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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION ARTESIA DISTRICT OFFICE

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Mesa Petr. Co. 1000 Vaughn Bldg. Midland, TX 79701

> Re: Panther State #3-N-3-9S-23E Chaves County, NM

## Gentlemen:

One Hundred Eighty days have elapsed since approval of Division Form C-101 Application For Permit To Drill, for the subject well and to date no progress reports, Forms C-103 have be received.

Therefore, Division approval of Form C-101 has now expired and no drilling operations are to be initiated or continued without further notice to and approval by the Division. Pending such approval, this will be considered an abandoned location.

Sincerely,

W. A. Gressett

Supervisor, District II

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Xc: Santa Fe OCD

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