UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT Carlsbad Resource Area Headquarters P. O. Box 1778

Carlsbad, New Mexico 88221-1778

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3160 (067) 7/7/95 LC-031621-B
CERTIFIEDRETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED
No. 2 141 721 635
Amendo Hess Corporation Drawer D Monument, New Mesito 88265
Re: Britt B" Well No. 2 1650' FWL & 330' FSL Sec. 5, T285, R 37E, Lea County
Gentlemen:
Your sundry notice, dated May 23 1995, requesting approval to temporarily abandon the referenced well is returned unapproved due to lack of the following checked item(s).
Justification for temporary abandonment status.
More details concerning proposed action.
Economic determination to support justification.
Time frame for proposed action.
Other:
Pursuant to 43 CFR 3162.3-4, operators shall promptly plug and abandon wells that are no longer serving a useful purpose, unless approval has been given to temporarily abandon the well. Accordingly, you are to resubmit the sundry notice (original and 5 copies) with the above item(s) within 30 days from receipt of this letter. Failure to respond within time frame could result in an incident of noncompliance.

If you have any questions, please contact Joe Lara or Tim O'Brien at (505) 887-6544.

Sincerely,

Timothy 7. O'Brien Supervisory Mineral Resources Specialist

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