



\*\*\* NOTICE OF ALLEGED VIOLATION \*\*\*

OGCC Operator Number: 66561 B  
Name of Operator: OXY USA INC  
Address: 760 HORIZON DR #101 ATTN: CHRIS CLARK  
City: GRAND JUNCTION State: CO Zip: 81506  
Company Representative: CHRIS CLARCK

Date Notice Issued:  
7/26/2013

Well Name: COLORADO LAND Well Number: 2 Facility Number: 221859  
Location (QtrQtr, Sec, Twp, Rng, Meridian): SWSE 17 10S 94W 6 County: MESA  
API Number: 05 077 08461 00 Lease Number: 35673

COGCC Representative: BROWNING CHUCK Phone Number:

THE FOLLOWING ALLEGED VIOLATION WAS FOUND BY THE COGCC REPRESENTATIVE FOR THE SITE LISTED

Date of Alleged Violation: 7/26/2013 Approximate Time of Violation:  
Description of Alleged Violation:  
This Well has been shut-in since 12/2010 without having passed a mechanical integrity test (MIT). An application for shut-in or temporary abandonment in excess of 6 months was not filed.

Act, Order, Regulation, Permit Conditions Cited:  
**319.b.(3), 326.b.(1)**

Abatement or Corrective Action Required to be Performed by Operator:\*  
Per COGCC rule 319.b.(3). A well which has ceased production shall be abandoned within 6 months thereafter unless the time is extended by the Director upon application by the owner. Per COGCC Rule 326.b.(1) a mechanical integrity test shall be performed on each shut-in well within 2 years of the initial shut-in date and/or at five year intervals after an initial MIT.  
Abatement or Corrective Action to be Completed by (date): 1/26/2014  
\* Proper and timely abatement does not necessarily preclude the assessment of penalties and an Order Finding Violation.

TO BE COMPLETED BY OPERATOR - When alleged violation is corrected, sign this notice and return to above address:  
Company Representative Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Company Comments:

\*\*\* THIS NOTICE CONSTITUTES A SEPARATE NOTICE OF ALLEGED VIOLATION FOR EACH VIOLATION LISTED \*\*\*

**WARNING**  
Abatement and reporting time frames for Notices of Alleged Violation begin upon receipt of the Notice or five days after the date it is mailed, whichever is earlier. Each violation must be abated within the prescribed time upon receipt of this Notice, reported to the Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission at the address shown above, and postmarked no later than the next business day after the prescribed time for abatement. Should abatement or corrective action fail to occur, the Director may make application to the Commission for an Order Finding Violation. Proper and timely abatement does not necessarily preclude the assessment of penalties and an Order Finding Violation.

**PENALTY PROPOSED BY THE DIRECTOR PER RULE 523**  
The Director may propose a penalty as listed in the table below, not to exceed a maximum of \$1,000.00 per day per violation. Such proposed penalty amount will be limited to \$10,000.00 per violation if the violation does not result in significant waste of oil and gas resources, damage to correlative rights, or a significant adverse impact on public health, safety, or welfare. Such proposed penalty amount may be increased if aggravating factors indicate the violation: was intentional or reckless; had, or threatened to have, a significant negative impact on public health, safety, or welfare; resulted in significant waste of oil and gas resources; had a significant negative impact on correlative rights of other parties; resulted in, or threatened to result in, significant loss or damage to public or private property; involved recalcitrance or recidivism upon the part of the violator; involved intentional false reporting or record keeping; resulted in economic benefit to the violator. Such proposed penalty amount may be decreased if mitigating factors indicate the violator: self-reported; promptly, effectively and prudently responded to the violation; cooperated with the Commission or other agencies with respect to the violation; could not reasonably control, or be responsible for, the cause of the violation; made a good faith effort to comply with applicable requirements prior to the Commission learning of the violation; had any economic benefit reduced or eliminated due to the cost of correcting the violation; has demonstrated a history of compliance with Commission rules, regulations and orders. The Commission has final authority over the penalty amount assessed.  
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BASE FINE \$250.00 PER DAY PER VIOLATION: RULES 210, 307, 311, 312, 313, 314A, 315, 403, 405, 803, 804  
BASE FINE \$500.00 PER DAY PER VIOLATION: RULES 205, 206, 207, 208, 302, 308, 309, 310, 316A, 321, 322, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 401  
BASE FINE \$750.00 PER DAY PER VIOLATION: RULES 605, 606A, 606B, 607  
BASE FINE \$1,000.00 PER DAY PER VIOLATION: RULES 209, 301, 303, 305, 306, 316B, 317, 317A, 318, 319, 320, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 333, 404, 602, 603, 604, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 711, 802, 901, 902, 903, 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, 910, 911, 912, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1101, 1102, 1103

In accordance with Rule 523.a.(4), fines for violations for which no base fine is listed shall be determined by the Commission at its discretion.

Signature of COGCC Representative: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: 7/26/2013 Time: \_\_\_\_\_  
Resolution Approved by: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_