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September 11, 1962

Mr. Emery C. Arnold District Supervisor Oil Conservation Commission 1000 Rio Brazos Road Aztec, New Mexico

> Re: M. J. Florance No. 1 Florance Pooled Unit, Section 8, Township 30 North, Range 11 West, Aztec-Pictured Cliffs Pool

Dear Mr. Arnold:

We have today dispatched a demand letter to Mr. Douglas E. Florance and his bonding company concerning the above well. We tentatively plan to docket a case for the October 10th examiner hearing to permit them to appear and show cause why the well should not be plugged.

We will keep you further advised.

Very truly yours,

JAMES M. DURRETT, Jr.,

Attorney

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DIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

1000 RIO BRAZOS ROAD AZTEC, NEW MEXICO

September 7, 1962

0il Conservation Commission Box 871 Santa Fe, New Mexico

Attn: Mr. James Durrett

Re: M. J. Florance #1 Florance Pooled Unit Section 3-30N-11W, Astec Pictured Cliffs Pool

Dear Mr. Durrett:

You have in your files a copy of a letter which was mailed from this office to Mr. Douglas E. Florance demanding that the above well either be worked over and placed on production or permanently plugged and abandoned. This letter was dated August 23, 1962. By this letter Mr. Florance was given seven days to notify us of his intentions. We have had no response to the letter.

This well was originally completed as a producing gas well in the Pictured Cliffs Formation but has shown no production for the last several years. Hr. Florance has told us that he thinks failure to produce is due to mechanical difficulties and that the well could be successfully worked over. However I do not believe the Commission should delay any further in requiring that action be taken, he the well is located in a reservoir which is not depleted and also upon a drill block which is not depleted I believe that it would be advisable to set the matter for hearing so that the operator may have an opportunity to show cause why the well should not be plugged and abandoned. I will await your advice in the matter.

Yours very truly

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Enery C. Arnold
Supervisor, District #3

cc: The Fund Insurance Company P.O. Box 8266 Albuquerque, New Mexico

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DIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

1000 RIO BRAZOS ROAD AZTEC. NEW MEXICO

August 23, 1962

Douglas E. Florance P.O. Box 645 Albuquerque, New Mexico

> Re: M.J. Florance #1 Florance Pooled Unit, 8-30N-11W

Dear Mr. Florance:

At the time of our last communication regarding the above well you informed me that another operator was purchasing the well and intended to work it over.

As we have heard nothing further from a new operator regarding the matter we presume that ownership has not been transferred. As you know, this well has now been in a temporarily abandoned state without proper plugging for much longer than the rules allow. We therefore must insist that we have some word from you within seven days that you intend to see that action is taken to either plug and abandon this well or return it to production.

In the event such word is not forthcoming immediate action will be taken to require the bonding company to permanently plug and abandon the well.

Yours very truly

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Emery C. Arnoid Supervisor, District #3

cc: Mr. James Durrett
OCC, Santa Fe, N.M.

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MAIL ADDRESS: P. O. BOX 8266

5 June 1962

Emery C. Arnold Supervisor, District III Oil Conservation Commission 1000 Rio Brazos Road Aztec, New Mexico

Subject - File: F 106 S 6354

M. J. Florance #1 Florance Pooled Unit, 8-30N-11W

Dear Mr. Arnold:

Your letter July 21, 1961 addressed to Douglas B. Florance, 323 Simms Building, Albuquerque, New Mexico had a copy which was directed to this office for our attention.

Please be advised that since this date we have requested developments pertaining to your demand but have heard nothing from Mr. Florance.

We would appreciate your kind attention to this matter by advising this office direct what steps Mr. Florance has taken to properly abandon the thole and also advise in what way we may be of help to your office.

Yours very truly,

John W. Hillin Claims Adjuster

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