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New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department  
Oil Conservation Division  
1301 W. Grand  
Artesia, NM 88210

Attn: Chris Beadle

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Re: Notice of Violation – Inspection

Dear Mr. Beadle:

We have received your letter dated August 19, 2005 regarding an inspection performed on the Shrike 10H Com No. 001. The violation noted during the inspection has been corrected. The contaminated area has been removed and remediated. The area was back filled. A cooy of your letter is attached.

Please feel free to contact me at 281-618-4749 or our field representative, Bruce Drummond at 505-631-8083 if you require any additional information or have any questions.

Sincerely,

Southwestern Energy Production Company

W. Kurt Butler

Senior Staff Production Engineer

Attachment

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# NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS and NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

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**SOUTHWESTERN ENERGY PRODUCTION COMPANY**

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**NOTICE OF VIOLATION - Inspection**

Dear Operator:

The following inspection(s) indicate that the well, equipment, location or operational status of the well(s) failed to meet standards of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division as described in the detail section below. To comply with standards imposed by Rules and Regulations of the Division, corrective action must be taken immediately and the situation brought into compliance. The detail section indicates preliminary findings and/or probable nature of the violation. This determination is based on an inspection of your well or facility by an inspector employed by the Oil Conservation Division on the date(s) indicated.

Please notify the proper district office of the Division, in writing, of the date corrective actions are scheduled to be made so that arrangements can be made to reinspect the well and/or facility.

**INSPECTION DETAIL SECTION**

SHRIKE 10H COM No.001		L-10-25S-28E		30-015-32914-00-00	
Inspection Date	Type Inspection	Inspector	Violation?	*Significant Non-Compliance?	Corrective Action Due By: Inspection No.
08/19/2005	Routine/Periodic	Chris Beadle	Yes	No	9/19/2005 iCLB0523147966
Violations					
Surface Leaks/Spills					
Comments on Inspection:		Heavy contamination around wellhead, with some runoff across site towards tank battery and road entrance. Wellhead contamination requires remediation. Contact NMOCD District 2 Environmental Compliance Officer to discuss remediation requirements.			

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.

Sincerely,



Artesia OCD District Office

**Note:** Information in Detail Section comes directly from field inspector data entries - not all blanks will contain data.

\*Significant Non-Compliance events are reported directly to the EPA, Region VI, Dallas, Texas.