Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

From:Bratcher, Mike, EMNRDSent:Friday, August 26, 2011 4:02 PMTo:'Cliff P. Brunson'Cc:Dusty Wilson; Ken Swinney; Jennifer GilkeySubject:RE: Oxy-McKittrick 11-5

Reference: OXY USA * McKittrick 11 Fed 005 * 30-015-33611 * L-11-22s-24e * Eddy County, New Mexico DOR: 7/5/2011 * 2RP-827

Cliff,

As discussed, the remediation proposal submitted for cleanup of the above referenced produced fluid release is approved with the following conditions/stipulations:

- Notify OCD District 2 office 48 hours prior to commencement of remedial activities.
- Notify OCD District 2 office 48 hours prior to obtaining samples, where the analyses will be submitted to OCD.
- Submit a Form C-141 Final Report and closure report upon satisfactory completion of project.
- Project is to be completed and closure documentation submitted to OCD not later than October 26, 2011.
- Like approval by BLM or any other regulatory authority as may be applicable.

Be advised, OCD 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 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 notifications, please contact me.

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From: Cliff P. Brunson [mailto:cbrunson@bbcinternational.com]
Sent: Friday, August 26, 2011 9:13 AM
To: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD
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Subject: Oxy-McKittrick 11-5

Mike,

This e-mail is to confirm our conversation of August 25, 2011 concerning the remediation plan for the Oxy McKittrick 11-5. As discussed, Oxy will remove 6 inches to 1 foot of impacted soil in the spill area as depicted in the attached map. The site will then be backfilled with clean soil. I have attached the map and lab data that we discussed for your files.

If you would please reply back with your concurrence on this path forward, it would be greatly appreciated.

Thank you for your time.

Cliff

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