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John A. Yates Jr. P.O. Box 853 Artesia, NM 88210

Re: Murphy Kirkpatrick Federal #2-API 30-041-00218

Dear Mr. Yates:

We are in receipt of the C103 subsequent report of the work done on the well above. We appreciate the work that was done to restore this well to production. However the well will have to stay on the inactive well list until such time as a gas connection becomes available. A possible date of when you believe the well will be connected can be entered into the system, so this well will not come up for hearing on the scheduled hearing date. We are attempting to bring the majority of the wells, if not all, into compliance by 6/30/02.

Sincerely

Chris Williams

NMOCD District 1 Supervisor

Mis Welliams

CC:

David Brooks, NMOCD Attorney Lori Wrotenbery, NMOCD Director

BEFORE EXAMINER

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_ EXHIBIT NO. <u>83</u>

CASE NO:

12758-A

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