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State of New Mexico
ENERGY, MINERALS and NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505



OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
2040 South Pacheco
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505



February 15, 1995

CERTIFIED MAIL
RETURN RECEIPT NO. P-667-242-210

Vincent B. Bernard
GPM Gas Corporation
4044 Penbrook
Odessa, TX 79762

**RE: CONTAMINATED SOIL DISPOSAL
HOBBS #1, HOBBS #3 AND HOBBS #5 COMPRESSOR STATIONS
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**

Dear Mr. Bernard:

On December 7, 1994, the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (OCD) received correspondence from ENRON Operations Company dated September 29, 1993 requesting to dispose of contaminated soils at either the C & C Landfarm or the OCD permitted landfarm at ENRON's Hobbs Gas Plant. The contaminated soils which are stockpiled at ENRON's Hobbs #1, Hobbs #3 and Hobbs #5 compressor stations were generated as a result of remedial actions. Since GPM Gas Corporation is currently the owner of these facilities, the OCD's response is directed to GPM.

The above referenced disposal request is approved under the following conditions:

1. GPM will analyze the soils from each station for TCLP chlorinated organics.
2. The results of the TCLP chlorinated organics analysis will be submitted to the OCD for approval prior to disposal of the soils.
3. All original documents will be submitted to the OCD Santa Fe Office with copies provided to the OCD Hobbs District Office.

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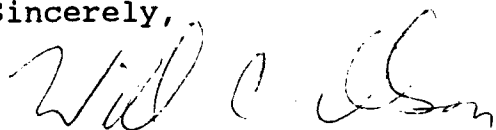
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Please be advised that OCD approval of does not relieve GPM of liability should their operation result in actual pollution of surface or ground waters or the environment which may be actionable under other laws and/or regulations. In addition, OCD approval does not relieve GPM of responsibility for compliance with any other state, federal or local laws and/or regulations.

If you have any questions, please call me at (505) 827-7154.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "William C. Olson".

William C. Olson
Hydrogeologist
Environmental Bureau

xc: OCD Hobbs District Office