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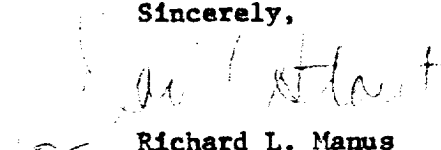
Santa Fe Energy Operating Partners, L.P.
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Gentlemen:

Your Application for Permit to Drill, deepen, or Plug Back (APD) for the Shinnery 14 Federal No. 6, Lease No. NM-40452, Sec. 14, T. 18 S., R. 32 E., has been cancelled.

The APD is considered expired if drilling activity has not commenced within one year after approval. Should you desire to drill this well at a later date, you will be required to re-submit the proper forms for approval.

Sincerely,


Richard L. Manus
Area Manager

cc: RDO
NMOCD (Artesia/Hobbs)

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