

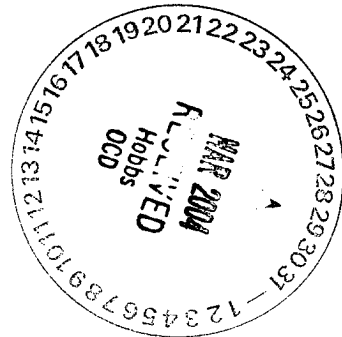
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RE: Anderson # 1
UL Q, Section 1, T16S, R36E

Anderson 6 # 1
UL U, Section 6, T16S, R37E



Dear Mr. Butler:

The above referenced wells have been shut in for over 2 years, and the leases have expired on them. I am also aware that the wells are on an NMOCD plugging list. Not only do these wells need to be plugged immediately, but they are causing possible contamination, especially in view of the new City of Lovington Oil and Gas Operating Rules. The possible environmental damage being caused from these wells being orphaned is a concern to me as both a mineral owner and a land owner. However, there is another option for these 2 wells besides Plugging and Abandonment. They could be assigned to me as is where is. Your immediate response will be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,


Ronnie Harris

CC: NMOCD