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Plugging  
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November 8, 2012

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

RE: Monitoring Well Plugging Report  
BD H-19 vent (1R426-09): Unit H, Sec. 19, T21S, R37E  
RICE Operating Company – Blinebry-Drinkard SWD System

Mr. Hansen:

Rice Operating Company (ROC) is the service provider (agent) for the BD Saltwater Disposal (SWD) System and has no ownership of any portion of the pipeline, well, or facility. The System is owned by a consortium of oil producers, System Parties, who provide all operating capital on a percentage ownership/usage basis.

On October 17<sup>th</sup>, 2012, field personnel were on site to supervise the plugging and abandonment of MW-1, MW-2, and MW-3. The wells were plugged in accordance with NMOCD's approval of the CAP Report and Termination Request on August 14, 2012, using a 1-3% bentonite/concrete slurry and a three foot concrete cap.

ROC acknowledges they have met the requirements of 19.15.29 NMAC, the NMOCD terminated the remediation plan (1R426-09) in accordance with 19.15.29 NMAC and no further action is required. If you require any additional information or have any questions or comments, please contact me at (575)393-9174. Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,



Hack Conder  
Environmental Manager  
RICE Operating Company

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## Plugging Report

Client	Rice Operating
Contractor	Harrison & Cooper
Date Completed	10/17/2012
Site	BD H-19 vent
Well ID	MW-1
Casing Diameter	2"
Well Depth	137'
Casing Material	PVC
Plugging Material	Portland/Bentonite Slurry
Slurry Interval	3'-137'
Cement Interval	0'-3'

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Client	Rice Operating
Contractor	Harrison & Cooper
Date Completed	10/17/2012
Site	BD H-19 vent
Well ID	MW-2
Casing Diameter	2"
Well Depth	136'
Casing Material	PVC
Plugging Material	Portland/Bentonite Slurry
Slurry Interval	3'-136'
Cement Interval	0'-3'

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## Plugging Report

Client	Rice Operating
Contractor	Harrison & Cooper
Date Completed	10/17/2012
Site	BD H-19 vent
Well ID	MW-3
Casing Diameter	2"
Well Depth	134'
Casing Material	PVC
Plugging Material	Portland/Bentonite Slurry
Slurry Interval	3'-134'
Cement Interval	0'-3'

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Unit H, Section 19, T21S, R37E**



Pulling MW-1, facing north 10/17/12



Plugging MW-1 with a 1-3% bentonite/concrete slurry and a 3 ft concrete cap 10/17/12



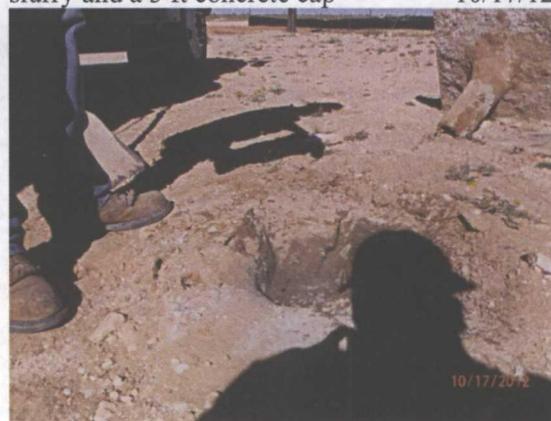
Pulling MW-2, facing north 10/17/12



Plugging MW-2 with a 1-3% bentonite/concrete slurry and a 3 ft concrete cap 10/17/12



Pulling MW-3, facing north 10/17/12



Plugging MW-3 with a 1-3% bentonite/concrete slurry and a 3 ft concrete cap 10/17/12