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November 17, 1989

- To: Offset Operators Marathon Hondo Oil & Gas. Inc. Oryz Energy Corporation Siete Oil & Gas. Inc. Santa Fe Energy Petroleum Corporation, Inc.
- Re: Notification of Deviated Wellbore Chaparrall State # 1 Sec. 32. T-19-S. R-29-E Eddy County. New Mexico

Gentlemen:

Enclosed you will find a copy of Form C-101 (APD) submitted to the State of New Mexico concerning the sidetracking of the above mentioned well.

In a recent re-entry of this well, Strata made an unsuccessful attempt to get into a casing stub at 6069'. After evaluation, it is Strata's intention to sidetrack by setting a cement plug over the stub and directionally drilling around the obstruction. The new bottom hole location should be approximately 1880' FNL & 860' FWL. (See enclosed diagram)

Please indicate your approval of this operation by signing and returning a copy of this notice to Strata at the letterhead address or via telefax at (505) 623-3533. If no opposing notice is received within 20 days from the letterhead date, we will assume your concurrence and will proceed.

Best Regards.

James G. McClelland

James G. McClelland Vice President - Administration 505-622-1127

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Yes, we approve, please continue.

No. we do not approve. please contact me.

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