

P.O. Box 959
Farmington, New Mexico 87401

May 13, 1980

Patrick Petroleum Corporation
Colorado National Bank Building
250 17th Street, Suite 1655
Denver, Colorado 80202

Gentlemen:

Returned herewith unapproved is your sundry notice requesting temporary abandonment of well No. 1 STP Federal, NE1/4 sec. 17, T. 27 N., R. 12 W., San Juan County, New Mexico, lease NM 35016. In order to place this well in an acceptable condition for temporary abandonment, it is necessary to place a bridge plug no more than 50 feet above the upper most perforations. Either submit a plugging program for the subject well, including the anticipated time the work will be done or a revised request for temporary abandonment, including the required bridge plug.

Any temporary abandonment will be for a period of one year and you will be required, at the end of that time, to show cause why the well should not be permanently plugged and abandoned. The requested sundry notice should be received in this office within 30 days from the date of this letter.

Sincerely yours,

James F. Sims
District Oil and Gas Supervisor

Enclosure

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