

NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS and NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

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NOTICE OF VIOLATION - Inactive Well(s)

Dear Operator:

A review of our records and recent inspection(s) indicate that the subject well(s) has been shut-in for an extended period of time. Rule 201 of the Rules and Regulation of the Oil Conservation Division provides that a well may be shut-in no longer than sixty days after suspension of drilling operations, upon determining that ther well is no longer usable (e.g., a dry hole), or one year after last production. To comply with guidelines as established in the Rules and Regulations, corrective actions must be taken immediately and the well(s) brought into compliance.

The detail section below indicates preliminary findings and/or probable nature of the violation.

The following options are available:

1. Immediately restore the well(s) to production, injection or disposal as applicable.

2. Request 'Temporary Abandoned' status pursuant to Rule 203, which requires that you set a plug and conduct a mechanical integrity test.

3. Submit a proposal to 'Plug and Abandon' the well(s) pursuant to Rule 202, proceed with plugging procedures on a timely basis after the proposal has been evaluated, amended and/or approved.

In the event that a satisfactory response is not received to this letter of direction by the "Corrective Action Due By:" date shown above, further enforcement will occur. Such enforcement may include this office applying to the Division for an order summoning you to a hearing before a Division Examiner in Santa Fe to show cause why you should not be ordered to permanently plug and abandon this well. Such a hearing may result in imposition of CIVIL PENALTIES for your violation of OCD rules.

IDLE WELL INSPECTION DETAIL SECTION JFBLACK001 G-21-24S-37E 30-025-11178-00-00 Inspection No. iELG0510449738 Inspection Date: 4/14/2005 1:48:51 PM Corrective Action Due by: 7/18/2005 Type Inspection Inspector Violation? *Significant Non-Compliance? Routine/Periodic E.L. Gonzales Yes No Comments on Inspection: THIS WELL HAS BEEN IDLE A LONGTIME -- NEED TO T/A , P/A OR PUT WELL ON PROD. THIS IS THE 2ND LETTER OF NON-COMPLIANCE. JFBLACK 004 Inspection No. iELG0510448850 F-21-24S-37E 30-025-11183-00-00 **Inspection** Date: 4/14/2005 1:33:56 PM Corrective Action Due by: 7/18/2005 Violation? *Significant Non-Compliance? Type Inspection Inspector Yes Routine/Periodic E.L. Gonzales No Comments on Inspection: THIS WELL HAS BEEN IDLE A LONGTIME--TBG. IS OPEN @ WELLHEAD--NEED TO T/A, P/A OR PUT ON PROD. ALSO, NEEDS A WELL SIGN. THIS IS THE 3RD LETTER OF NON-COMPLIANCE. (COMPLIANCE IS DUE 5-15-05) IF MORE TIME IS NEEDED TO REPAIR WELL PLS. CONTACT CRIS WILLIAMS @ 393-6161 EXT 102.

Oil Conservation Division * 1625 N. French Drive * Hobbs, New Mexico 88240 Phone: 505-393-6161 * Fax: 505-393-0720 * http://www.emnrd.state.nm.us

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Cases 13858 & 13859 OCD Ex. No. 35

Mark E. Fesmire, P.E. Director Oil Conservation Division

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Inspection Date: 4/14/2005 1:24:44 PM		Corr	Corrective Action Due by: 7/18/2005		
Type Inspection	Inspector	Violation	Significant Non-Compliance?		
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Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter and your efforts in helping to protect our environment and the infrastructure of the oil and gas industry.

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Chris Williams, District Supervisor

Hobbs OCD District Office

Sincerely,

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* Significant Non-Compliance events are reported directly to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region VI, Dallas, Texas.

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