

P. O. Box 959
Farmington, New Mexico 87401

July 24, 1980

Patrick Petroleum Corp. of Michigan
388 Denver Club Bldg.
Denver, CO 80202

Gentlemen:

Reference is made to your well No. 1-17 STP Federal, NE1/4NW1/4 sec. 17, T. 27 N., R. 12 W., San Juan County, New Mexico, lease NM 33016. Your sundry notice dated June 6, 1980 indicates the well will be shut-in for some period of time. If it is not anticipated to resume completion operations within the next 60 days, the following items must be furnished and performed:

1. A request for temporary abandonment submitted to this office.
2. Install a bridge plug or cement above any open perforations and shut-in at the surface.

Any temporary abandonment approval will be for a period of one year and at the end of that time you will be required to show cause why the well should not be permanently plugged and abandoned.

Authority for this action is contained in 30 CFR 221.34 Well Abandonment. This action is subject to administrative appeal pursuant to 30 CFR 290.

Please take the appropriate action.

Sincerely,

James F. Sims
District Oil and Gas Supervisor

cc: Well file (Perm)
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