

## NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS and NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

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February 20, 2002

Lori Wrotenbery Director Oil Conservation Division

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Hon. Michael E. Stogner New Mexico Oil Conservation Division 1220 S. St. Francis Drive Santa Fe, NM 87505

Re: Case No. 12825: Application of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division for an Order Requiring Leigh Operating Company to Properly Plug Two (2) Wells, Imposing Civil Penalties for Failure to Comply, Authorizing the Division to Plug Said Wells and Ordering a Forfeiture of Applicable Plugging Bonds.

Dear Examiner Stogner:

Please continue the referenced case until May 16, 2002. The respondent operator has file notices of intent to comply voluntarily with that time.

Should you have any questions, please call me at (505)-476-3450.

Very truly yours,

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