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New Mexico Oil Conservation Division Wayne Price, Environmental Bureau Chief 1220 South St. Francis Drive Santa Fe, NM 87505

RE: Release Notification - Val Verde Gas Gathering Company L.P. Hart Canyon

Dear Mr. Price,

Enclosed is the written notification in accordance to Subsection B, Paragraph (1), and Subparagraph (d) of 19.15.3.116 NMAC for a release that occurred at Hart Canyon Station.

If you have questions or need additional information, please call Chris Gauthier, Environmental Engineer (303) 330-7952 or me directly at (713) 880-6518.

Yours truly,

Marge Hebar

Mary E. Hebert Director, Environmental Compliance

/sjn enclosures: Mr. Brandon Powell, Deputy Inspector, NMOCD/Aztec, NM cc:

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Release Notification and Corrective Action													
							OPERATOR 🗌 Initia				\boxtimes	Final Report	
Name of Company Val Verde Gas Gathering Company L.P.							Contact Chris Gauthier						
Address c/o Environmental Department P.O. Box 2521, Houston, Texas 77252							Telephone No. 303-330-7952						
Facility Name Hart Canyon							Facility Type Natural Gas Compression Station						
Surface Owner Mineral Owner							Lease No.						
LOCATION OF RELEASE													
Unit Letter	Section 20	Township T31N	Range R10W	Feet from the	-	/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line		County San Juan			
LatitudeN36° - 52.884'LongitudeW107° - 54.032'													
NATURE OF RELEASE													
Type of Release Used compressor engine oil and water Source of Release						Volume of Release 40 Gallons Date and Hour of Occurrence			Volume Recovered 40 Gallons Date and Hour of Discovery				
5" long crack 1/8" wide in 4" diameter sump drain line pipe.										8/2008 at 15:15			
Was Immediate Notice Given?						If YES, To Whom?							
Yes No X Not Required							Not Applicable						
By Whom?							Date and Hour						
Was a Watercourse Reached?						If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse. Not Applicable							
If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.* Not Applicable													
Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.* Approximately 4 cubic yards of soil saturated with hydrocarbon and water were isolated and contained in plastic 55 gallon drums. Removed sump from service until cracked sump drain line pipe can be replaced.													
I hereby certify that the information given above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and understand that pursuant to NMOCD rules and regulations all operators are required to report and/or file certain release notifications and perform corrective actions for releases which may endanger public health or the environment. The acceptance of a C-141 report by the NMOCD marked as "Final Report" does not relieve the operator of liability should their operations have failed to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that pose a threat to ground water, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, NMOCD acceptance of a C-141 report does not relieve the operator of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, or local laws and/or regulations.													
Signature: Ris Sauther							OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION						
							Approved by District Supervisor:						
Title:	Field Envir	onmental Eng	Approval Date: Expiration Date:			Date:							
E-mail Addro	ess: cagaut	hier@epco.co		Conditions of Approval:				Attached					
Date: 26 Au	igust 2008	Phor	ne: (303)	330-7952									

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary