now leaking and needs to be replugged.

The second well was plugged in 1953 by the owners. (See attached C-103) It now has pressure on the casing and will flow gas and water.

If appropriate, please docket cases for these wells or start the procedure to let bids for a contract to plug these wells.

Yours truly,

Frank T. Chavez

Deputy Inspector, District #3

Enclosures

FTC:no