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Region IV
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RE: Source Abandonment in Santa Fe Snyder OCS-G 20034 #1

Dear Sirs:

This letter is to confirm the abandonment of irretrievable sources in a well in accordance with Part 39, Section 39.77(d). Information for this abandonment is as follows:

Date of Occurrence: December 21, 1999

Source Identification: 1.7 Curie, Cs137, Density Source, serial # A2101
10 Curie, Am241Be, Neutron Source, serial # A0151

Well Identification: Santa Fe Snyder
Well: OCS-G 20034 #1 API Number: 60-811-40524-00
Lease: Green Canyon Block 114 Location: Y 10,108,320.66 X 2,406,429.66
Latitude: N 27 50 06.403 Longitude: W 90 37 45.776
Rig: Ocean Quest
Parish: Offshore
State: LA

Seal Results: Cement plug from estimated bottom @ 12,320 ft MD to estimated top @ 11,570 ft MD. The casing used for the sidetrack is being used as the mechanical deflection.

Recovery Attempts: One fishing attempt made on the stuck drill pipe 12/19-20/99. Drill string had parted in one or more places in hole.

Depth of Sources: 1.7 Curie, Cs137, Density Source, serial # A2101 at 13,353' MD
10 Curie, Am241Be, Neutron Source, serial # A0151 at 13,352' MD

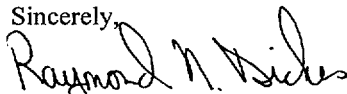
Depth of Well: 14,606' MD

Identification: Plaque as required by Part 39 ordered and will be attached to the well.

Reports: No other agency will receive a copy of this report.

Initial Telephone Contact: Linda Howell, NRC Region IV and Don Cool, NRC Washington D.C., 12/21/1999 @ 1542 CST.

Please let me know if you require any further information.

Sincerely,

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