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**RE: SCRUBBER PIT CLOSURE
WEST KUTZ COMPRESSOR
SAN JUAN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**

Dear Mr. McAndrews:

The New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (OCD) has completed a review of the Gas Company of New Mexico's (GCNM) May 24, 1993 report detailing the closure of a scrubber pit associated with the West Kutz Compressor located in Unit A, Section 22, T27N, R11W.

The closure of the above referenced pit has been completed to the standards in effect at the time of closure and **is hereby approved.**

Please be advised that OCD approval does not relieve GCNM of liability should remaining contaminants pose a threat to public health or result in actual contamination of ground waters or surface waters actionable under other laws and/or regulations. In addition, OCD approval does not relieve GCNM of responsibility for compliance with any other state, federal or local laws and/or regulations.

If you have any questions please contact me at (505) 827-5885.

Sincerely,

William C. Olson
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