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Subject: ICP Approval (1R427-409) - ROC EME K-30 EOL Site

Dear Mr. Conder:

The New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (OCD) has reviewed the submitted Investigation & Characterization Plan (ICP), dated October 15, 2013, for the below-referenced site. The OCD hereby conditionally approves the following ICP for the Rice Operating Company (ROC) site:

Rice EME K-30 EOL Site submitted by RECS on 10/17/2013 #1R427-409

ROC must submit an ICP report to the OCD within 180 days.

Also, please be advised that OCD approval of this plan does not relieve the owner/operator of responsibility should operations pose a threat to ground water, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, OCD approval does not relieve the owner/operator of responsibility for compliance with any OCD, federal, state, or local laws and/or regulations.

If you have questions regarding this matter, please contact me at 505-476-3489.

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