

NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS and NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

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Saga Petroleum LLC. 415 W. Wall Ste. 1900 Midland, TX 79701

TANKERSLY WELL #3, LOCATED IN RE: UNIT F, SECTION 30, TOWSHIP 9S, RANGE 34E

Gentlemen:

We are in receipt of your Sundry C103 requesting 90 days to attempt to temporarily abandon or plug and abandon the above referenced well.

We regret to inform you that the OCD District I office will not approve your request at this time.

Our decision has been based on the fact that the OCD has given you ample time to commence work on this well. If you will note we have attached copies of our correspondence stating our attempt to work with you regarding the non- compliance.

However, we do request that you submit a C103 stating the plugging procedure in the next 30 days or contact us verbally with the actual date of repairs.

Sincerely,

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District I Supervisor

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