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Subject: Corrective Action Plan Addendum (1R427-162) Approval - ROC EME Jct G-18 Site

RE: Update Report for the Rice Operating Company's

EME Jct G-18 Site

Unit Letter G, Section 18, T19S, R37E, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico

Corrective Action Plan Addendum (1R427-162) Approval

Dear Mr. Conder:

The New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (OCD) has received the Update Report (including an addendum to the Corrective Action Plan) for the EME Jct G-18 Site, dated June 21, 2013 and has conducted a review of the addendum. The addendum indicates that Rice Operating Company (ROC) has substantially met the requirements of 19.15.29 NMAC (Part 29; formerly, Rule 116) for a remediation plan. Therefore, the OCD hereby conditionally approves the addendum for above-referenced site in accordance with 19.15.29 NMAC:

ROC must submit to the OCD a progress report regarding the corrective actions at the site by April 1, 2014.

Please be advised that OCD approval of this addendum does not relieve the owner/operator of responsibility should operations pose a threat to ground water, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, OCD approval does not relieve the owner/operator of responsibility for compliance with any OCD, federal, state, or local laws and/or regulations.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact me at 505-476-3489.

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Subject:

Soil Closure Approval (1R427-162) - ROC EME Jct G-18 Site

RE: Soil Closure Request

for the Rice Operating Company's

EME Jct G-18 Site

Unit Letters G, Section 18, T19S, R37E, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico

Soil Closure Approval (1R427-162)

Dear Mr. Conder:

The New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (OCD) has received the Rice Operating Company's (ROC) Soil Closure Request for the Remediation Plan (1R427-162) for the EME Jct G-18 Site, dated October 15, 2012. The above-referenced report, submitted in fulfillment of 19.15.29 NMAC (Rule 29, formally, Rule 116), indicates that Rice Operating Company (ROC) has partially met the requirements of 19.15.29 NMAC for this site. Therefore, the OCD hereby conditionally approves the soil closure for the EME Jct G-18 Site and no further soil remediation is required for this site:

The ROC EME Jct G-18 Site is still active under Remediation Plan, 1R427-162, and groundwater monitoring, further groundwater contamination delineation if warranted, and groundwater remediation if warranted must continue at the ROC EME Jct G-18 Site.

Please be advised that OCD approval of this request does not relieve the owner/operator of responsibility should operations pose a threat to ground water, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, OCD approval does not relieve the owner/operator of responsibility for compliance with any OCD, federal, state, or local laws and/or regulations.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter. If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact at 505-476-3489.

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