

## ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT

**OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION** 

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Mr. William R. Mason P. O. Box 551 Robinson, Illinois 62454

> Re: Sterrett Community No. 1 Unit F, Sec. 29, T-11-S, R-25-E, Chaves County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Mason:

On February 15 I received a telegram from Weber Insurance and Realty Brokers, Inc., confirming the writing of a \$10,000 one-well bond to cover the abovereferenced well. The actual bond has never been submitted for Division approval, and you are therefore in violation of our state bonding laws.

You are also in violation of Division rules 1103 and 1105 for failure to submit certain forms as outlined in the attached letter of March 30 to you from our Artesia District Office.

Failure to comply with Division rules and regulations may result in a fine of up to \$1,000 per day. Please contact me immediately at 505-827-2741 concerning these problems, or the Division will be forced to commence legal proceedings.

Very truly yours,

(Ms.) LYNN TESCHENDORF General Counsel

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