

## NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

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\*Response Required - Deadline Enclosed\*

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06-Aug-09

LOV NO. 02-09-045

MOMENTUM OPERATING CO INC 224 SOUTH MAIN PO BOX 2439 ALBANY TX 76430-2439

**LETTER 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.

## INSPECTION DETAIL SECTION

**GULF No.001** 

A-28-18S-31E

30-015-20172-00-00

Inspection Date

Type Inspection

Inspector

Violation?

\*Significant Non-Compliance?

Corrective **Action Due By:** 

Inspection No.

07/23/2009 Routine/Periodic Kimberly Wilson

Yes

No

9/7/2009

iKMW0920435547

Comments on Inspection:

Idle well, last reported production was 12-05. Violation of NMAC 19.15.25.8 Operator must return well to benefical use, TA or submit P/A procedure to OCD District II office no later than September 7, 2009 for approval.

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.

Kimbelle M. Wilson

Note: Information 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

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