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May 7, 1951

Mr. R. R. Spurrier,
Oil Conservation Commission,
Box 871,
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Spurrier:

Mr. I. A. Stephens informed me this afternoon that Tom Gordon, of Abilene, Texas, is not and never has been his agent. If you have any forms on his operations which show Mr. Gordon as agent, you should have them corrected.

For your information, the scout report is accurate in stating that this well has been whipstocked and I presume he has sent you Form C-103 on this operation.

Very truly yours,

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

BY


Justin Newman

JPN/lp

May 7, 1951

Mr. I. A. Stephens,
1502 Main St.,
Lubbock, Texas

Dear Mr. Stephens:

In regard to our telephone conversation this afternoon, I am sending you a copy of our Rules and Regulations.

Part of our misunderstanding came from the fact that I thought Mr. Tom Gordon was your agent. He told me last week you would send a report on the well and I still haven't received it.

When you read these Rules and Regulations you will no longer doubt that the Commission has the authority to supervise the drilling of your well in Quay County. I invite your attention to Rules 1101, 1113, 1303; Page 72, Section 4 and Page 73, Section 10.


You have declared this a "tight well", therefore, I am not requiring you to give the exact drilling depth or the formation. I would like a weekly report from you which would give the dates of the drill stem tests, cores and other unusual activities. If you supply me with this report, which the Director of the Commission has asked me to send in on all wells in this area, it will save me the time and expense of going to the well. As I pointed out before, the Commission has leaned over backward to cooperate with you but we do not intend to be lenient any longer if you are not going to cooperate with us.

My immediate supervisor is Mr. R. R. Spurrier,
Director, Oil Conservation Commission, Santa Fe, N. M.

Very truly yours,

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

BY


Justin Newman
Oil & Gas Inspector

cc: Mr. R. R. Spurrier
Santa Fe, N. M.

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Reference is being made to a copy of our Rules and Regulations. In regard to our telephone conversation this

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Section 10.
According to Rules 1101, 1111, 1103, Page 12, Section 1, and Page 13.
Also the finding of your will in Gary County. I invite your attention with no further doubt that the Commission has the authority to suggest that you read these Rules and Regulations for

1. You have designated it as a "light well", therefore I am not requiring you to give the exact drilling depth or the formation. I would like a weekly report from you which would give the dates of the drill stem tests, cores and other unusual activities. If you supply me with this report, which the Director of the Osmington has asked me to send in on all wells in this area, it will save me the time and expense of going to the well. As I pointed out before, the Commission has learned over the years to cooperate with you if we do not intend to be treated any longer if you are not going to cooperate with us.

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