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Gentlemen:

The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) is in receipt of your Final Abandoned Notice dated June 30, 2010 for the Lois Federal #1, API No. 30-005-20960, 1650 FNL & 1650 FWL, SE¼NW¼ Section 4, T. 13 S. R. 31 E. Chaves County, New Mexico.

On May 17, 2010, Ernest Jaquez, Natural Resource Specialist for the BLM inspected the well site and has placed the site in a two year monitoring status pending satisfactory re-vegetation. The BLM will reinspect this location in approximately two years. When the site is determined to be in a safe, stable, and satisfactorily revegetated state the BLM will process and approve your request for Final Abandonment. Under Onshore Order #1 XII. B. which states "Final abandonment will not be approved until the surface reclamation work required ... has been completed to the satisfaction of the BLM ...".

If you have any questions concerning our monitoring of the Lois Federal #1 location, please contact Ernest Jaquez, Natural Resource Specialist, at 575 627-0221.

Sincerely

/s/ Angel Mayes

Angel Mayes
Assistant Field Manager,
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