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Mineral Department  
Navajo Tribe  
PO Box 146  
Window Rock, AZ 86515

Re: Tribal Owned Oil and Gas Wells

Gentlemen:

Our records indicate that there are several wells on the reservation which are owned by the Navajo Tribe.

*File*  
Well Name NAVAJO TRACT 4 #1  
Location NE/NW Section 20, Township 27 North, Range 17 West  
API # 30-045-6436

This well was originally drilled by Amerada Hess Corporation and then turned over to the Navajo Tribe by a letter from Amerada to the BIA. It was supposed to supply gas for the NTUA but the well has been neglected for many years.

Well Name NAVAJO TRACT 20 #1  
Location NW/NW Section 31, Township 29 North, Range 17 West  
API# 30-045-07747

Well Name NAVAJO TRACT 20 #2  
Location NW/SW Section 30, Township 29 North, Range 17 West  
API# 30-045-07839

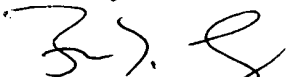
Well Name NAVAJO TRACT 20 #3  
Location SE/NW Section 31, Township 29 North, Range 17 West  
API# 30-045-22416

Well Name NAVAJO TRACT 20 #31  
Location NW/NE Section 31, Township 29 North, Range 17 West  
API# 30-045-22985

These four wells were last operated by Vista Resources, Inc. and were abandoned to neglect when the company became defunct. Two of these wells are being used for stock watering.

We are currently automating our well records and it is important to put these wells under the correct documented ownership. If you are actually responsible for these wells could you send us a memorandum or letter to that effect to make it official in our records or otherwise inform us that these wells do not belong to the tribe.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'F. Chavez', written over the printed name.

Frank T. Chavez, District Supervisor