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Jennifer A. Salisbury

February 11, 1998

Rand Carroll EMNRD Gen Counsel 2040 S Pacheco St Santa Fe NM 87505

RE: Conoco Inc., Cougar #2, K-36-25N-02W, 30-039-20780

Dear Rand:

The above-mentioned well was found inactive and not in compliance with Rule #201, 202 & 203 on June 6, 1997. Conoco Inc. had six wells to bring into compliance. After several extensions, they were directed to plug & abandon the Cougar #2 before January 15, 1998.

As I understand Jimmy Carlisle, they are willing to P&A the well but they are having problems with the land owner giving them access to the well. He asked that you send a letter to him with anything that could help him get access to the well.

Please send letter to: Attn: Jimmy Carlisle

Conoco Inc.

10 Desta Dr Ste 100 West

Midland TX 79705

Sincerely,

Johnny Robinson

Deputy O&G Inspector

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attachments