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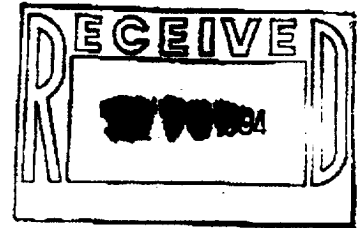
Carlsbad, New Mexico 88221-1778

IN REPLY REFER TO:

3162.3-1 (067)
NM-NM-84728

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Strata Production Company
Attn: Carol J. Garcia
P. O. Box 1030
Roswell, NM 88202-1030



Gentlemen:

Your Application for Permit to Drill (APD), the Codorniz Federal Well No. 1, 330 feet FNL and 660 feet FEL, Section 15, T. 23 S., R. 32 E., Lea County, New Mexico, Lease No. NM-NM-84728, has expired because drilling has not commenced within one year of approval as stated in the General Requirements for Oil and Gas Operations on Federal Leases.

If construction activities have occurred on the referenced drill site, please contact this office at (505) 887-6544 for surface restoration instructions.

If you wish to drill this well at some later date, please refile your application.

Sincerely,

Timothy P. O'Brien
For Richard L. Manus
Area Manager

8/1/94 Checked with Ronnie. No construction activities were commenced.

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