## STATE OF NEW MEXICO ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION HOBBS DISTRICT OFFICE

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Re:	Lea "A" State Well No. 7	,
_	1980/S & E Unit J	
	Section 8, T-17-S, R-34-E	
	Lea County, New Mexico	

Gentlemen:

Six months have elapsed since approval of Division Form C-101, Notice of Intention to Drill, for the subject well and to date no progress reports, Forms C-103, have been received. Therefore, approval of Form C-101 has now expired and no drilling operations are to be initiated or continued without further notice to and approval by the Oil Conservation Division. Pending such approval, this will be considered an abandoned location.

Yours very truly,

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Jerry Sexton Supervisor, District 1

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