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Subject: Remediation Plan (1R427-363) Termination - ROC EME I-35 EOL Site

**RE: Termination Request
for the Rice Operating Company's
EME I-35 EOL Site
Unit Letter P, Section 35, T19S, R36E, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico
Remediation Plan (1R427-363) Termination**

Dear Mr. Conder:

The New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (OCD) has received Rice Operating Company's report and request to close the above-referenced site, dated June 20, 2013 (received June 24, 2013). The reports are acceptable to the OCD.

The above-referenced report, submitted in accordance with 19.15.29 NMAC (Rule 29; formally, Rule 116), indicates that Rice Operating Company has met the requirements of 19.15.29 NMAC; therefore, the OCD approves the report and hereby notifies you that the remediation plan (1R427-363) is terminated in accordance with 19.15.29 NMAC.

Please be advised that OCD approval of this report 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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Subject: Soil Closure Approval (1R427-363) - ROC EME I-35 EOL Site

**RE: Excavation Summary and Initial Corrective Action Plan Report
for the Rice Operating Company's
EME I-35 EOL Site
Unit Letters P, Section 35, T19S, R36E, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico
Soil Closure Approval (1R427-363)**

Dear Mr. Conder:

The New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (OCD) has received the Rice Operating Company's (ROC) Initial Corrective Action Plan Report including a soil closure request for the Remediation Plan (1R427-363) for the EME I-35 EOL Site, dated March 12, 2013. The above-referenced report, submitted in fulfillment of 19.15.29 NMAC (Rule 29, formally, Rule 116), indicates that Rice Operating Company (ROC) has partially met the requirements of 19.15.29 NMAC for this site. Therefore, the OCD hereby conditionally approves the soil closure for the EME I-35 EOL Site and no further soil remediation is required for this site:

The ROC EME I-35 EOL Site is still active under Remediation Plan, 1R427-363, and groundwater monitoring, further groundwater contamination delineation if warranted, and groundwater remediation must continue at the ROC EME I-35 EOL Site.

Please be advised that OCD approval of this request 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.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter. If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact at 505-476-3489.

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