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Re: Case No. 12811: Application of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division for an Order Requiring Operators to Bring Three Hundred Eighty-Eight (388) Wells into Compliance with Rule 201.B, and Assessing Appropriate Civil Penalties; Eddy, Chaves and Otero Counties, New Mexico.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Be advised that the Division is now satisfied that all of your wells that are named in the captioned proceeding are in compliance.

Accordingly, by copy of this letter to Hon. Michael E. Stogner, Hearing Examiner, the Division staff is requesting that this case be dismissed as to your company.

Very truly yours,

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ec: Hon. Michael E. Stogner, OCD

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cc: Michael H. Felderwert, Esq.