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**UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT**

**NOTICE OF INCIDENTS OF NONCOMPLIANCE**

Identification	
IID	
Lease	NMLC030180A
CA	
Unit	
PA	

Bureau of Land Management Office <b>HOBBS INSPECTION OFFICE</b>		Operator <b>SOUTHWEST ROYALTIES INC</b>					
Address <b>414 WEST TAYLOR HOBBS NM 88240</b>		Address <b>BOX 11390 MIDLAND TX 79702</b>					
Telephone <b>505.393.3612</b>		Attention					
Inspector <b>Andrea Massengill</b>		Attn Addr					
Site Name <b>FARNSWORTH A</b>	Well or Facility <b>06</b>	Township <b>26S</b>	Range <b>37E</b>	Meridian <b>NMP</b>	Section <b>18</b>	1/4 1/4 <b>NWSW</b>	

**THE FOLLOWING VIOLATION WAS FOUND BY BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT INSPECTORS ON THE DATE AND AT THE SITE LISTED ABOVE**

Date	Time (24 - hour clock)	Violation	Gravity of Violation
01/22/1999		43CFR 3162.3-4(c)	MINOR
Corrective Action To Be Completed By	Date Corrected	Assessment for Noncompliance	Assessment Reference
02/19/1999			43 CFR 3163.1()

Remarks Well is temporary abandoned (TA) without approval. Well must be put on production, plugged and abandoned or approved for TA status. Submit a notice of intent to produce, plug or request TA status on a 3160-5 (Sundry Notice), one original and five copies to this office. For TA requests, respond to the attached TA justification requirements.

When violation is corrected, sign this notice and return to above address.

Company Representative Title Area Supervisor Signature [Signature] Date 2/23/99  
Company Comments C.M.B. 622-200-1, P.5.

**WARNING**

Incidents of Noncompliance correction and reporting timeframes begin upon receipt of this Notice or 7 business days after the date it is mailed, whichever is earlier. Each violation must be corrected within the prescribed time from receipt of this Notice and reported to the Bureau of Land Management office at the address shown above. Please note that you already may have been assessed for noncompliance (see amount under "Assessment for Noncompliance"). If you do not comply as noted above under "Corrective Action To Be Completed By" you may incur an additional assessment under (43 CFR 3163.1) and may also incur Civil Penalties (43 CFR 3163.2). All self-certified corrections must be postmarked no later than the next business day after the prescribed time for correction.

Section 109(d)(1) of the Federal Oil and Gas Royalty Management Act of 1982, as implemented by the applicable provisions of the operating regulations at Title 43 CFR 3163.2(f)(1), provides that any person who "knowingly or willfully" prepares, maintains, or submits, false, inaccurate, or misleading reports, notices, affidavits, record, data, or other written information required by this part shall be liable for a civil penalty of up to \$25,000 per violation for each day such violation continues, not to exceed a maximum of 20 days.

**REVIEW AND APPEAL RIGHTS**

A person contesting a violation shall request a State Director review of the Incidents of Noncompliance. This request must be filed within 20 working days of receipt of the Incidents of Noncompliance with the appropriate State Director (see 43 CFR 3165.3). The State Director review decision may be appealed to the Interior Board of Lands Appeals, 4015 Wilson Blvd., Arlington VA 22203 (see 43 CFR 3165.4). Contact the above listed Bureau of Land Management office for further information.

Signature of Bureau of Land Management Authorized Officer <u>[Signature]</u>		Date <u>1-27-99</u>	Time <u>1:40</u>
FOR OFFICE USE ONLY			
Number <b>50</b>	Date	Assessment	Penalty
Type of Inspection <b>PR</b>	Termination		