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11448 Rhonda Operating Co.  
500 North Lorraine, Suite 1000  
Midland, TX 79701

American Employers' Insurance Company  
One Beacon Street  
Boston, MA 02108

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11449 Abbot Ventures  
c/o Ralph Abbot  
3013 N. 100 West  
Provo, UT 84604

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11450 Ralph Abbot  
[Same address as ② above]

Aetna Casualty and Surety Company  
P.O. Box 52036  
Phoenix, AZ 85072

→ 11450

→ 11449

1/2/96 TCW Ralph Abbot

① 3 bbl./day → Hayback  
→ Well Plug

② Palmer #1 →

Gring  
Scott  
→ Central  
Resources  
203/830-0100  
90 days



NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS  
& NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION  
2040 South Pacheco Street  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505  
(505) 827-7131

**Rand on these two files:**

**Ralph Abbott - Palmer Well No.1 - Case No.**  
**11449 R-10536 and** *Transferred to Bob Bayless*  
**N.E. Hogback State NM Well No. 1 Case No.**  
**11450-R-10537** *Plugged by Operator 1/22/96*

*12/9/96*  
*TA*  
*approved*

**They were consolidated for purpose of testimony.**  
**An order was issued and it stated that if Mr.**  
**Abbott did not comply with plugging the wells by**  
**May 1, 1996 OCD would proceed to plug the wells.**  
**There was a \$5,000 bond for the Palmer Well No.**  
**1 with Aetna Casualty but the Hogback had no**  
**bond to cover it. The files do not show payment**  
**by insurance company or final outcome. There is**  
**no well plugging contract on file?**