

well
file

NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

AFFIDAVIT OF RESPONSIBILITY
CONVERSION TO WATER-WELL

STATE OF New Mexico)
County of Socorro) ss.

Richard B Laing, being first duly sworn according to law, upon his oath deposes and says:

1. That he is Owner of Sanchez No 2A
(Title) (Operator)

whose address is Box 535 Santa Fe New Mexico

2. That Richard B Laing is the operator of a well drilled on land be-
(Operator)
longing to Antonio F Sanchez, whose address is Schelle,
(Landowner)

New Mexico, said well being drilled to test for hydrocarbons and/or carbon dioxide gas and described as the Sanchez No. 2A, being located 1990' feet from the FWL line and 3350' feet from the FWL line of Section 23, Township 2 North, Range 4 East, NMPM, Socorro County, New Mexico.

3. That said well was drilled to a total depth of 428' feet, and that casing has been set and cemented as follows:

12" casing set to 222'

4. That operator and landowner have made an agreement whereby operator ~~(is)~~ (is not) to back fill pits, level location, and clear it of all junk. The agreement further provides that operator is to plug said well back to a plugged-back total depth of feet and transfer well to landowner for his use as a water-well. Operator will leave casing in the well as follows:

12" casing set to 222'

5. That when operator has complied with the provisions of Paragraph 4 above it will so notify the Oil Conservation Commission of the State of New Mexico on Commission Form C-103, together with a signed statement from the landowner that the provisions of Paragraph 4 above have been complied with to his satisfaction.

Richard B Laing
(Operator)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of June, A. D. 19 60.

[Signature]
Notary Public in and for the County of SF

STATE OF New Mexico)
County of Socorro) ss.

Antonio F Sanchez, being first duly sworn according to law, upon his oath deposes and says that when the provisions of Paragraphs 4 and 5 above have been complied with, he will accept the above-described well for his use as a water-well, and that he will assume all responsibility for the well, the location, and the conversion of the well to a water-well.

Antonio F Sanchez
(Landowner)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of June, A. D. 19 60.

Approved by 9/29/60
J. A. Aptema
District Attorney

[Signature]
Notary Public in and for the County of SF

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

P. O. BOX 871

SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

April 29, 1960

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United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company
301 San Mateo Boulevard, S.E.
Albuquerque, New Mexico

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Re: Plugging Sanchez Well No. 2-A, located 1990
feet from the West line and 3350 feet from
the North line of Section 23, Township 2
North, Range 4 East, Socorro County, New Mexico.

Gentlemen:

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Inasmuch as the subject well has been inactive for a
considerable period of time and has been abandoned by the opera-
tor, the Oil Conservation Commission now makes formal demand
upon United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, as surety on
the bond covering the subject well, to arrange to have this well
properly plugged and the plugging approved by the Oil Conserva-
tion Commission prior to June 30, 1960.

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Please contact Mr. James E. Kapteina, District Engineer
of the Oil Conservation Commission in Santa Fe, New Mexico rela-
tive to a proper plugging program for the subject well.

A recent field inspection of this well establishes that
not only is it not plugged but there is considerable junk adjacent
to the well.

Very truly yours,

OLIVER E. PAYNE
Special Assistant Attorney General

OEP:esr

cc: Mr. James E. Kapteina
Oil Conservation Commission
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Mr. Richard B. Laing
Mountainair, New Mexico

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

P. O. BOX 871

SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

Dear Sir:

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th inst. regarding the matter mentioned therein.

Very truly yours,

Very truly yours,

Director

Very truly yours,

Director

Very truly yours,

Director