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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.

| | | INSPECTIO | N DETAIL | L SECTION | | |
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| NEW MEXICO A STATE 002 Inspection Date Type Inspection | | K-11 | -11S-27E Violation? | 30-005-00207-00-00 *Significant Non-Compliance? | Corrective Action Due By: | Inspection No. |
| 07/23/2003 | Routine/Periodic | Mike Bratcher | Yes | No | 8/25/2003 | iMLB0320444132 |
| Comments | on Inspection: Well sign | lists incorrect operator. V | iolation Rule | 103. | | <u> </u> |
| MCALESTER STATE 001 Inspection | | N-10 |)-11S-27E | 30-005-00257-00-00 *Significant | Corrective | |
| Date | Type Inspection | Inspector | Violation? | Non-Compliance? | Action Due By: | Inspection No. |
| 07/23/2003 | Routine/Periodic | Mike Bratcher | Yes | No | 8/25/2003 | iMLB0320439034 |
| Comments | on Inspection: Well sign | illegible. Violation Rule | 103. | | | |
| NEW MEXICO A STATE 003 | | P-10 | P-10-11S-27E | | 13 | |
| Inspection Date | Type Inspection | Inspector | Violation? | *Significant Non-Compliance? | Corrective Action Due By: | Inspection No. |
| 07/23/2003 | Routine/Periodic | Mike Bratcher | Yes | No | 8/25/2003 | iMLB0320440311 |
| Comments | - | lists Mountain States Petra. Violation Rule 103. | oleum as ope | rator. Records indicate Op | erator to be Slay | ton |

MCALESTER STATE 002 N-10-11S-27E 30-005-10543-00-00 Inspection *Significant Corrective Inspector Violation? Inspection No. **Type Inspection** Non-Compliance? Action Due By: Date 8/25/2003 No iMLB0320438556 07/23/2003 Routine/Periodic Mike Bratcher Yes Comments on Inspection: Well sign illegible. Violation Rule 103. M-10-11S-27E 30-005-60011-00-00 **MCALESTER STATE 004** Inspection *Significant Corrective Inspection No. Violation? Inspector Date **Type Inspection** Non-Compliance? Action Due By: iMLB0320439640 07/23/2003 Routine/Periodic Mike Bratcher Yes No 8/25/2003

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 Divison 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.

Well sign illegible. Violation Rule 103.

Sincerely,

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Comments on Inspection:

Note: nformation 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.