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November 21, 2000

Burgundy Oil & Gas, Inc.
401 W. Texas Suite 1003
Midland, Texas 79701

Re: Eunice Monument South Unit
UL -Sec 24-T20S-R36E

Gentlemen:

The New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (NMOCD) has become aware that Burgundy Oil & Gas, Inc. (Burgundy) has existing contamination due to oil field operations. Depth to groundwater in the area is approximately 34 feet. Rule 19.B, Abatement Standards and Requirements states that the vadose zone shall be abated so that water contaminants in the vadose zone will not with reasonable probability contaminate ground water or surface water, in excess of the standards through leaching, percolation, or other transport mechanisms, or as the water table elevation fluctuates.

Due to the contamination at the above referenced location the NMOCD hereby requests for the following:

1. Burgundy shall perform vertical and horizontal extent at the above referenced location.
2. Burgundy shall perform a site assessment and determine cleanup standards, using the guidelines for assistance.
3. Burgundy shall submit to the NMOCD a site assessment and a remediation plan by December 15th, 2000, for approval.
4. Provide to NMOCD a verification of the legal location of tank battery location(s) involved.
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If you have any further questions, or need any assistance please do not hesitate to write or call me at (505) 393-6161 ext...113.

Sincerely,

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cc: Roger Anderson – Environmental Bureau Chief
Chris Williams – District I Supervisor