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ANITA LOCKWOOD CABINET SECRETARY

July 20, 1994

Mr. Rand Carroll, Attorney Oil Conservation Division P.O. Box 2088 Santa Fe, NM 87504-2088

Re: Rapid Oil Company, Inc. Copelan State #1 Unit C and #2 Unit A Rabbit Flats Queen Pool Section 31, T-10S, R-27E, Chaves Cnty, New Mex.

Dear Mr. Carroll,

On March 30, 1993 plugging procedures were submitted to Mr. Stoval for use in obtaining bids to plug the subject wells with Oil and Gas Reclaimation Funds.

We are submitting the following additional information for your use in scheduling a show cause hearing and obtaining an order authorizing plugging:

- 1. Forms C-104 showing the last operator.
- 2. Correspondence to the operator requesting compliance. Returned to OCD as Not Deliverable and unable to forward. We understand that Rapid Oil Company is no longer in business.
- 3. The wells could be a threat to water and hydrocarbon resources in the area if not properly plugged.
- 4. Our records show that the bond covering the two wells was cancelled on June 24, 1987.
- 5. Plugging procedures and costs were previously submitted; We will provide additional copies if needed.
- 6. Please see attached list of plugging contractors.

Let us know if you need anything more.

Very Truly Yours

Ray/Smith Oil & Gas Inspector

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