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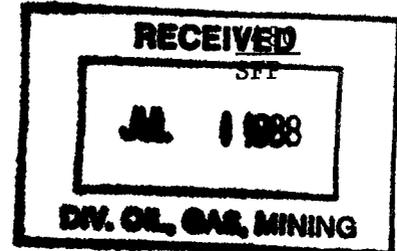
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Re: Andalex Resources, Ten-Day Notice No. 88-02-107-6, T.V. 2

Dear Dr. Nielson:

The Albuquerque Field Office (AFO) received the Division's second response to the above TDN on June 24, 1988. After reviewing both responses, AFO makes the following findings:

Violation No. 1 AFO will withdraw this alleged violation for combination spillways and process it as a program implementation issue because of what appears to be different interpretations of the standard. We will conduct a case-by-case technical review of each situation and inform you of any necessary action.

Violation No.2 On June 16, 1988, the Division approved a small area exemption for those areas identified in the TDN. AFO finds the Division's response to this violation to be appropriate.

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please contact Stephen Rathbun at (50) 766-1486.

Sincerely,

Robert H. Hagen, Director  
Albuquerque Field Office