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Gentlemen:

Signal Oil and Gas Company assumed operations of the J. C. Williamson T. P. State No. 1 Well located in Unit J, 1887' FEL and 2126' FSL of Section 1, T-16-S, R-38-E, Lea County, New Mexico, at 12:00 midnight February 29, 1968. The well had been drilled to a T.D. of 13, 140' and plugged back to 10,000'.

Signal plans to sidetrack the old hole at 10, 310' and drill directionally to a measured depth of approximately 13,000' and a bottom hole location of 1250' FEL and 2160' FSL, Section 1.

Because of the cost involved in suspending operations and after discussing our plans with Mr. Ramey in Nobbs, we have proceeded with our plans at our own risk. We request that this matter be placed on the docket for a hearing as soon as possible.

Very truly yours,

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