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February 26, 1973

Tim Brewer  
Rt. 8, Box 282  
Tyler, Texas 75701

Dear Mr. Brewer:

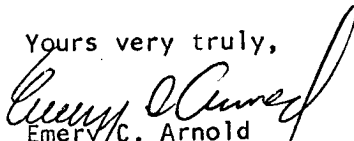
On July 3, 1972, the United States Geological Survey sent us copies of their Form 9-331 C, Application for Permit to Drill, for your Wha-Ta-Hell #1, G-4-20N-9W. You asked that the information concerning this well be kept confidential.

According to New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission Rules and Regulations we will hold this information confidential for a one year period, but this does not exempt you from rules requiring you to file the information.

Enclosed is a copy of a page from New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission Rules and Regulations. Since this well is on federal land, we will accept copies of Federal Form 9-331, Sundry Notice and Report on Wells. File these reports with the United States Geological Survey Office in Farmington, New Mexico, and they will send us the necessary copies.

Thank you.

Yours very truly,

  
Emery C. Arnold  
Supervisor, District #3

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Encl.

cc: U. S. G. S.  
Farmington, New Mexico

B. Form C-103 as a Subsequent Report

Form C-103 as a subsequent report of operations shall be filed in accordance with the section of this rule applicable to the particular operation being reported.

Form C-103 is to be used in reporting such completed operations as:

- (1) Commencement of drilling operations
- (2) Casing and cement test
- (3) Altering a well's casing installation
- (4) Temporary abandonment
- (5) Plug and Abandon
- (6) Plugging back or deepening
- (7) Remedial work
- (8) Installation of artificial lifting equipment
- (9) Change in ownership of a drilling well
- (10) Such other operations which affect the original status of the well but which are not specifically covered herein

Information to be entered on Form C-103, Subsequent Report, for a particular operation is as follows:

(1) Report of Commencement of Drilling Operations

Within ten days following the commencement of drilling operations, the operator of the well shall file a report thereof on Form C-103 in TRIPLOCATE. Such report shall indicate the hour and the date the well was spudded.

(2) Report of Results of Test of Casing and Cement  
Job; Report of Casing Alteration

A report of casing and cement test shall be filed by the operator of the well within ten days following the setting of each string of casing or liner. Said report shall be filed in TRIPLOCATE on Form C-103 and shall present a detailed description of the test method employed and the results obtained by such test, and any other pertinent information required by Rule 107. The report shall also indicate the top of the cement and the means by which such top was determined. It shall also indicate any changes from the casing program previously authorized for the well.

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(3) Report of Temporary Abandonment

A report of temporary abandonment of a well shall be filed by the operator of the well within ten days following completion of the work. The report shall be filed in TRIPLOCATE and shall present a detailed account of the work done on the well, including location and type of plugs used, if any, type and status of surface and downhole equipment, and any other pertinent information relative to the overall status of the well.

(4) Report on Plugging of Well

A report of plugging operations shall be filed by the operator of the well within 30 days following completion of plugging operations on any well. Said report shall be filed in TRIPLOCATE on Form C-103 and shall include the date the plugging operations were begun and the date the work was completed, a detailed account of the manner in which the work was performed including the depths and lengths of the various plugs set, the nature and quantities of materials employed in the plugging operations including the weight of the mud used, the size and depth of all casing left in the hole, and any other pertinent information. (See Rules 201-204 regarding plugging operations.)

No plugging report will be approved by the Commission until the pits have been filled and the location leveled and cleared of junk. It shall be the responsibility of the operator to contact the appropriate District Office of the Commission when the location has been so restored in order to arrange for an inspection of the plugged well and the location by a Commission representative.

(5) Report of Remedial Work

A report of remedial work performed on a well shall be filed by the operator of the well within 30 days following completion of such work. Said report shall be filed in QUADRIPLICATE on Form C-103 and shall present a detailed account of the work done and the manner in which such work was performed; the daily production of oil, gas, and water both prior to and after the remedial operation; the size and depth of shots; the quantity of sand, crude, chemical or other materials employed in the operation, and any other pertinent information. Among the remedial work to be reported on Form C-103 are the following:

- (a) Report on shooting, fluid fracturing or chemical treatment of a previously completed well

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