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CERTIFIED MAIL-RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

RE: _____

Gentlemen:

The above mentioned well is currently inactive (i.e. shut-in/temporarily abandoned). In order to continue this well on inactive status, you must show that the production casing is in satisfactory condition.

Well testing requirements are that all working equipment be removed from the casing. The perforations must be isolated and any fluids and gases must be displaced with non-corrosive fluid. The casing must be pressured up to 500 P.S.I. and held for 15 minutes with pressure loss not to exceed 10%. Valves on any adjacent annulus must be opened while pressure testing.

When a well is found to be in an unsatisfactory condition, it must be repaired or plugged and abandoned (PA). Operator must submit a copy of the test chart and a subsequent report of test on form 3160-5 (in triplicate) with a request for a TA approval, within 5 days of test.

Submit a procedure to either test or to (PA) the above well within 30 days from receipt of this notice. Please contact _____ at (505) 393-3612 for any further information.

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Sincerely,

*Requesting a
TA approval*

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