

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

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October 23, 1957

Mr. Sheardy A. Lamb, President
Alvon Drilling & Exploration Co.
P.O. Box 201
San Angelo, Texas

Dear Sir:

On May 29th, 1956, Notice of Intention to Drill your Gussie Dearduff 1-E, 3-16-35, Lea County, was approved by our District Engineer, Mr. C. M. Rieder. On May 15th, 1957, we received Commission Form C-105 showing that drilling on this well had been stopped at 310 feet due to legal difficulties on outstanding leasehold interests. On May 23rd, 1957, we received Form C-103 showing that the well had been temporarily abandoned. A copy of this form was returned to you by our District Engineer, Mr. E. J. Fischer, with the notation that the hole must be cased. It is my understanding also that attempts have been made by our Hobbs personnel to locate you by telephone and that you have not answered correspondence in regard to this matter.

You are hereby directed to file a Notice of Intention to Plug this well on Form C-102 outlining in detail your proposed plugging program with our Hobbs Office. Upon receipt of an approved copy of this Form C-102, you will proceed with the plugging as approved, and upon completion will file Form C-103 outlining the work that has been done and noting on the form that the location has been cleared of junk and the pits filled, the permanent marker erected and that the location is ready for inspection by Commission personnel.

You will need to give this matter your immediate attention as the Commission will expect all of this work to be completed and the final plugging approved within thirty days from this date. Otherwise, it will be necessary that you appear before the Commission at a hearing to show cause why this well should not be plugged immediately.

Yours very truly,

A. L. Porter, Jr.
Secretary - Director

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CC-Mr. Randall Montgomery
Daniels Insurance Agency

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