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**From:** Phillip Rust <PRust@kleinfelder.com>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, February 05, 2013 8:52 AM  
**To:** Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD  
**Cc:** Eileen Shannon  
**Subject:** RE: Beeson 'F' Lease, Well #29

Thank you, Mike.

That helps tremendously.

**Phillip Rust, LG, LHG**

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**From:** Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD [<mailto:mike.bratcher@state.nm.us>]

**Sent:** Tuesday, February 05, 2013 8:21 AM

**To:** Phillip Rust

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Phillip,

With chloride contamination, we have to look at several different things. OCD would prefer to see chloride impacted material cleaned up to 1000 mg/kg (ballpark figure). If a site has impact that has gone deeper than is practicable to excavate, we may consider some excavation and installation of a cap (liner). Every site is a little different, and that is how we have to approach them. The analytical data from a vertical/horizontal delineation of the impacted area is the first thing we would want to see, and go from there.

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**From:** Phillip Rust [<mailto:PRust@kleinfelder.com>]

**Sent:** Monday, February 04, 2013 3:18 PM

**To:** Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

**Cc:** Eileen Shannon

**Subject:** RE: Beeson 'F' Lease, Well #29

Mike,

I hope you're doing well and not working too hard. We're putting a Scope of Work together for the Beeson 'F' Lease, Well #29 salt water spill in Eddy County and I wanted to ask you a few questions about your cleanup requirements.

Since the Groundwater is not near the surface, I had heard that you only required that the top four feet of contaminated soil be removed. Could you confirm this? If that is not the case, then what would your clean up requirements be?

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**From:** Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD [<mailto:mike.bratcher@state.nm.us>]

**Sent:** Wednesday, January 30, 2013 4:03 PM

**To:** Phillip Rust

**Cc:** Eileen Shannon

**Subject:** RE: Beeson 'F' Lease, Well #29

Phillip,

Do you know what company was contracted to perform the work that has been done at this site?

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**From:** Phillip Rust [<mailto:PRust@kleinfelder.com>]

**Sent:** Wednesday, January 30, 2013 1:29 PM

**To:** Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

**Cc:** Eileen Shannon

**Subject:** Beeson 'F' Lease, Well #29

Mike,

I'm glad that I was able to talk with you briefly today. I understand that you're pretty busy right now, but I wanted to give you a brief description of the project and what I'm looking for.

My company (Kleinfelder) has been retained by Halcon to perform a follow up investigation on a salt water spill that occurred at the Beeson 'F' lease, Well # 29, in Eddy County NM. The spill occurred on 8/22/2012.

It is my understanding that at least some soil was excavated and removed from the site and that some soil samples were collected and submitted to a laboratory. However, I have not been able to track down any reports or lab results. The Incident Report states that you and Randy Dade were notified, so I was hoping you could share any information you have on that spill and subsequent clean up.

I will be making a site visit this Friday and wanted to review all known documents concerning the spill before the field visit. So if you could let me know what NM-OCD knows I would very much appreciate it.

Thank you.

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