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BP AMERICA PRODUCTION COMPANY
PO Drawer 70
Artesia NM 88210

NOTICE OF VIOLATION - Rule 103 Well Sign

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

EMPIRE ABO UNIT 212

5-6-18S-28E

30-015-22637-00-0

| Inspection Date | Type Inspection | Inspector | Violation? | *Significant Non-Compliance? | Corrective Action Due By: | Inspection No. |
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| 02/12/2004 | Routine/Periodic | Mike Bratcher | Yes | No | 3/15/2004 | iMLB0404346633 |
| Comments on Inspection: Well sign lists footages as 1900 FNL- 100 FWL. Correct footage: 2450 FNL- 400 FWL. Sign is in violation of Rule 103. Please include API numbers on well signs. | | | | | | |

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. Such a hearing may result in imposition of CIVIL PENALTIES for your violation of OCD rules.

Sincerely,



Artesia OCD District Office

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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