



STATE OF NEW MEXICO

ENERGY, MINERALS and NATURAL RESOURCES DIVISION  
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION  
AZTEC DISTRICT OFFICE



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AZTEC, NEW MEXICO 87410  
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August 5, 1993

Mr. Tom McMillan  
Production Superintendent  
Gas Company of New Mexico  
PO Box 1899  
Bloomfield, NM 87413

RE: Illegal Pits in Northwest New Mexico  
McClanahan #18, A-13-28N-10W  
Culpepper Martin #1A, C-21-32N-12W

Dear Mr. McMillan:

Field inspections conducted by Charles Gholson on August 4, 1993 revealed that the above mentioned pits have been netted as per requested. The pits are now in compliance and no longer require C-134 exceptions.

If you have any questions please feel free to call this office.

Yours truly,

*Dianna K. Fairhurst*

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Deputy Oil & Gas Inspector

xc: Don Ellsworth - BLM Farmington  
C-134 Correspondence  
Well File  
Ken Johnson - MOI  
Noel Rogers - MOI

Submit 4 Copies  
to Appropriate  
District Office

State of New Mexico  
Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

Form C-134  
Aug. 1, 1989

DISTRICT I  
P.O. Box 1980, Hobbs, NM 88241-1980

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION  
P.O. Box 2088  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504-2088

DISTRICT II  
P.O. Drawer OD, Azusa, NM 88211-0719

Permit No. \_\_\_\_\_  
(For Division Use Only)

DISTRICT III  
1000 Rio Brazos Rd., Aztec, NM 87410

APPLICATION FOR EXCEPTION TO DIVISION ORDER R-8952  
FOR PROTECTION OF MIGRATORY BIRDS Rule 8(b), Rule 105(b), Rule 312(h), Rule 313, or Rule 711

Operator Name: Sunterra Gas Gathering Company

Operator Address: Box 1899, Bloomfield, NM 87413

Lease or Facility Name SRC Culpepper Mtn # 1A Location C 21-32-12  
Ut. Ltr. Sec. Twp. F

Size of pit or tank: Approx. 10' x 10' x 6' deep

Operator requests exception from the requirement to screen, net or cover the pit or tank at the above-described facility.

☒ The pit or tank is not hazardous to migratory waterfowl. Describe completely the reason pit is non-hazardous.

Pit contains no hydrocarbons or oil.

1) If any oil or hydrocarbons should reach this facility give method and time required for removal:

Pumped out by truck and properly disposed of within 24 hours.

2) If any oil or hydrocarbons reach the above-described facility the operator is required to notify the appropriate District Office of the OCD with 24 hours.

Operator proposes the following alternate protective measures: \_\_\_\_\_

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CERTIFICATION BY OPERATOR: I hereby certify that the information given above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature Ron J Title Production Superintendent Date 3/6/90  
Printed Name Ron Reynolds Telephone No. (505) 632-3311

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Date Facility Inspected 10/8/92

Inspected by Charles Gholson

NOT APPROVED -

5 GAL WATER WITH SKIM OF PARAFIN

8/4/93 INSPECTED BY CHARLES GHOLSON-  
PIT IS NOW NETTED

Approved by Dianna K. Sainhurst

Title \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

DEPUTY OIL & GAS INSPECTOR