## STATE OF NEW MEXICO -ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOULTES DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION ARTESIA DISTRICT OFFICE

JENNIFER SALISBURY CABINET SECRETARY

GARY E. JOHNSON GOVERNOR

May 21, 1997

Rand Carroll, Legal Bureau Oil Conservation Division 2040 S. Pacheco Street Santa Fe NM 87505

Re: D.W. Berry, State T #2 E-12-19-29, Quail St #1 N-8-17-28 and State A #1 K-2-15-29

Dear Rand;

We recommend the above captioned wells be plugged to protect fresh waters of the State of New Mexico, the environment and correlative rights in the area.

Our records show the bond to be canceled on these wells but Mr. Berry is the last operator of record and they did sign for certified mail. We have had no response from him.

Mr. Berry's address is P.O. Box 512, Alto, NM 88312.

Yours Trul

Ray Smith

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