

NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS and NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

GARY E. JOHNSON Governor Betty Rivera Cabinet Secretary Lori Wrotenbery Director Oil Conservation Division

August 5, 2002

<u>CERTIFIED MAIL</u> RETURN RECEIPT NO: 7001-1940-0004-7923-0513

Mr. Robert C. Lang IV Chaparral Energy, Inc. 701 Cedar Lake Blvd. Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73114-7806

RE: STAGE 1 ABATEMENT PLAN PROPOSAL (AP-18) SOUTH LANGLIE JAL UNIT JAL, NEW MEXICO

Dear Mr. Lang:

The New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (OCD) has reviewed Chaparral Energy, Inc.'s (Chaparral) July 9, 2002 correspondence titled "SOUTH LANGLIE JAL UNIT (AP-18)". This document requests an extension of the July 31, 2002 deadline for submission of a Stage 1 investigation report of the extent of contamination related to Chaparral's South Langlie Jal Unit located in portions of Sections 7, 8, 17 and 18 of Township 25 South, Range 37 East, Lea County, New Mexico.

The OCD is concerned that contaminated ground water on the South Langlie Jal Unit has impacted a private domestic water well. It is imperative that investigations be conducted to determine the source of this contamination.

The OCD grants Chaparral an extension of the Stage 1 report submission deadline. Chaparral shall complete the necessary field work and submit the Stage 1 investigation report to the OCD by October 31, 2002. Failure to submit the report by this deadline will result in the case being referred to a Division hearing for further action.

OCD Exhibit No. <u>24</u> Case No. 13061 July 15, 2003 Sept 2, 2004

1220 South St. Francis Drive * Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505 * Fax (505) 476-3462 * http://www.emnrd.state.nm.us If you have any questions, please contact Bill Olson at (505) 476-3491.

Sincerely,

ve

Roger C. Anderson Environmental Bureau Chief

RCA/wco

cc: Chris Williams, OCD Hobbs District Office Mary C. Claiborne, Mayor, City of Jal Clay Osborn Carroll H. Leavell Darrell E. Bailey Darrold E. Stephenson & JoAn R. Stephenson