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Response Required - Deadline Enclosed

Field Inspection Program "Preserving the Integrity of Our Environment"

12-Mar-09

MILLER OIL & GAS ASSETS III, LLC 16 INVERNESS PLACE EAST BUILDING B ENGLEWOOD CO 80112

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		
M-3	86-16S-36E	30-025-03773-00-00

STATE AE No.001

Inspection

Date

03/11/2009

Type Inspection Routine/Periodic Inspector

Mark Whitaker

*Significant Violation? Non-Compliance?

Corrective Action Due By: 6/14/2009

Inspection No. iMAW0907033905

Violations

Detection of Deficient MI (Rules 106,107,1

Comments on Inspection:

T/A status expired. NEED TO RETEST AND APPLY FOR T/A STATUS, RETURN TO PRODUCTION, OR PLUG AND ABANDON WELL. 1st notice of non-compliance. MW

Yes

C S CAYLOR No.004

F-6-17S-37E

30-025-05425-00-00

Inspection

Type Inspection Date

Inspector

Violation?

*Significant Non-Compliance?

No

Corrective Action Due By:

Inspection No.

03/11/2009

Routine/Periodic

Mark Whitaker

Yes

No

6/14/2009

iMAW0907036973

Violations

Idle well (Rule 201)

Comments on Inspection:

Well idle. No record of T/A staus check, NEED TO RETURN WELL TO PRODUCTION, TEST AND APPLY FOR T/A STATUS, OR PLUG AND ABANDON WELL. Final notice of non-

compliance. MW

STATE E No.023

D-1-17S-36E

30-025-24357-00-00

Inspection

Date Type Inspection

Inspector

*Significant
Violation? Non-Compliance?

Corrective

Inspection No.

03/11/2009

Routine/Periodic

Mark Whitaker

Yes

No

Action Due By: 6/14/2009

iMAW0907035652

Violations

Operating W/O MI (Rules 106,107,108)

Comments on Inspection:

Chemical drums on west side of location with unknown substances, leaking onto surface. No record of MIT or C103 showing when well was put on active status. NEED TO REMOVE CHEMICAL DRUMS AND DISPOSE OF CONTENTS PROPERLY. NEED TO SCHEDULE A MIT IMMEDIATELY AND SUBMIT PROPER PAPER WORK. 1st notice 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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