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**ANNUAL
MONITORING REPORT**

**YEAR(S):
2004**

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January 14, 2005

Mr. Wayne Price
New Mexico Energy, Minerals, & Natural Resources Dept.
Oil Conservation Division, Environmental Bureau
1220 S. St. Francis Drive
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

**RE: 2004 MONITOR WELL REPORT/SAMPLING SUMMARY
H-13 LEAK SITE, EME SWD SYSTEM
UNIT 'H', SEC. 13, T20S, R36E
NMOCD CASE #1R0429**

Mr. Price:

Rice Operating Company (ROC) takes this opportunity to submit the 2004 Monitor Well Report for the EME H-13 leak site located in the Eunice Monument Eumont (EME) Salt Water Disposal (SWD) System. One monitoring well was installed in 2002 during the delineation of a leak. This well is sampled quarterly pursuant to NMOCD guidelines. In 2004, ROC and Basin Environmental Service Technologies of Lovington sampled the well. In 2005, Highlander Environmental Corp. (Highlander) of Midland, Texas will sample the well and Environmental Lab of Texas of Odessa will continue to conduct analytical tests of the water samples.

Highlander has been contracted by ROC to address groundwater concerns at this. NMOCD may expect the submission of an Investigation & Characterization Plan (ICP) this year.

ROC is the service provider (operator) for the EME Salt Water Disposal System and has no ownership of any portion of pipeline, well, or facility. The EME SWD System is owned by a consortium of oil producers, System Partners, who provide all operating capital on a percentage ownership/usage basis.

Thank you for your consideration concerning this annual summary of groundwater monitoring information. If you have any questions, do not hesitate to contact me.

RICE OPERATING COMAPANY

Kristin Farris Pope

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Project Scientist

enclosures: Summary table & graph
 Analytical results
 Survey map

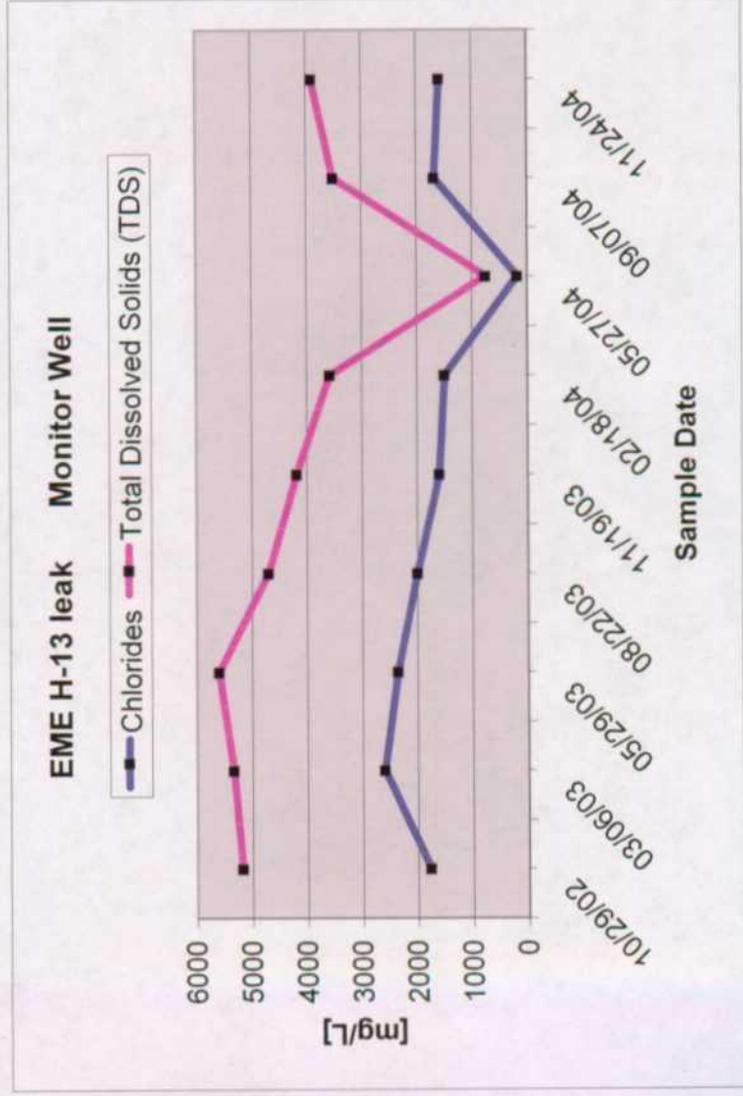
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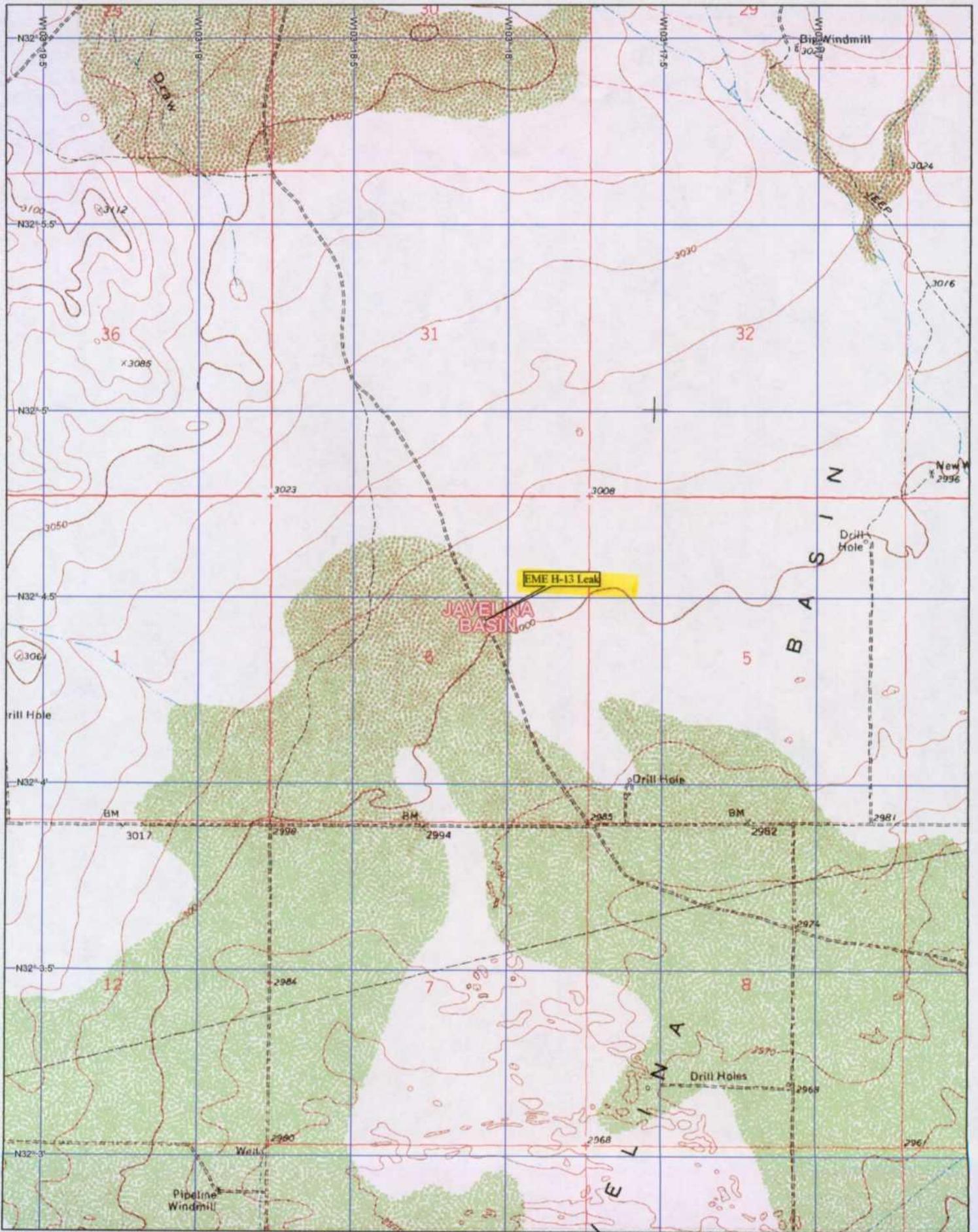
EME H-13 leak
unit 'H', Sec. 13, T20S, R36E

All concentrations are in mg/L

MW #	DEPTH TO WATER * (ft)	TOTAL DEPTH (ft)	WELL VOLUME (gal)	VOLUME PURGED (gal)	SAMPLE DATE	Cl ⁻	TDS	BENZENE	TOLUENE	ETHYL BENZENE	TOTAL XYLENES	COMMENTS
1	33.19	43.94	1.720	5.25	10/29/02	1770	5180	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	
1	33.18	43.90	1.710	5.10	03/06/03	2600	5340	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	
1	33.20	43.91	1.212	5.10	05/29/03	2360	5600	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	
1	33.40	43.90	1.680	5.04	08/22/03	2000	4700	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	
1	33.35	43.91	1.600	5.00	11/19/03	1600	4180	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.001	
1	33.41	43.90	1.670	5.00	02/18/04	1500	3580	<0.002	<0.002	<0.002	<0.006	
1	33.56	43.90	1.650	5.00	05/27/04	177	751	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	
1	33.40	44.10	1.712	5.14	09/07/04	1680	3510	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	
1	32.85	44.10	1.800	5.40	11/24/04	1590	3900	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	



* Depth to water measured from top of casing
Casing is 2.438 ft





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ANALYTICAL RESULTS FOR
 RICE OPERATING CO.
 ATTN: KRISTIN FARRIS
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 HOBBS, NM 88240
 FAX TO: (505) 397-1471

Receiving Date: 02/18/04
 Reporting Date: 02/20/04
 Project Number: NOT GIVEN
 Project Name: NOT GIVEN
 Project Location: EME H-13

Sampling Date: 02/18/04
 Sample Type: GROUNDWATER
 Sample Condition: COOL & INTACT
 Sample Received By: AH
 Analyzed By: AH

LAB NUMBER	SAMPLE ID	Na (mg/L)	Ca (mg/L)	Mg (mg/L)	K (mg/L)	Conductivity (μ S/cm)	T-Alkalinity (mgCaCO ₃ /L)
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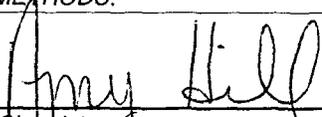
ANALYSIS DATE:		02/19/04	02/19/04	02/19/04	02/19/04	02/19/04	02/19/04
H8469-1	EME H-13 MW 1	543	293	123	2.60	5897	264
Quality Control		NR	59	42	5.17	1322	NR
True Value QC		NR	50	50	5.00	1413	NR
% Recovery		NR	118	85	103	93.6	NR
Relative Percent Difference		NR	1.7	2.3	1.0	0.7	NR

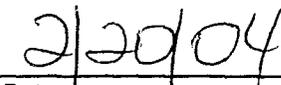
METHODS: SM3500-Ca-D 3500-Mg E 8049 120.1 310.1

	Cl ⁻ (mg/L)	SO ₄ (mg/L)	CO ₃ (mg/L)	HCO ₃ (mg/L)	pH (s.u.)	TDS (mg/L)
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ANALYSIS DATE:		02/19/04	02/19/04	02/19/04	02/19/04	02/19/04	02/20/04
H8469-1	EME H-13 MW 1	1500	44	0	322	7.33	3580
Quality Control		1010	53.65	NR	1007	7.04	NR
True Value QC		1000	50.00	NR	1000	7.00	NR
% Recovery		101	107	NR	101	101	NR
Relative Percent Difference		2.0	1.5	NR	1.1	0.3	1.4

METHODS: SM4500-Cl-B 375.4 310.1 310.1 150.1 160.1


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 Date

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Project Name: NOT GIVEN
Project Location: EME H-13

Sampling Date: 02/18/04
Sample Type: GROUNDWATER
Sample Condition: COOL & INTACT
Sample Received By: AH
Analyzed By: BC

LAB NUMBER	SAMPLE ID	BENZENE (mg/L)	TOLUENE (mg/L)	ETHYL BENZENE (mg/L)	TOTAL XYLENES (mg/L)
ANALYSIS DATE		02/18/04	02/18/04	02/18/04	02/18/04
H8469-1	EME H-13 MW 1	<0.002	<0.002	<0.002	<0.006
Quality Control		0.094	0.096	0.099	0.304
True Value QC		0.100	0.100	0.100	0.300
% Recovery		94.1	96.0	99.0	101
Relative Percent Difference		1.9	5.1	2.5	0.4

METHOD: EPA SW-846 8260


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CHAIN-OF-CUSTODY AND ANALYSIS REQUEST

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Company Name: RICE Operating		P.O. #:		BILL TO		ANALYSIS REQUEST					
Project Manager: Kristin Farris		Company:									
Address: 128 W. Taylor		City:									
City: Hobbs		State: NM		Zip: 88240							
Phone #: (505) 393-9174		FAX #: (505) 397-1471		Address:							
Project #:		Project Owner:		City:							
Project Name:		State:		Zip:							
Project Location: EME H-13		Phone #:		FAX #:							
Sampler Name: K. Farris		FOR LAB USE ONLY									
Lab I.D.		Sample I.D.									
AS469-1		EME H-13 MW1		EME H-13 MW1							
		(G)RAB OR (C)OMP.									
		# CONTAINERS									
		GROUNDWATER									
		WASTEWATER									
		SOIL									
		CRUDE OIL									
		SLUDGE									
		OTHER:									
		ACID/BASE:									
		ICE / COOL									
		OTHER:									
		DATE		TIME							
		2/18/04		1:20							
		2/18/04		1:20							
		X		CATIONS							
		X		ANIONS							
		X		TDS							
		X		BTEX							

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Sampler Relinquished: _____ Date: _____ Time: _____ Received By: (Lab Staff) _____

Relinquished By: **Kristin Farris** Date: **2/18/04** Time: _____

Delivered By: (Circle One) **Hand Delivered** Sample Condition: Cool Intact Yes No

Sampler - UPS - Bus - Other: _____

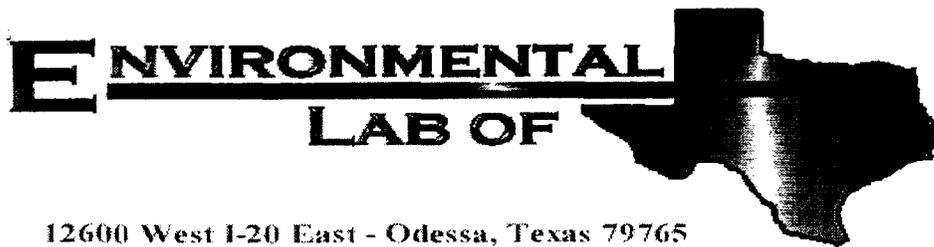
Checked By: (Initials) **JK**

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Analytical Report

Prepared for:

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Project: H-13 Leak
Project Number: None Given
Location: EME

Lab Order Number: 4E29003

Report Date: 06/04/04

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Project Manager: Kristin Farris

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ANALYTICAL REPORT FOR SAMPLES

Sample ID	Laboratory ID	Matrix	Date Sampled	Date Received
Monitor Well 1	4E29003-01	Water	05/27/04 10:35	05/28/04 16:30

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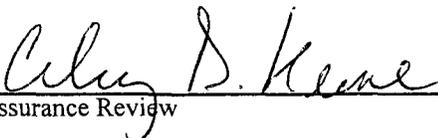
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Organics by GC
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Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Dilution	Batch	Prepared	Analyzed	Method	Notes
Monitor Well 1 (4E29003-01) Water									
Benzene	ND	0.00100	mg/L	1	EF40313	06/02/04	06/02/04	EPA 8021B	
Toluene	ND	0.00100	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Ethylbenzene	ND	0.00100	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Xylene (p/m)	ND	0.00100	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Xylene (o)	ND	0.00100	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Surrogate: a,a,a-Trifluorotoluene		118 %	80-120		"	"	"	"	
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene		92.5 %	80-120		"	"	"	"	

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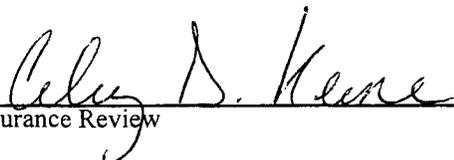
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General Chemistry Parameters by EPA / Standard Methods
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Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Dilution	Batch	Prepared	Analyzed	Method	Notes
Monitor Well 1 (4E29003-01) Water									
Carbonate Alkalinity	ND	0.100	mg/L	1	EF40408	05/29/04	05/29/04	EPA 310.2M	
Bicarbonate Alkalinity	191	2.00	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Hydroxide Alkalinity	ND	0.100	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Chloride	177	5.00	"	"	EF40407	06/03/04	06/03/04	EPA 325.3M	
Total Dissolved Solids	751	5.00	"	"	EF40310	06/01/04	06/02/04	EPA 160.1	
Sulfate	90.8	1.00	"	2	EF40418	06/04/04	06/04/04	EPA 375.4	

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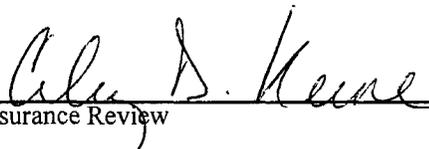
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Total Metals by EPA / Standard Methods
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Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Dilution	Batch	Prepared	Analyzed	Method	Notes
Monitor Well 1 (4E29003-01) Water									
Calcium	79.2	0.100	mg/L	10	EF40416	06/02/04	06/02/04	EPA 6010B	
Magnesium	37.4	0.0100	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Potassium	8.97	0.0500	"	1	"	"	06/02/04	"	
Sodium	202	1.00	"	100	"	"	06/02/04	"	

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**Organics by GC - Quality Control
Environmental Lab of Texas**

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Spike Level	Source Result	%REC	%REC Limits	RPD	RPD Limit	Notes
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Batch EF40313 - EPA 5030C (GC)

Blank (EF40313-BLK1)

Prepared & Analyzed: 06/02/04

Benzene	ND	0.00100	mg/L							
Toluene	ND	0.00100	"							
Ethylbenzene	ND	0.00100	"							
Xylene (p/m)	ND	0.00100	"							
Xylene (o)	ND	0.00100	"							
Surrogate: a,a,a-Trifluorotoluene	22.6		ug/l	20.0		113	80-120			
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	18.7		"	20.0		93.5	80-120			

LCS (EF40313-BS1)

Prepared & Analyzed: 06/02/04

Benzene	87.9		ug/l	100		87.9	80-120			
Toluene	94.6		"	100		94.6	80-120			
Ethylbenzene	91.2		"	100		91.2	80-120			
Xylene (p/m)	196		"	200		98.0	80-120			
Xylene (o)	94.9		"	100		94.9	80-120			
Surrogate: a,a,a-Trifluorotoluene	21.2		"	20.0		106	80-120			
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	22.0		"	20.0		110	80-120			

Calibration Check (EF40313-CCV1)

Prepared & Analyzed: 06/02/04

Benzene	83.3		ug/l	100		83.3	80-120			
Toluene	92.4		"	100		92.4	80-120			
Ethylbenzene	92.3		"	100		92.3	80-120			
Xylene (p/m)	196		"	200		98.0	80-120			
Xylene (o)	92.0		"	100		92.0	80-120			
Surrogate: a,a,a-Trifluorotoluene	17.6		"	20.0		88.0	80-120			
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	20.7		"	20.0		104	80-120			

Matrix Spike (EF40313-MS1)

Source: 4E29001-01

Prepared & Analyzed: 06/02/04

Benzene	92.3		ug/l	100	ND	92.3	80-120			
Toluene	103		"	100	ND	103	80-120			
Ethylbenzene	99.5		"	100	ND	99.5	80-120			
Xylene (p/m)	214		"	200	ND	107	80-120			
Xylene (o)	102		"	100	ND	102	80-120			
Surrogate: a,a,a-Trifluorotoluene	22.2		"	20.0		111	80-120			
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	23.0		"	20.0		115	80-120			

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Organics by GC - Quality Control
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Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Spike Level	Source Result	%REC	%REC Limits	RPD	RPD Limit	Notes
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Batch EF40313 - EPA 5030C (GC)

Matrix Spike Dup (EF40313-MSD1)

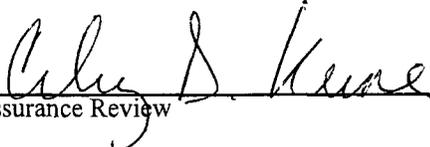
Source: 4E29001-01

Prepared & Analyzed: 06/02/04

Benzene	83.2		ug/l	100	ND	83.2	80-120	10.4	20	
Toluene	92.2		"	100	ND	92.2	80-120	11.1	20	
Ethylbenzene	89.4		"	100	ND	89.4	80-120	10.7	20	
Xylene (p/m)	192		"	200	ND	96.0	80-120	10.8	20	
Xylene (o)	92.6		"	100	ND	92.6	80-120	9.66	20	
Surrogate: a,a,a-Trifluorotoluene	20.5		"	20.0		102	80-120			
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	22.8		"	20.0		114	80-120			

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Batch EF40310 - Filtration Preparation

Blank (EF40310-BLK1)				Prepared: 06/01/04 Analyzed: 06/02/04						
Total Dissolved Solids	ND	5.00	mg/L							

Duplicate (EF40310-DUP1)				Source: 4E29001-01 Prepared: 06/01/04 Analyzed: 06/02/04						
Total Dissolved Solids	831	5.00	mg/L		830			0.120	20	

Batch EF40407 - General Preparation (WetChem)

Blank (EF40407-BLK1)				Prepared & Analyzed: 06/03/04						
Chloride	ND	5.00	mg/L							

Matrix Spike (EF40407-MS1)				Source: 4E29001-01 Prepared & Analyzed: 06/03/04						
Chloride	709	5.00	mg/L	500	213	99.2	80-120			

Matrix Spike Dup (EF40407-MSD1)				Source: 4E29001-01 Prepared & Analyzed: 06/03/04						
Chloride	700	5.00	mg/L	500	213	97.4	80-120	1.28	20	

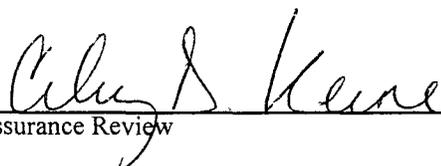
Reference (EF40407-SRM1)				Prepared & Analyzed: 06/03/04						
Chloride	4960		mg/L	5000		99.2	80-120			

Batch EF40408 - General Preparation (WetChem)

Blank (EF40408-BLK1)				Prepared & Analyzed: 05/29/04						
Carbonate Alkalinity	ND	0.100	mg/L							
Bicarbonate Alkalinity	ND	2.00	"							
Hydroxide Alkalinity	ND	0.100	"							

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Batch EF40408 - General Preparation (WetChem)

Duplicate (EF40408-DUP1)		Source: 4E29001-01		Prepared & Analyzed: 05/29/04						
Carbonate Alkalinity	0.00	0.100	mg/L		0.00				20	
Bicarbonate Alkalinity	214	2.00	"		214			0.00	20	
Hydroxide Alkalinity	0.00	0.100	"		0.00				20	

Reference (EF40408-SRM1)

Reference (EF40408-SRM1)		Prepared & Analyzed: 05/29/04								
Carbonate Alkalinity	0.0496		mg/L	0.0500		99.2	80-120			

Batch EF40418 - General Preparation (WetChem)

Blank (EF40418-BLK1)		Prepared & Analyzed: 06/04/04								
Sulfate	ND	0.500	mg/L							

Calibration Check (EF40418-CCV1)

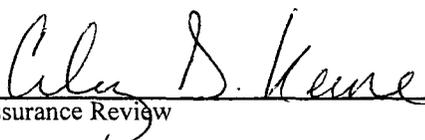
Calibration Check (EF40418-CCV1)		Prepared & Analyzed: 06/04/04								
Sulfate	49.2		mg/L	50.0		98.4	80-120			

Duplicate (EF40418-DUP1)

Duplicate (EF40418-DUP1)		Source: 4E29001-01		Prepared & Analyzed: 06/04/04						
Sulfate	140	1.00	mg/L		138			1.44	20	

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Quality Assurance Review

Rice Operating Co.
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 Hobbs NM, 88240

Project: H-13 Leak
 Project Number: None Given
 Project Manager: Kristin Farris

Fax: (505) 397-1471

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 06/07/04 15:47

Total Metals by EPA / Standard Methods - Quality Control
Environmental Lab of Texas

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Spike Level	Source Result	%REC	%REC Limits	RPD	RPD Limit	Notes
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Batch EF40416 - General Preparation (Metals)

Blank (EF40416-BLK1)

Prepared & Analyzed: 06/02/04

Calcium	ND	0.0100	mg/L							
Magnesium	ND	0.00100	"							
Potassium	ND	0.0500	"							
Sodium	ND	0.0100	"							

Calibration Check (EF40416-CCV1)

Prepared & Analyzed: 06/02/04

Calcium	2.08		mg/L	2.00		104	85-115			
Magnesium	2.29		"	2.00		114	85-115			
Potassium	1.97		"	2.00		98.5	85-115			
Sodium	1.93		"	2.00		96.5	85-115			

Duplicate (EF40416-DUP1)

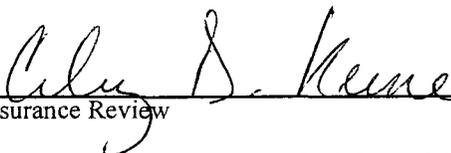
Source: 4E29001-01

Prepared & Analyzed: 06/02/04

Calcium	165	1.00	mg/L		170			2.99	20	
Magnesium	29.9	0.0100	"		29.3			2.03	20	
Potassium	4.76	0.0500	"		4.82			1.25	20	
Sodium	96.5	0.100	"		96.8			0.310	20	

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Project Number: None Given
Project Manager: Kristin Farris

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Reported:
06/04/04 16:50

Notes and Definitions

DET Analyte DETECTED
ND Analyte NOT DETECTED at or above the reporting limit
NR Not Reported
dry Sample results reported on a dry weight basis
RPD Relative Percent Difference

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Environmental Lab of Texas Variance / Corrective Action Report – Sample Log-In

Client: Rice Operating Co.

Date/Time: 05-29-04 @ 1030

Order #: 4E29003

Initials: JMM

Sample Receipt Checklist

Temperature of container/cooler?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	No	G.S	C
Shipping container/cooler in good condition?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	No		
Custody Seals intact on shipping container/cooler?	Yes	No	Not present	
Custody Seals intact on sample bottles?	Yes	No	Not present	
Chain of custody present?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	No		
Sample Instructions complete on Chain of Custody?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	No		
Chain of Custody signed when relinquished and received?	Yes	No	missing 1 st rec.	signature
Chain of custody agrees with sample label(s)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	No		
Container labels legible and intact?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	No		
Sample Matrix and properties same as on chain of custody?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	No		
Samples in proper container/bottle?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	No		
Samples properly preserved?	Yes	No	should be 4°C	± 2°C
Sample bottles intact?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	No		
Preservations documented on Chain of Custody?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	No		
Containers documented on Chain of Custody?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	No		
Sufficient sample amount for indicated test?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	No		
All samples received within sufficient hold time?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	No		
VOC samples have zero headspace?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	No	Not Applicable	

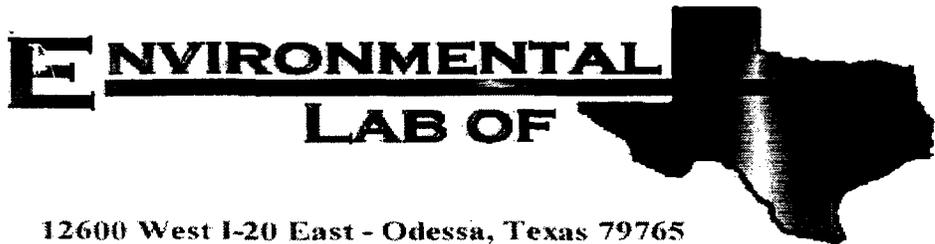
Other observations:

Variance Documentation:

Contact Person: - _____ Date/Time: _____ Contacted by: _____

Regarding: _____

Corrective Action Taken:



Analytical Report

Prepared for:

Kristin Pope
Rice Operating Co.
122 W. Taylor
Hobbs, NM 88240

Project: H-13 Leak
Project Number: None Given
Location: EME

Lab Order Number: 4I10011

Report Date: 09/17/04

Rice Operating Co.
122 W. Taylor
Hobbs NM, 88240

Project: H-13 Leak
Project Number: None Given
Project Manager: Kristin Pope

Fax: (505) 397-1471

Reported:
09/17/04 10:54

ANALYTICAL REPORT FOR SAMPLES

Sample ID	Laboratory ID	Matrix	Date Sampled	Date Received
MW-I	4I10011-01	Water	09/07/04 14:30	09/09/04 19:20

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Hobbs NM, 88240

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Project Number: None Given
Project Manager: Kristin Pope

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Reported:
09/17/04 10:54

Organics by GC
Environmental Lab of Texas

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Dilution	Batch	Prepared	Analyzed	Method	Notes
MW-1 (4H10011-01) Water									
Benzene	ND	0.00100	mg/L	1	EI41604	09/14/04	09/14/04	EPA 8021B	
Toluene	ND	0.00100	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Ethylbenzene	ND	0.00100	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Xylene (p/m)	ND	0.00100	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Xylene (o)	ND	0.00100	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Surrogate: <i>a,a,a</i> -Trifluorotoluene		118 %	80-120		"	"	"	"	
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene		100 %	80-120		"	"	"	"	

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Reported:
09/17/04 10:54

**General Chemistry Parameters by EPA / Standard Methods
Environmental Lab of Texas**

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Dilution	Batch	Prepared	Analyzed	Method	Notes
MW-1 (4I10011-01) Water									
Chloride	1680	5.00	mg/L	1	EI41612	09/12/04	09/12/04	EPA 325.3M	
Total Dissolved Solids	3510	10.0	"	2	EI41702	09/13/04	09/13/04	EPA 160.1	
Sulfate	418	5.00	"	10	EI41701	09/10/04	09/10/04	EPA 375.4	

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Total Metals by EPA / Standard Methods
Environmental Lab of Texas

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Dilution	Batch	Prepared	Analyzed	Method	Notes
MW-1 (4110011-01) Water									
Calcium	304	1.00	mg/L	100	EI41506	09/15/04	09/15/04	EPA 6010B	
Magnesium	140	0.100	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Potassium	13.2	0.500	"	10	"	"	"	"	
Sodium	559	1.00	"	100	"	"	"	"	

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**Organics by GC - Quality Control
Environmental Lab of Texas**

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Spike Level	Source Result	%REC	%REC Limits	RPD	RPD Limit	Notes
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Batch EI41604 - EPA 5030C (GC)

Blank (EI41604-BLK1)

Prepared & Analyzed: 09/14/04

Benzene	ND	0.00100	mg/L							
Toluene	ND	0.00100	"							
Ethylbenzene	ND	0.00100	"							
Xylene (p/m)	ND	0.00100	"							
Xylene (o)	ND	0.00100	"							
<i>Surrogate: a,a,a-Trifluorotoluene</i>	20.0		ug/l	20.0		100	80-120			
<i>Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene</i>	17.4		"	20.0		87.0	80-120			

LCS (EI41604-BS1)

Prepared & Analyzed: 09/14/04

Benzene	95.7		ug/l	100		95.7	80-120			
Toluene	110		"	100		110	80-120			
Ethylbenzene	108		"	100		108	80-120			
Xylene (p/m)	228		"	200		114	80-120			
Xylene (o)	103		"	100		103	80-120			
<i>Surrogate: a,a,a-Trifluorotoluene</i>	21.5		"	20.0		108	80-120			
<i>Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene</i>	23.5		"	20.0		118	80-120			

LCS Dup (EI41604-BSD1)

Prepared & Analyzed: 09/14/04

Benzene	92.0		ug/l	100		92.0	80-120	3.94	20	
Toluene	104		"	100		104	80-120	5.61	20	
Ethylbenzene	103		"	100		103	80-120	4.74	20	
Xylene (p/m)	215		"	200		108	80-120	5.41	20	
Xylene (o)	99.5		"	100		99.5	80-120	3.46	20	
<i>Surrogate: a,a,a-Trifluorotoluene</i>	20.6		"	20.0		103	80-120			
<i>Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene</i>	21.2		"	20.0		106	80-120			

Calibration Check (EI41604-CCV1)

Prepared & Analyzed: 09/14/04

Benzene	82.8		ug/l	100		82.8	80-120			
Toluene	94.0		"	100		94.0	80-120			
Ethylbenzene	91.4		"	100		91.4	80-120			
Xylene (p/m)	196		"	200		98.0	80-120			
Xylene (o)	89.9		"	100		89.9	80-120			
<i>Surrogate: a,a,a-Trifluorotoluene</i>	18.1		"	20.0		90.5	80-120			
<i>Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene</i>	17.1		"	20.0		85.5	80-120			

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Organics by GC - Quality Control
Environmental Lab of Texas

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Spike Level	Source Result	%REC	%REC Limits	RPD	RPD Limit	Notes
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Batch EI41604 - EPA 5030C (GC)

Matrix Spike (EI41604-MS1)

Source: 4I10005-02

Prepared: 09/14/04

Analyzed: 09/16/04

Benzene	81.1		ug/l	100	ND	81.1	80-120			
Toluene	83.7		"	100	ND	83.7	80-120			
Ethylbenzene	81.6		"	100	ND	81.6	80-120			
Xylene (p/m)	174		"	200	ND	87.0	80-120			
Xylene (o)	80.6		"	100	ND	80.6	80-120			
Surrogate: a,a,a-Trifluorotoluene	17.0		"	20.0		85.0	80-120			
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	16.5		"	20.0		82.5	80-120			

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**General Chemistry Parameters by EPA / Standard Methods - Quality Control
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Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Spike Level	Source Result	%REC	%REC Limits	RPD	RPD Limit	Notes
Batch EI41612 - General Preparation (WetChem)										
Blank (EI41612-BLK1) Prepared & Analyzed: 09/12/04										
Chloride	ND	5.00	mg/L							
Matrix Spike (EI41612-MS1) Source: 4I09007-03 Prepared & Analyzed: 09/12/04										
Chloride	1280	5.00	mg/L	500	780	100	90-110			
Matrix Spike Dup (EI41612-MSD1) Source: 4I09007-03 Prepared & Analyzed: 09/12/04										
Chloride	1280	5.00	mg/L	500	780	100	90-110	0.00	20	
Reference (EI41612-SRM1) Prepared & Analyzed: 09/12/04										
Chloride	4960		mg/L	5000		99.2	80-120			
Batch EI41701 - General Preparation (WetChem)										
Blank (EI41701-BLK1) Prepared & Analyzed: 09/10/04										
Sulfate	ND	0.500	mg/L							
Calibration Check (EI41701-CCV1) Prepared & Analyzed: 09/10/04										
Sulfate	48.6		mg/L	50.0		97.2	80-120			
Duplicate (EI41701-DUP1) Source: 4I10005-01 Prepared & Analyzed: 09/10/04										
Sulfate	128	1.00	mg/L		129			0.778	20	
Batch EI41702 - Filtration Preparation										
Blank (EI41702-BLK1) Prepared & Analyzed: 09/13/04										
Total Dissolved Solids	ND	5.00	mg/L							

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General Chemistry Parameters by EPA / Standard Methods - Quality Control
Environmental Lab of Texas

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Spike Level	Source Result	%REC	%REC Limits	RPD	RPD Limit	Notes
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Batch EI41702 - Filtration Preparation

Duplicate (EI41702-DUP1)

Source: 4I10005-02

Prepared & Analyzed: 09/13/04

Total Dissolved Solids	797	5.00	mg/L		937			16.1	20	
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Total Metals by EPA / Standard Methods - Quality Control
Environmental Lab of Texas

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Spike Level	Source Result	%REC	%REC Limits	RPD	RPD Limit	Notes
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Batch EI41506 - General Preparation (Metals)

Blank (EI41506-BLK1)

Prepared & Analyzed: 09/15/04

Calcium	ND	0.0100	mg/L							
Magnesium	ND	0.00100	"							
Potassium	ND	0.0500	"							
Sodium	ND	0.0100	"							

Blank (EI41506-BLK2)

Prepared & Analyzed: 09/15/04

Calcium	ND	0.0100	mg/L							
Magnesium	ND	0.00100	"							
Potassium	ND	0.0500	"							
Sodium	ND	0.0100	"							

Calibration Check (EI41506-CCV1)

Prepared & Analyzed: 09/15/04

Calcium	2.03		mg/L	2.00		102	85-115			
Magnesium	2.04		"	2.00		102	85-115			
Potassium	1.75		"	2.00		87.5	85-115			
Sodium	1.79		"	2.00		89.5	85-115			

Calibration Check (EI41506-CCV2)

Prepared & Analyzed: 09/15/04

Calcium	1.93		mg/L	2.00		96.5	85-115			
Magnesium	2.02		"	2.00		101	85-115			
Potassium	1.76		"	2.00		88.0	85-115			
Sodium	1.77		"	2.00		88.5	85-115			

Duplicate (EI41506-DUP1)

Source: 4I03009-01

Prepared & Analyzed: 09/15/04

Calcium	281	1.00	mg/L	280		0.357	20			
Magnesium	110	0.100	"	111		0.905	20			
Potassium	8.18	0.500	"	8.31		1.58	20			
Sodium	359	1.00	"	365		1.66	20			

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Total Metals by EPA / Standard Methods - Quality Control
Environmental Lab of Texas

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Spike Level	Source Result	%REC	%REC Limits	RPD	RPD Limit	Notes
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Batch EI41506 - General Preparation (Metals)

Duplicate (EI41506-DUP2)	Source: 4I10015-01	Prepared & Analyzed: 09/15/04			
Calcium	20.2	0.100 mg/L	20.2	0.00	20
Magnesium	28.4	0.0100 "	28.6	0.702	20
Potassium	16.4	0.500 "	16.6	1.21	20
Sodium	103	0.100 "	103	0.00	20

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Project: H-13 Leak
Project Number: None Given
Project Manager: Kristin Pope

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Reported:
09/17/04 10:54

Notes and Definitions

DET Analyte DETECTED
ND Analyte NOT DETECTED at or above the reporting limit
NR Not Reported
dry Sample results reported on a dry weight basis
RPD Relative Percent Difference
LCS Laboratory Control Spike
MS Matrix Spike
Dup Duplicate

Report Approved By:

Raland K Tuttle

Date:

9-18-04

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Jeanne McMurrey

From: "Kristin Farris" <enviro@leaco.net>
To: "Jeanne McMurrey" <jeanne@elabtxas.com>
Sent: Friday, September 10, 2004 9:33 AM
Subject: MW samples

Please do not analyze the water samples that were collected on 9/7/2004 for HCO₃ since the hold time of 48 hrs. has expired.

Also, for the COC for the site F-35 SWD, the corresponding samples were mistakenly labeled as H-35 SWD.

Thank you.
Kristin Farris Pope
RICE Operating Company
Hobbs, NM 88240
(505) 393-9174

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**Environmental Lab of Texas
Variance / Corrective Action Report – Sample Log-In**

Client: Rice Operating Co.

Date/Time: 09-10-04 @ 0900

Order #: 4I100011

Initials: JMM

Sample Receipt Checklist

Temperature of container/cooler?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	4.0 C
Shipping container/cooler in good condition?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
Custody Seals intact on shipping container/cooler?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	Not present
Custody Seals intact on sample bottles?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	Not present
Chain of custody present?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
Sample Instructions complete on Chain of Custody?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
Chain of Custody signed when relinquished and received?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
Chain of custody agrees with sample label(s)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
Container labels legible and intact?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
Sample Matrix and properties same as on chain of custody?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
Samples in proper container/bottle?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
Samples properly preserved?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
Sample bottles intact?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
Preservations documented on Chain of Custody?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
Containers documented on Chain of Custody?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
Sufficient sample amount for indicated test?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
All samples received within sufficient hold time?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	CO ₃ /HCO ₃ out of 48 hr. hold time
VOC samples have zero headspace?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	Not Applicable

Other observations:

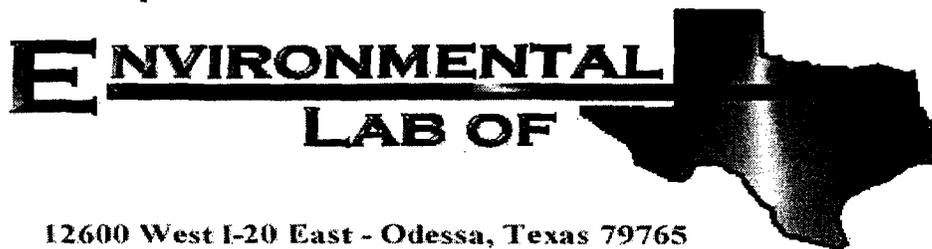
Variance Documentation:

Contact Person: - Kristin Farris Date/Time: 09-10-04 @ 0930 Contacted by: Jeanne

Regarding: hold time - CO₃/HCO₃

Corrective Action Taken:

client doesn't want to run CO₃/HCO₃
on 9/7/4 samples. See attached e-mail



12600 West I-20 East - Odessa, Texas 79765

Analytical Report

Prepared for:

Kristin Pope
Rice Operating Co.
122 W. Taylor
Hobbs, NM 88240

Project: H-13 Leak
Project Number: None Given
Location: EME

Lab Order Number: 4K30008

Report Date: 12/09/04

Rice Operating Co.
122 W. Taylor
Hobbs NM, 88240

Project: H-13 Leak
Project Number: None Given
Project Manager: Kristin Pope

Fax: (505) 397-1471

Reported:
12/09/04 15:40

ANALYTICAL REPORT FOR SAMPLES

Sample ID	Laboratory ID	Matrix	Date Sampled	Date Received
MW-1	4K30008-01	Water	11/24/04 14:04	11/30/04 10:35

Rice Operating Co.
122 W. Taylor
Hobbs NM, 88240

Project: H-13 Leak
Project Number: None Given
Project Manager: Kristin Pope

Fax: (505) 397-1471

Reported:
12/09/04 15:40

Organics by GC
Environmental Lab of Texas

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Dilution	Batch	Prepared	Analyzed	Method	Notes
MW-1 (4K30008-01) Water									
Benzene	ND	0.00100	mg/L	1	EL40601	12/02/04	12/02/04	EPA 8021B	
Toluene	ND	0.00100	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Ethylbenzene	ND	0.00100	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Xylene (p/m)	ND	0.00100	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Xylene (o)	ND	0.00100	"	"	"	"	"	"	
<i>Surrogate: a,a,a-Trifluorotoluene</i>		112 %	80-120	"	"	"	"	"	
<i>Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene</i>		100 %	80-120	"	"	"	"	"	

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General Chemistry Parameters by EPA / Standard Methods
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Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Dilution	Batch	Prepared	Analyzed	Method	Notes
MW-1 (4K30008-01) Water									
Total Alkalinity	220	2.00	mg/L	1	EL40313	12/03/04	12/03/04	EPA 310.2M	
Total Dissolved Solids	3900	5.00	"	"	EL40105	11/30/04	12/01/04	EPA 160.1	

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MW-1 (4K30008-01) Water									
Calcium	348	1.00	mg/L	100	EL40101	11/30/04	11/30/04	EPA 6010B	
Magnesium	164	0.100	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Potassium	21.2	0.500	"	10	"	"	"	"	
Sodium	693	1.00	"	100	"	"	"	"	

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Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Dilution	Batch	Prepared	Analyzed	Method	Notes
MW-1 (4K30008-01) Water									
Chloride	1590	25.0	mg/L	50	EL40916	12/08/04	12/08/04	EPA 300.0	
Sulfate	358	25.0	"	"	"	"	"	"	

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**Organics by GC - Quality Control
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Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Spike Level	Source Result	%REC	%REC Limits	RPD	RPD Limit	Notes
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Batch EL40601 - EPA 5030C (GC)

Blank (EL40601-BLK1)

Prepared & Analyzed: 12/02/04

Benzene	ND	0.00100	mg/L							
Toluene	ND	0.00100	"							
Ethylbenzene	ND	0.00100	"							
Xylene (p/m)	ND	0.00100	"							
Xylene (o)	ND	0.00100	"							
Surrogate: a,a,a-Trifluorotoluene	0.0223		"	0.0200		112	80-120			
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	0.0183		"	0.0200		91.5	80-120			

LCS (EL40601-BS1)

Prepared & Analyzed: 12/02/04

Benzene	99.2		ug/l	100		99.2	80-120			
Toluene	107		"	100		107	80-120			
Ethylbenzene	107		"	100		107	80-120			
Xylene (p/m)	219		"	200		110	80-120			
Xylene (o)	116		"	100		116	80-120			
Surrogate: a,a,a-Trifluorotoluene	0.0196		mg/L	0.0200		98.0	80-120			
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	0.0199		"	0.0200		99.5	80-120			

LCS Dup (EL40601-BSD1)

Prepared & Analyzed: 12/02/04

Benzene	100		ug/l	100		100	80-120	0.803	20	
Toluene	110		"	100		110	80-120	2.76	20	
Ethylbenzene	111		"	100		111	80-120	3.67	20	
Xylene (p/m)	230		"	200		115	80-120	4.44	20	
Xylene (o)	119		"	100		119	80-120	2.55	20	
Surrogate: a,a,a-Trifluorotoluene	0.0199		mg/L	0.0200		99.5	80-120			
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	0.0202		"	0.0200		101	80-120			

Calibration Check (EL40601-CCV1)

Prepared: 12/02/04 Analyzed: 12/03/04

Benzene	98.7		ug/l	100		98.7	80-120			
Toluene	105		"	100		105	80-120			
Ethylbenzene	109		"	100		109	80-120			
Xylene (p/m)	221		"	200		110	80-120			
Xylene (o)	111		"	100		111	80-120			
Surrogate: a,a,a-Trifluorotoluene	0.0218		mg/L	0.0200		109	80-120			
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	0.0227		"	0.0200		114	80-120			

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Batch EL40601 - EPA 5030C (GC)

Matrix Spike (EL40601-MS1)

Source: 4K30004-03

Prepared: 12/02/04

Analyzed: 12/03/04

Benzene	107		ug/l	100	ND	107	80-120			
Toluene	108		"	100	ND	108	80-120			
Ethylbenzene	114		"	100	ND	114	80-120			
Xylene (p/m)	229		"	200	ND	114	80-120			
Xylene (o)	111		"	100	ND	111	80-120			
Surrogate: a,a,a-Trifluorotoluene	0.0206		mg/L	0.0200		103	80-120			
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	0.0201		"	0.0200		100	80-120			

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Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Spike Level	Source Result	%REC	%REC Limits	RPD	RPD Limit	Notes
Batch EL40105 - General Preparation (WetChem)										
Blank (EL40105-BLK1)					Prepared: 11/30/04 Analyzed: 12/01/04					
Total Dissolved Solids	ND	5.00	mg/L							
Duplicate (EL40105-DUP1)					Source: 4K24009-01 Prepared: 11/30/04 Analyzed: 12/01/04					
Total Dissolved Solids	1480	5.00	mg/L		1480			0.00	20	
Batch EL40313 - General Preparation (WetChem)										
Blank (EL40313-BLK1)					Prepared & Analyzed: 12/03/04					
Total Alkalinity	ND	2.00	mg/L							
Duplicate (EL40313-DUP1)					Source: 4K30004-01 Prepared & Analyzed: 12/03/04					
Total Alkalinity	207	2.00	mg/L		208			0.482	20	
Reference (EL40313-SRM1)					Prepared & Analyzed: 12/03/04					
Carbonate Alkalinity	0.0501		mg/L	0.0500		100	80-120			

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Batch EL40101 - 6010B/No Digestion

Blank (EL40101-BLK1)

Prepared & Analyzed: 11/30/04

Calcium	ND	0.0100	mg/L							
Magnesium	ND	0.00100	"							
Potassium	ND	0.0500	"							
Sodium	ND	0.0100	"							

Calibration Check (EL40101-CCV1)

Prepared & Analyzed: 11/30/04

Calcium	1.87		mg/L	2.00		93.5	85-115			
Magnesium	2.08		"	2.00		104	85-115			
Potassium	1.83		"	2.00		91.5	85-115			
Sodium	1.78		"	2.00		89.0	85-115			

Duplicate (EL40101-DUP1)

Source: 4K24009-01

Prepared & Analyzed: 11/30/04

Calcium	108	1.00	mg/L		122			12.2	20	
Magnesium	46.0	0.0100	"		51.6			11.5	20	
Potassium	11.1	0.500	"		13.2			17.3	20	
Sodium	222	1.00	"		235			5.69	20	

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Batch EL40916 - General Preparation (WetChem)

Blank (EL40916-BLK1)										
Prepared & Analyzed: 12/08/04										
Sulfate	0.00	0.500	mg/L							
Chloride	0.00	0.500	"							

Blank (EL40916-BLK2)										
Prepared & Analyzed: 12/08/04										
Sulfate	0.00	0.500	mg/L							
Chloride	0.00	0.500	"							

LCS (EL40916-BS1)										
Prepared & Analyzed: 12/08/04										
Sulfate	11.7	0.500	mg/L	10.0		117	80-120			
Chloride	9.75	0.500	"	10.0		97.5	80-120			

LCS (EL40916-BS2)										
Prepared & Analyzed: 12/08/04										
Chloride	9.77	0.500	mg/L	10.0		97.7	80-120			
Sulfate	11.8	0.500	"	10.0		118	80-120			

LCS Dup (EL40916-BSD1)										
Prepared & Analyzed: 12/08/04										
Chloride	9.83	0.500	mg/L	10.0		98.3	80-120	0.817	20	
Sulfate	11.8	0.500	"	10.0		118	80-120	0.851	20	

LCS Dup (EL40916-BSD2)										
Prepared & Analyzed: 12/08/04										
Chloride	9.74	0.500	mg/L	10.0		97.4	80-120	0.308	20	
Sulfate	11.7	0.500	"	10.0		117	80-120	0.851	20	

Calibration Check (EL40916-CCV1)										
Prepared & Analyzed: 12/08/04										
Sulfate	11.7		mg/L	10.0		117	80-120			
Chloride	9.79		"	10.0		97.9	80-120			

Calibration Check (EL40916-CCV2)										
Prepared & Analyzed: 12/08/04										
Chloride	9.80		mg/L	10.0		98.0	80-120			
Sulfate	11.7		"	10.0		117	80-120			

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Batch EL40916 - General Preparation (WetChem)

Duplicate (EL40916-DUP1)		Source: 4L03001-01			Prepared & Analyzed: 12/08/04					
Chloride	1570	20.0	mg/L		1330			16.6	20	
Sulfate	809	20.0	"		682			17.0	20	

Duplicate (EL40916-DUP2)		Source: 4L06003-02			Prepared & Analyzed: 12/08/04					
Chloride	731	20.0	mg/L		725			0.824	20	
Sulfate	1210	20.0	"		1200			0.830	20	

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Notes and Definitions

DET Analyte DETECTED
ND Analyte NOT DETECTED at or above the reporting limit
NR Not Reported
dry Sample results reported on a dry weight basis
RPD Relative Percent Difference
LCS Laboratory Control Spike
MS Matrix Spike
Dup Duplicate

Report Approved By: Raland K Tuttle Date: 12-10-04

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Environmental Lab of Texas Variance / Corrective Action Report – Sample Log-In

Client: Rice Operating Co.

Date/Time: 11-30-04 @ 1200

Order #: 4K 30008

Initials: JMM

Sample Receipt Checklist

Temperature of container/cooler?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	No	O.S.	C
Shipping container/cooler in good condition?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	No		
Custody Seals intact on shipping container/cooler?	Yes	No	Not present	
Custody Seals intact on sample bottles?	Yes	No	Not present	
Chain of custody present?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	No		
Sample Instructions complete on Chain of Custody?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	No		
Chain of Custody signed when relinquished and received?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	No		
Chain of custody agrees with sample label(s)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	No		
Container labels legible and intact?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	No		
Sample Matrix and properties same as on chain of custody?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	No		
Samples in proper container/bottle?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	No		
Samples properly preserved?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	No		
Sample bottles intact?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	No		
Preservations documented on Chain of Custody?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	No		
Containers documented on Chain of Custody?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	No		
Sufficient sample amount for indicated test?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	No		
All samples received within sufficient hold time?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	No		
VOC samples have zero headspace?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	No	Not Applicable	

Other observations:

Variance Documentation:

Contact Person: - _____ Date/Time: _____ Contacted by: _____
Regarding: _____

Corrective Action Taken:
