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"Response Required - Deadline Enclosed"

Field Inspection Program
"Preserving the Integrity of Our Environment"

09-Sep-19

VINSON EXPLORATION, INC.
 1525 Oliver Street
 Midland, TX 79701

LETTER OF VIOLATION - Field Inspection

Dear Operator:

The following inspection indicates that the well, equipment, location or operational status of the well failed to meet standards of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division as described in the detail section below. To comply with standards imposed by Rules and Regulations of the Division, corrective action must be taken immediately and the situation brought into compliance. The detail section indicates preliminary findings and/or probable nature of the violation. This determination is based on an inspection of your well or facility by an inspector employed by the Oil Conservation Division on the date indicated.

Please notify the proper district office of the Division, in writing, of the date corrective actions are scheduled to be made so that arrangements can be made to reinspect the well and/or facility.

INSPECTION DETAIL SECTION

[30-015-00282] CR MARTIN #001

OGRID: 283489

J-15-18S-26E 1650 FSL 1980 FEL

Inspection Date 9/9/2019	Type Inspection Routine Inspection	Inspector [GC] Gilbert Cordero	Corrective Action Due By 12/8/2019	Inspection No. iGC1925228425
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Violations:

Rule 19.15.25.8 Wells to be Properly Abandoned	Violation Noncompliance with Plugging Requirements
Comment: LAST REPORTED PRODUCTION 4-1-12. 2nd NOTICE. WELL MUST BE PLUGGED	
19.15.16.8 Sign on Wells	Absent Well Identification Sign
Comment: NO VISIBLE WELL SIGN	
19.15.10.8 Safety Procedures for Drilling and Production	General Housekeeping Required
Comment: WEEDS AROUND WELL AND TB NEED TO BE CLEARED	

9/9/2019

In the event that a satisfactory response is not received to this letter of direction by the "Corrective Action Due By:" date shown above, further enforcement will occur. Such enforcement may include this office applying to the Division for an order summoning you to a hearing before a Division Examiner in Santa Fe to show cause why you should not be ordered to permanently plug and abandon this well.

Sincerely,

Gilbert Cordero
Staff Mgr

Artesia OCD District Office

Note: Information in Detail Section comes directly from field inspector data entries - not all blanks will contain data.

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