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March 25, 1977

The Hanover Insurance Company
440 Lincoln Street
Worcester, Massachusetts 01605

Attention: K. J. Donnelly

Subject: NMOCC Case No. 3295
Powers-Marshall Well,
Harding County

Dear Mr. Donnelly:

Your letter of March 15th is only partially correct. I did meet with Mr. Casey of Daco Lease and Well Service Company at the well site of the subject operation. I am also satisfied that this company has knowledge of the well and may in fact have set some plugs therein. However, the abandonment operation was obviously never completed; the cellar remains partly open, the location is not cleared of junk or levelled, and the pits are not filled. Furthermore, Mr. Davis agreed to supply the Commission with a notarized statement detailing precisely when and what was done by way of plugging the well. To date, such data has not been provided.

Because there is presently no more specific and documented information than originally in our files, there is no basis for relinquishing your bond on the subject well. Furthermore, the present land owner has made demands that the surface area be cleared and levelled, which is only proper after all.

Yours truly,

CARL ULVOG
District IV Supervisor

cc: Mr. A. F. Casey
Daco Lease and Well Service
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Borger, Texas 79007