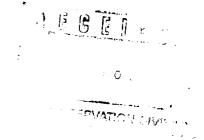
## Patrick Woosley P.O. Box 215 Cortez, CO 81321



December 12, 2000

N.M. Energy, Minerals & Resources Dept. 2040 South Pacheco P.O. Box 6429 Santa Fe, NM 87505-5472

ATTN: Lori Wrotenbery, Director

Dear Ms. Wrotenbery,

We have attempted more than once to inform your Santa Fe office that A.P.A. Development, Inc. is no longer at this address. Please see the enclosed envelope and contents, which we filed for future use (such as the letter we just received from you, also enclosed.)

Mr. Power told us that he went in to your Aztec office and got help there in filling out his production reports after the change of ownership. We assume that he filed some of those, and that that office and yours knew of the transfer of A.P.A. Development, Inc. at the time.

The BLM, BIA, MMS, and Navajo Minerals were all notified at the time of the ownership transfer to Mr. Power.

Some time after our transfer of A.P.A. Development, Inc. to Mr. Power, he sold it to Mr. Jeff Einardt (see enclosed copies of the Bill of Sale and Purchase and Stock Transfer Agreement.)

What happened to A.P.A. Development, Inc. after that, we don't know. We have had nothing to do with their operations since March 1997, when we transferred the company to Mr. Power.

You should be contacting Mr. Einardt about the non-production and fines referred to in your letter (enclosed), if he is still the owner of A.P.A. Development, Inc.

We cannot stress strongly enough that we have nothing to do with A.P.A. Development, Inc. and it's Operations. Please don't continue to send us their mail as we have neither the responsibility nor the right to accept it. It will be returned to you unopened.

Sincerely,

Patrick Woosley

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