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Response Required - Deadline Enclosed

Field Inspection Program
"Preserving the Integrity of Our Environment"

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PO BOX 3638 MIDLAND TX 79702

LETTER OF VIOLATION - Inspection

Dear Operator:

The following inspection(s) indicate that the well, equipment, location or operational status of the well(s) failed to meet standards of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division as described in the detail section below. To comply with standards imposed by Rules and Regulations of the Division, corrective action must be taken immediately and the situation brought into compliance. The detail section indicates preliminary findings and/or probable nature of the violation. This determination is based on an inspection of your well or facility by an inspector employed by the Oil Conservation Division on the date(s) indicated.

Please notify the proper district office of the Division, in writing, of the date corrective actions are scheduled to be made so that arrangements can be made to reinspect the well and/or facility.

INSPECTION DETAIL SECTION NELLIE No.001 A-32-11S-33E 30-025-22562-00-00 Inspection *Significant Corrective Type Inspection Violation? Inspector Inspection No. Date Non-Compliance? Action Due By: 06/20/2008 Routine/Periodic Mark Whitaker Yes No 9/23/2008 iMAW0817249368 Violations Absent Well Identification Signs (Rule 103) Comments on Inspection: Location needs attention. Equipment OK. Surplus equipment on location. Oil staining around wellhead. Well sign not legible. NEED TO REPLACE WELL SIGN. SEE RULE 103 FOR INFORMATION CURRECTLY REQUIRED ON SIGN. 1st letter of non-compliance. MW ROSE No.001 30-025-22653-00-00 C-32-11S-33E Inspection *Significant Corrective Type Inspection Inspector Violation? Inspection No. Date Non-Compliance? Action Due By: 06/20/2008 Routine/Periodic Mark Whitaker Yes No 9/23/2008 iMAW0817249836 Violations Absent Well Identification Signs (Rule 103) Idle well (Rule 201) Comments on Inspection: Location grown up with weeds. Sign not legible. No production reported in 142 months. NEED TO

REPLACE WELL SIGN. SEE RULE 103 FOR INFORMATION CURRENTLY REQUIRED ON SIGN. NEED TO RETURN WELL TO PRODUCTION, T/A, OR PLUG WELL. 1st letter on non-

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compliance. MW

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Inspection
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06/20/2008 Routine/Periodic Mark Whitaker Yes No 9/23/2008 iMAW0817249553

Violations

Absent Well Identification Signs (Rule 103)

Comments on Inspection: Location needs attention. Equipment OK. Surplus equipment on location. Heavy oil staining at

wellhead and tank. Sign not legible. NEED TO REPLACE WELL SIGN. SEE RULE 103 FOR INFORMATION CURRENTLY REQUIRED ON SIGN. 1st letter of non-compliance. MW

Inspection No.

STATE OG SWD No.002 L-9-11S-33E 30-025-31381-00-00

*Significant Corrective Inspection Inspection No. Violation? Type Inspection Inspector Date Non-Compliance? Action Due By: 06/23/2008 Routine/Periodic Mark Whitaker No 9/23/2008 iMAW0817532081 Yes

Violations

Absent Well Identification Signs (Rule 103)

Comments on Inspection: Well sign at Satellite #3 not legible. NEED TO REPLACE WELL SIGN. SEE RULE 103. 1st

letter of non-compliance. MW

In the event that a satisfactory response is not received to this letter of direction by the "Corrective Action Due By:" date shown above, further enforcement will occur. Such enforcement may include this office applying to the Division for an order summoning you to a hearing before a Divison Examiner in Santa Fe to show cause why you should not be ordered to permanently plug and abandon this well. Such a hearing may result in imposition of CIVIL PENALTIES for your violation of OCD rules.

Sincerely,

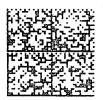
COMPLIANCE OFFICER

Hobbs OCD District Office

Note: Information in Detail Section comes directly from field inspector data entries - not all blanks will contain data.

*Significant Non-Compliance events are reported directly to the EPA, Region VI, Dallas, Texas.

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