

**THOMAS OIL & GAS INC.
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SAN ANGELO, TEXAS 76906**

July 5, 1999

Dorothy Phillips
Oil Conservation Division
2040 S. Pacheco Street
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Re: Bond Release
Rio Arriba County, New Mexico

Dear Ms. Phillips,

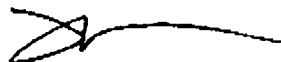
This letter is sent to request that the Oil Conservation Division release the bond on the following wells:

Garcia 1R, 1800' FSL & 350' FEL, Section 24, Twsp. 31(North), Range 2 (East),
Rio Arriba, County, Bond # 3SE921156.

This well was plugged in December, 1998. There is a second Bond on the Garcia #4, which was to be located 940' FEL & 1200' FSL, Section 24, Twsp. 31 (North), Range 2 (East), Rio Arriba, County. Bond # 3SE921157. This well was never permitted, nor will it be. Please release these two bonds as necessary and forward the releases to:

Maryanne Cornell
Reynolds Insurance
200 W. DeVargas St., Suite 8
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501.

Sincerely,



P. M. Thomas
Thomas Oil & Gas Inc.

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*I Told Dorothy to hold Bonds
Paper work not complete*

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