



NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS and NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

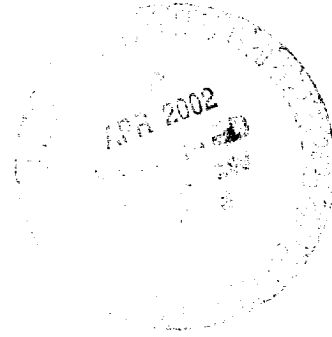
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April 8, 2002

Lori Wrotenbery
Director
Oil Conservation Division

Mr. Norman L. Gilbreath
P.O. Box 208
Aztec, NM 87410

Re: \$5,000 One-Well Plugging Bond
Norman L. Gilbreath, Principal
RLI Insurance Company, Surety
Emery C Arnold No. 1 – 770' FSL and 1270' FEL
Section 14, Township 29 North, Range 11 West,
San Juan County, New Mexico
Bond No. RLB0004335



Dear Mr. Gilbreath:

The New Mexico Oil Conservation Division hereby approves the above-captioned one-well plugging bond.

Sincerely,

DAVID K. BROOKS
Assistant General Counsel

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cc: Oil Conservation Division –Aztec District Office

RLI Insurance Company
8 Greenway Plaza, Suite 400
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