## CERTIFIED MAIL RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

September 8, 2000

141913 MINERAL TECHNOLOGIES INC PO BOX 5823 MIDLAND, TX 79704

Re: Current Status of Oil and Gas Wells

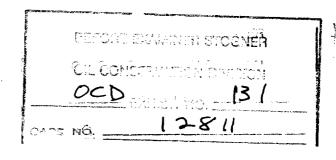
In May of this year, the Oil Conservation Division ("Division") sent a letter to you setting forth the Division's information on wells for which you are the operator of record. The letter requested a response with additional information. The Division has had no response to the letter. The Division presumes you agree with the information in the letter regarding your inactive wells.

The wells have not shown production or been reported on Form C-115 for more than one year. The wells are not in compliance with the Division's rules and the New Mexico Oil and Gas Act.

You are hereby directed to bring these wells into compliance within 60 days. In the alternative, within 30 days you may submit a compliance plan including a schedule of activities with dates.

Sincerely,

Tim Gum
District Supervisor



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