

## NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS and NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

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McKay Oil Corporation P. O. Box 2014 Roswell, New Mexico 88202

## **RE:** West Fork # 4

API# 30-005-62821

Dear Ms. McKay,

This well has not shown production for over a year. Please contact this office on the status of this well. Please have your response to us on or before 5 March, 2003.

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Rule 201 of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division provides as follows:

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## 201 WELLS TO BE PROPERLY ABANDONED

201.A. The operator of any well drilled for oil, gas or injection; for seismic, core or other exploration, or for a service

well, whether cased or uncased, shall be responsible for the plugging thereof. [7-12-90...2-1-96]

201.B. A well shall be either properly plugged and abandoned or temporarily abandoned in accordance with these rules

within ninety (90) days after:

(1) A sixty (60) day period following suspension of drilling operations, or

(2) A determination that a well is no longer usable for beneficial purposes, or

(3) A period of one (1) year in which a well has been continuously inactive.

Thank you for your help

Van Barton Field Rep II