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January 22, 1996

Reuben F. Momsen Estate 201 W. Richardson Artesia, NM 88210

Re: Reuben F. Momsen, North State #1, Ut G-23-18S-27E

Dear Ms. Jonell Gilmore,

Since your last visit with the NMOCD here in Artesia, we have made two inspections of the above captioned well and we see no change in the status of this well except for an electric meter set but still reading zero.

This dialogue began with our letter dated March 22, 1995, with another letter September 5, 1995 and several conversations with you over the last several months.

We plan to proceed by February 1, 1996 to request our legal department to schedule a show cause hearing to order the well plugged unless we have something definite from you by this date.

Your Truly,

Ray Smith Deputy Oil & Gas Inspector

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