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SLAYTON RESOURCES INC

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NOTICE OF VIOLATION - Inspection

Dear Operator:

The following inspection(s) indicate that the well, equipment, location or operational status of the well(s) 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(s) 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.

		INSPECTIO	N DETAIL	L SECTION		
NEW MEXICO A STATE 004 Inspection Date Type Inspection		O-10	O-10-11S-27E Inspector Violation?		Corrective Action Due By:	Inspection No.
07/18/2003	Routine/Periodic	Mike Bratcher	Yes	` No	8/21/2003	iMLB0319940454
Comments	on Inspection: No motor of	on pumpjack. Last produ	ction reported	was 2/01. Well is in viola	tion of Rule 201	
LEVICK D STATE 003 Inspection		B-15	B-15-11S-27E		Corrective	
Date	Type Inspection	Inspector	Violation?	*Significant Non-Compliance?	Action Due By:	Inspection No.
07/18/2003	Routine/Periodic	Mike Bratcher	Yes	No	8/21/2003	iMLB0319939789
Comments	on Inspection: Well sign is	s illegible and does not l	ist operator. V	iolation Rule 103.		
DEKALB A FEDERAL 001 Inspection		P-17	P-17-11S-27E		Corrective	
Date	Type Inspection	Inspector	Violation?	*Significant Non-Compliance?	Action Due By:	Inspection No.
07/21/2003	Routine/Periodic	Mike Bratcher	Yes	No	8/22/2003	iMLB0320249699
Comments of	on Inspection: Well sign li Rule 103.	sts Mountain States Pet	as operator. R	ecords indicate Slayton Re	esources. Violati	on

A-20-11S-27E 30-005-00307-00-00 **DEKALB FEDERAL 001** *Significant Corrective Inspection Inspector Violation? Inspection No. Type Inspection Non-Compliance? Action Due By: Date 07/21/2003 Routine/Periodic Mike Bratcher Yes No 8/22/2003 iMLB0320249011 Comments on Inspection: Well sign is mostly illegible and does not list operator. Violation Rule 103. LEVICK B STATE 001 B-21-11S-27E 30-005-00309-00-00 *Significant Inspection Corrective Type Inspection Inspector Violation? Inspection No. Date Non-Compliance? Action Due By: Routine/Periodic Mike Bratcher No 8/22/2003 iMLB0320250962 07/21/2003 Yes Comments on Inspection: Well sign does not list operator. Violation Rule 103. 30-005-00312-00-00 LEVICK A STATE 001 D-21-11S-27E *Significant Inspection Corrective Date Type Inspection Inspector Violation? Non-Compliance? Action Due By: Inspection No.

Well sign lists Mountain States Pet as operator. Records indicate Slayton Resources. Violation Rule 103.

No

8/22/2003

iMLB0320248664

Yes

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 Divison Examiner in Santa Fe to show cause why you should not be ordered to permanently plug and abandon this well. Such a hearing may result in imposition of CIVIL PENALTIES for your violation of OCD rules.

Mike Bratcher

Sincerely,

07/21/2003

Routine/Periodic

Artesia OCD District Office

Comments on Inspection:

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

*Significant Non-Compliance events are reported directly to the EPA, Region VI, Dallas, Texas.