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Subject:

Proposed Corrective Actions Approval (AP-64) - ROC Hobbs F-29 SWD Release Site

RE:

"2011 Annual Groundwater Monitoring Report and Additional Groundwater Remediation"

for the Rice Operating Company's (ROC)

Hobbs F-29 SWD Release Site (AP-64)

Unit Letter F, Section 29, T18S, R38E, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico

Proposed Corrective Actions Approval

Dear Mr. Conder:

The New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (OCD) has received the report and proposed corrective actions for the Hobbs F-29 SWD Release Site, dated January 20, 2012, and has conducted a review of the report and proposed corrective actions. The proposed corrective actions, submitted in partial fulfillment of 19.15.30.13 NMAC, indicates that ROC has partially met the requirements of 19.15.30.17 NMAC for this site. Therefore, the OCD hereby conditionally approves the above-referenced proposed corrective actions for the Hobbs F-29 SWD Release Site:

ROC must submit to the OCD a groundwater source removal system installation report within 120 days.

Please be advised that OCD approval of these proposed corrective actions 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 any questions regarding this matter, please contact me at 505-476-3489.

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