

State of New Mexico  
Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

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**December 19, 2012**

**Apache Corp.  
ATT: Sorina L Flores  
303 Veterans Air Park Lane, Suite 3000  
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RE: CANCELLATION OF INTENT TO DRILL

**Northeast Drinkard Unit #248-C, 2-21s-37e, API # 30-025-39227**  
**Northeast Drinkard Unit #253-F, 2-21s-37e, API # 30-025-39228**  
**Northeast Drinkard Unit #541-M, 11-21s-37e, API # 30-025-39230**  
**Northeast Drinkard Unit #727-O, 15-21s-37e, API # 30-025-39231**  
**Northeast Drinkard Unit #856-D, 23-21s-37e, API # 30-025-39232**  
**Northeast Drinkard Unit #858-H, 23-21s-37e, API # 30-025-39233**  
**Northeast Drinkard Unit #873-N, 22-21s-37e, API # 30-025-39234**

Gentlemen:

Two years or more have elapsed since Division form C-101; Intent to Drill for the subject well was approved. To date no progress reports have been received. Therefore, approval of your permit to drill this well has expired and no operations are to be initiated without further notice to and approval by the Oil Conservation Division

If the work to drill this well has been done, please file subsequent reports (Form C-103) of this work immediately to bring this file into current status.

Truly yours,

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

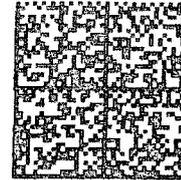
A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Donna Mull".

Donna Mull, Line Manager, Hobbs OCD

CC: OCD Santa Fe  
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