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Your Applications for Permit to Drill (APDs), for the following wells have expired because drilling has not commenced within one year of the approval date as stated in the General Requirements for Oil and Gas Operations on Federal Leases.

30-015-3213 Sec. 3, T.22S, R.23E NM-045273 Bogle Flats Unit Gas Com #24 1750'/S & 1800'/E APD was approved on 12/03/01

Sec. 29, T.21S, R.32E Hobbs Bilbrey 29 Federal #2 NM-14331 660'/S & 660'/E

APD was approved on 10/03/01

3D-115-32022/ Sec. 27, T.25S, R.31E 3D-015-32021/ Sec. 26, T.25S, R.31E Big Sinks "27" Fed. Com. #1 1170'/N & 1420'/E NM-16348

APD was approved on 09/28/01

NM-97137 Big Sinks "26" Fed Com. #1 1940'/S & 700'/W APD was approved on 09/28/01

If drilling operations have commenced on the referenced wells, please contact this office at (505) 234-5972 and send all necessary reports (spud, casing/cementing, etc., 1 original and 5 copies for each well) to the Roswell Field Office, 2909 West Second Street, Roswell, New Mexico 88202, so we may correct our records.

If the wells have not been spudded, but site construction activities have occurred, please contact this office at the above telephone number for surface reclamation instructions.

If you wish to drill these wells at a later date, please submit a complete application (1 original and 5 copies for each well) to the Roswell Field Office. Since the original APDs have expired, the resubmitted APDs will be subject to