

3/15/91

# Memo

*From*

EVELYN DOWNS  
*Oil Conservation Staff  
Specialist*

*To* Larry Ridenour

Texaco filed an intent to plug their N.M. "W" St NCT-1 #1-0 13-17-34 in 1986. We thought the well was plugged and requested a subsequent PA report but later found out that it was not plugged and that Texaco had sold it to Mobil.

We contacted Mobil and I am enclosing a copy of their response. Do you have anything in your records that would shed more light on the subject.

If it was sold to Mobil you need to get them to file a change of operator. Otherwise Texaco is still the operator of record in our files.

Let me hear if you have any info.

Thanks,

Evelyn

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January 28, 1991

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Texaco Inc.  
P.O. Box 730  
Hobbs, NM 88240

Attn: James Head

Re: Subsequent Plugging Report  
New Mexico "W" State NCT-1 Well #1-0  
Sec. 13, T17S, R34E

Gentlemen:

The above-referenced well location has been inspected and is ready to release as soon as you have filed a subsequent report of the plugging on Form C-103.

It appears this well may have been plugged some time ago and you failed to followup with a subsequent report.

Your prompt attention to this matter will be appreciated.

Very truly yours,

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

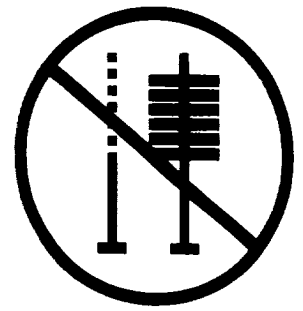
Jerry Sexton  
Supervisor, District I

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*James - we have had trouble getting these reports.*

*We also need the report on The Texaco Producing Inc 26-22-37, Baker A #4 & #6 wells*

RE: TEXACO, INC. N.M. STATE  
Non-Contig - 1 Well #1



MARK:

The referenced well appears to be located in the SE/4 SE/4 SEC 13 T-17-S, R-34-E, Lea County N.M.

Said tract is UNIT TRACT 18 OF THE Mobil OPERATED North Vacuum ABO UNIT and is TEXACO INC's N.M. "W" STATE LEASE.

I have searched the North Vacuum ABO UNIT files looking for evidence that Mobil acquired the subject well in support of UNIT OPERATIONS.

I find no evidence of a conveyance of said well to Mobil by Texaco in any of the unit files.

It appears a communication is needed with Texaco and perhaps the NMOC to resolve the issue. If you wish I will make the inquiry

DOT

2-18-91

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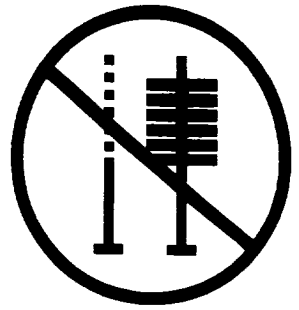
Here is information I got from our Land Department. If you need for DOT to inquiry with Texaco- please call Mark Haralson @ 688-2082 and have him contact DOT. I will be out of the office 2/19 thru 2/21-

Let me know if I can do anything else.

Judy Dixon -688-2452

W. Mobil

C4002



DOT -

Please look into this - Our  
Environmental & Regulatory group  
has been getting calls from  
the NMOC -

*Ma*

2-13-91

NMOC has been trying to  
get Texaco to file P&A  
rpt on well and Texaco  
says they sold this well  
to Mobil as a back up for  
injection well--

Texaco, Inc. NMW State NCT-1  
Well #1  
located:  
Unit 0-Sec. 13, 17S, 34E

*N. Occurrence*

*1-10 56/1/13*

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*Letter will sign when rec'd.*

*Not Plugged per Eddie*