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ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

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RETURN RECEIPT NO. Z-274-520-675

Mr. Ronnie Benson
Keystone Energy
P.O. Box 962
Farmington, NM 87499

RE: SPILL CLOSURE REPORT

Dear Mr. Benson:

The New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (OCD) has reviewed Keystone Energy's (Keystone) March 1, 1999 "PIT REMEDIATION AND CLOSURE REPORT". This document contains the results of remedial actions for a spill at Keystones Kirtland 18-1 well site located in Unit A, Section 32, Township 29 North, Range 14 West, NMPM, San Juan County, New Mexico.

The spill remediation activities as contained in the above referenced document **are approved**. Please be advised that OCD approval does not relieve Keystone 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 Keystone of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state or local laws and/or regulations.

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

Sincerely,

William C. Olson
Hydrologist
Environmental Bureau

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