



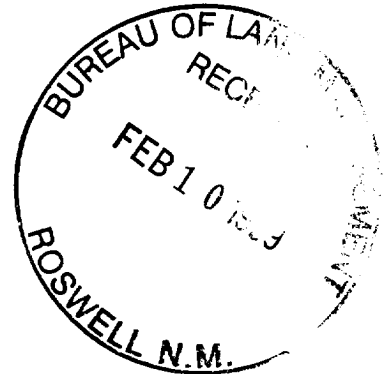
**Enron Oil & Gas  
Company**

P.O. Box 2267  
Midland, TX 79702  
(915) 686-3600

February 12, 1999

Bureau of Land Management  
2909 West Second Street  
Roswell, NM 88201

Attn: Alexis Swoboda



RE: Notice of Incidents of Non-Compliance  
Grayburg Deep No. 12 well  
Section 12-T17S-R29E  
Eddy County, NM

Dear Ms. Swoboda:

Enclosed herewith is copy of reference notice for the subject well. Also enclosed is copy of Sundry Notice dated 3/20/97 to temporarily abandon same. Enron Oil & Gas Company is currently evaluating the possibility of a re-entry and sidetrack procedure for re-completion of this well.

We would respectfully request permission to delay permanent abandonment of this well for a period of 180 days from this date. Enclosed for your review is Form 3160-5 outlining final abandonment procedure in the event we are unsuccessful in our sidetracking attempt. Also enclosed is schematic showing plugs that have already been set as well as plugs to be set for final abandonment.

Please consider this request and let us know of your decision at an early date. You can reach me by telephone at (915) 686-3714. Thanking you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

  
Mike Francis  
Agent