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**From:** Tucker, Shelly <stucker@blm.gov>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 07, 2016 3:13 PM  
**To:** Patterson, Heather, EMNRD  
**Cc:** Van Curen, Jennifer; Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; Baker, Larry  
**Subject:** Re: Apache EAU Elusion line Pilot remediation plan.doc

BLM concurs with NMOCD stipulations and approval.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

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The **BLM acceptance/approval does not** relieve the operator of liability should their operations have failed to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that may pose a threat to groundwater, surface water, human health or the environment or if the location fails to reclaim properly. In such an event that the location does not revegetate, or future issues with contaminants are encountered, the operator will be asked to address the issues until the contaminant issues are fully mitigated and the location is successfully reclaimed. In addition, BLM approval does not relieve the operator of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state or local laws/regulations.

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On Wed, Sep 7, 2016 at 10:38 AM, Patterson, Heather, EMNRD <[Heather.Patterson@state.nm.us](mailto:Heather.Patterson@state.nm.us)> wrote:

**RE: Apache \* EAU Emulsion Line \* 30-015-22834 \* 2RP-3572 \* Phase One Pilot**

Jennifer,

Your proposed work plan for the phase one pilot of the EAU Emulsion line release is approved. The OCD would also like to see efforts made to prevent surface runoff in the areas NOT covered by phase one of this project.

OCD approval does not relieve the operator of liability should their operations fail to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that may pose a threat to ground water, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, OCD approval does not relieve the operator of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, local laws and/or regulations.

If you have any questions or concerns, and for notification, please contact me.

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**Sent:** Thursday, September 01, 2016 8:48 AM

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I added the sampling plan during the project.

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