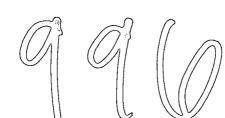


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June 7, 1996

<u>CERTIFIED MAIL</u> <u>RETURN RECEIPT NO. P-269-269-155</u>

Mr. John Nussbaumer Snyder Oil Corporation 3939 Soco Parkway Evans, Colorado 80620

RE: NORTH MALJAMAR UNIT SITE REMEDIATION

Dear Mr. Nussbaumer:

The New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (OCD) has completed a review of Snyder Oil Corporation's (SOC) March 16, 1996 "<u>RISK</u> <u>ASSESSED SITE CLOSURE</u> SNYDER OIL CORPORATION, MALJAMAR NORTH UNIT, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO". This document contains the results of SOC's site remediation and closure of a former unlined oil and gas production pit at SOC's North Maljamar Unit located in Unit C and Unit D, Sec 31, T16S, R33E NMPM.

The site closure actions as contained in the above referenced document are approved.

Please be advised that OCD approval does not relieve SOC of liability if remaining contaminants are found to pose a future threat to surface water, ground water, human health or the environment. In addition, OCD approval does not relieve SOC of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state or local laws and/or regulations.

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

Sincerely,

William C. Olson Hydrogeologist Environmental Bureau

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