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New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission State Land Office P. O. Box 1148 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

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Powers Operating Co. Re: New Mexico State #1 Wildcat Field

Hidalgo County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

Recently Powers Operating Co. completed the drilling of the subject well in the $SE\frac{1}{4}$, $SW\frac{1}{4}$, Sec. 4, T-26S, R-17W. well was not commercial and has been plugged and abandoned in accordance with the rules and regulations of the conservation commission. The pits have been backfilled and the land restored, as near as possible to its original condition.

It is now requested that you release our Plugging Bond in order that we may get the premium refund if we are due one.

Yours very truly,

POWERS OPERATING CO.

W. W. Watson, Vice President

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