

NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS and NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

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Wood, McShane & Thams P.O. Box 968 Monahans, TX 79756

Trinity Universal Insurance Company P.O. Box 655028 Dallas, TX 75265-5028

VIA CERTIFIED MAIL, RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Re: Case No. 13129: Application of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division for an Order Requiring Wood, McShane & Thams to Properly Remediate the Location of a Plugged Well, Assessing an Appropriate Civil Penalty in Event of Operator's Failure to Comply, Authorizing the Division to Perform Remediation and Ordering a Forfeiture of Applicable Bond; Roosevelt County, New Mexico

Ladies and Gentlemen:

You are hereby notified that the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division has filed the referenced Application, a copy of which is enclosed herewith, seeking an Order requiring remediation of an abandoned well site located in Roosevelt County, New Mexico, specifically identified in said application.

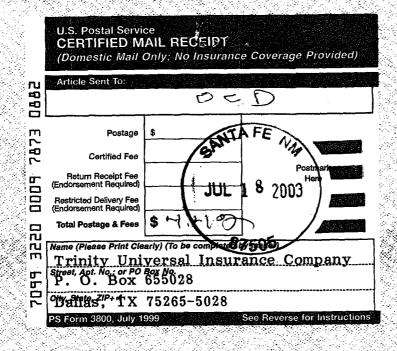
A hearing on this application will take place before a Division hearing officer on Thursday, August 7, 2003, at 8:15 a.m., in Porter Hall, First Floor, 1220 South St. Francis Drive in Santa Fe, New Mexico. At that hearing you will have an opportunity to show cause why an order should not be entered as requested in the Application.

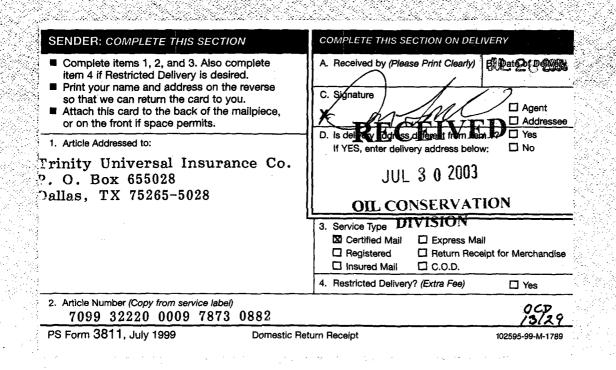
You posted a surety bond, in the amount of \$50,000, No.414372 issued by Trinity Universal Insurance Company. That security will be forfeited if an order is entered as requested in the attached application and you fail to comply therewith.

Inquiries concerning this application may be directed to the undersigned in the Santa Fe office of the Division at (505)-476-3450.

Very truly yours,

David K. Brooks Assistant General Counsel





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