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1301 West Grand
Artesia, NM 88210



January 22, 2007

RE: Hornbaker BA 1
Unit G, Sec. 25, T18S, R25E
Eddy County, New Mexico

Dear Mike,

Yates Petroleum Corporation would like to submit for your consideration the enclosed closure report for the above captioned well. The closure report is being submitted to comply with section VII termination of Remedial Action of the New Mexico Oil and gas Conservation Division (OCD) *Guidelines for Remediation of Leaks, Spills and Releases*.

Yates has complied with the closure criteria and based on the analytical report, respectfully requests that no further action is required and requests NMOCD to grant final closure.

Should you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact me. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Sherry Bonham
Environmental Regulatory Agent



CLOSURE REPORT

HORNBAKER BA 1

**25 T18S R25E
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**

January 22, 2007

INTRODUCTION

This closure report for the Hornbaker BA 1 has been developed to comply with Section VII Termination of Remedial Action of the New Mexico Oil and Gas Conservation Division (OCD).

BACKGROUND

Yates Petroleum Corporation (Yates) is the operator of the Hornbaker BA 1 (API 30-015-20015) site. The initial release was the result of a hole in a tank. Yates submitted Initial Report Form C-141 on September 19, 2006. A copy of the Initial Report C-141 is included as Attachment A.

RECOMMENDED REMEDIAL ACTION LEVELS

Based on Section IV of the Guidelines, the Ranking Criteria for this site is as follows:

• Depth to ground water >100'	0
• Not in well head protection area	0
• Distance to surface water body >1000'	<u>0</u>
TOTAL RANKING SCORE	0

For sites with a Total Ranking Score of 0, the Recommended Remedial Action Levels (RRALs) are:

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|-----------------|------|
| • Benzene (ppm) | 10 |
| • BTEX (ppm) | 50 |
| • TPH (ppm) | 5000 |

Site Ranking
10

HISTORY

Affected soils were excavated as per work plan and hauled to an approved disposal facility. On November 6, 2006, Sherry Bonham of Yates Petroleum Corporation and Mike Bratcher of NMOCD-District 2 met at the Hornbaker BA 1 for the purpose of obtaining confirmation samples.

Samples were delivered to Environmental Lab of Texas who performed the chemical analyses. The samples were analyzed for Chlorides, TPH by EPA Method 8015B and BTEX by EPA Method 8021B. Results of sample analyses were below RRALs indicating that site could be backfilled. A copy of the laboratory report as well as the sample point diagram is included as Attachment B.

On November 13, 2006 Yates' request to backfill was approved by NMOCD-District 2. The e-mail confirmation to backfill is included as Attachment C.

CLOSURE REQUEST

All remediation processes have been completed. Site has been backfilled to grade. A copy of post-remediation photos is included as Attachment D.

Yates Petroleum Corporation respectfully requests this site be closed and no further actions taken. Included is a Final Report C-141 requesting closure.

Attachment A

State of New Mexico
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources

Form C-141
Revised October 10, 2003

25 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240
District II
1301 W. Grand Avenue, Artesia, NM 88210
District III
1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410
District IV
1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Dr.
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Submit 2 Copies to appropriate
District Office in accordance
with Rule 116 on back
side of form

Release Notification and Corrective Action

OPERATOR

Initial Report Final Report

Name of Company YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION		OGRID Number 25575	Contact SHERRY BONHAM
Address 105 S 4 TH STREET		Telephone No. 505.748.1471	
Facility Name HORNBAKER BA 1 BATTERY	API Number 30-015-20015	Facility Type BATTERY	
Surface Owner FEE	Mineral Owner FEE	Lease No.	

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter G	Section 25	Township 18S	Range 25E	Feet from the 1900	North/South Line NORTH	Feet from the 1650	East/West Line EAST	County EDDY
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Latitude 32.72094 Longitude 104.43452

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release CRUDE OIL AND PRODUCED WATER	Volume of Release 10 B/O; 5 B/PW	Volume Recovered 5 B/O; 1 B/PW
Source of Release TANK	Date and Hour of Occurrence 9/13/06 AM	Date and Hour of Discovery 9/13/06 AM
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? N/A	
By Whom? N/A	Date and Hour N/A	
Was a Watercourse Reached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse. N/A	

If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.*
N/A

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.*
HOLE IN TANK. EMPTIED AND CLEANED TANK.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*
AN APPROXIMATE 20' X 30' AREA IMPACTED. ALL FLUIDS WERE CONTAINED WITHIN BERMED AREA. VACUUM TRUCK AND CREW CALLED IN. VACUUMED TANK AND STANDING FLUIDS.

Site Ranking: 0

I hereby certify that the information given above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and understand that pursuant to NMOCD rules and regulations all operators are required to report and/or file certain release notifications and perform corrective actions for releases which may endanger public health or the environment. The acceptance of a C-141 report by the NMOCD marked as "Final Report" does not relieve the operator of liability should their operations have failed to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that pose a threat to ground water, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, NMOCD acceptance of a C-141 report does not relieve the operator of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, or local laws and/or regulations.

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Signature: *Sherry Bonham*

Printed Name: Sherry Bonham

Approved by District Supervisor:

Title: Environmental Regulatory Agent

Approval Date:

Expiration Date:

E-mail Address: sherryb@ypcnm.com

Conditions of Approval:

Attached

Date: September 19, 2006

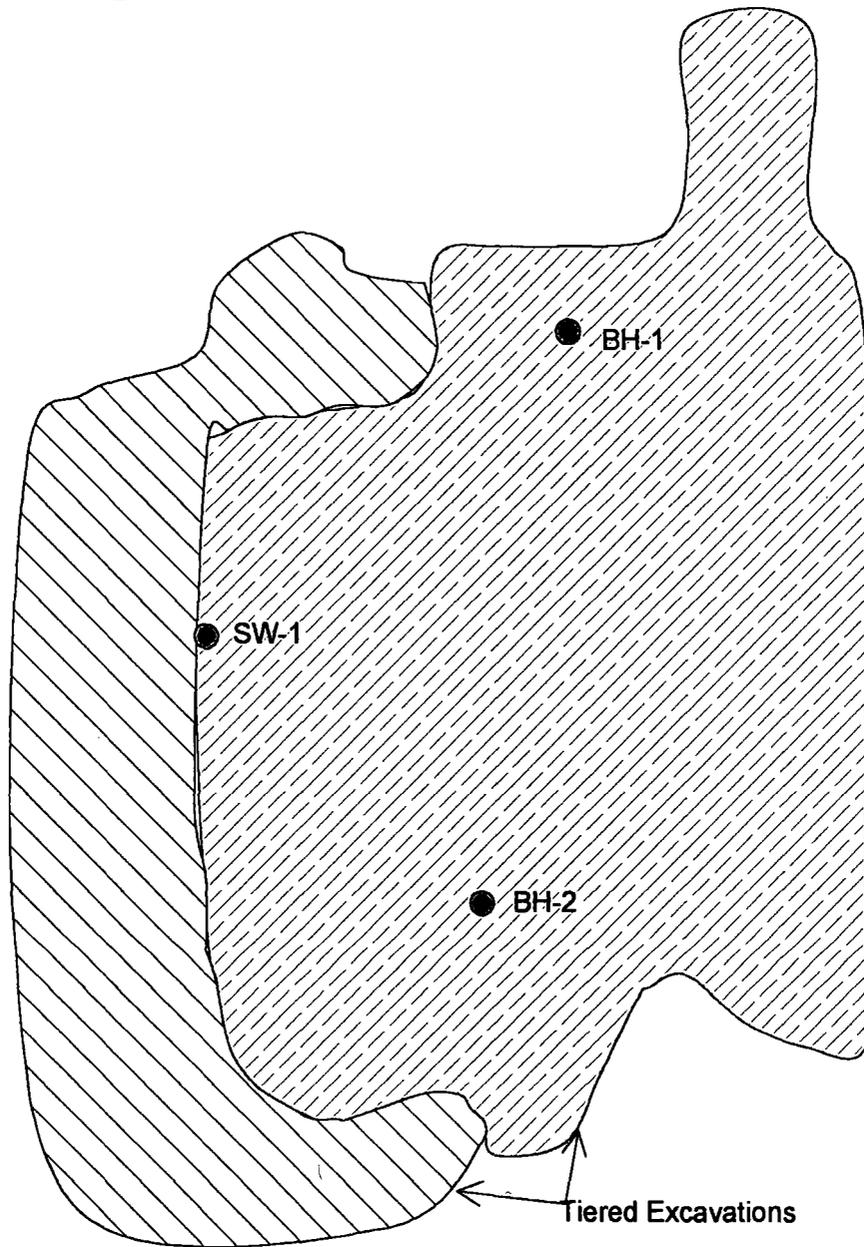
Phone: 505.748.1471

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

Attachment B



BH-1: 32.72103 104.43327
BH-2: 32.72097 104.43322
SW-1: 32.72102 104.43326



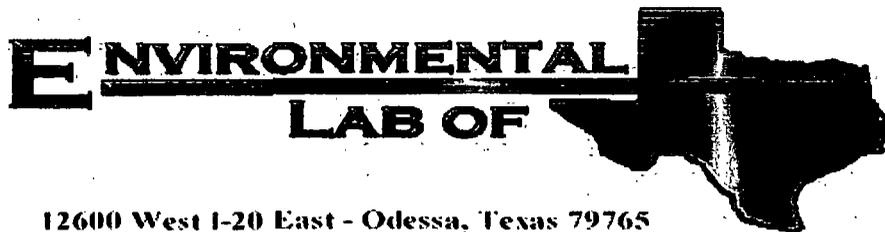
Hornbaker BA 1

Sec. 25 T18S R25E

Eddy County, NM

**SAMPLE POINTS DIAGRAM
NOVEMBER 6, 2006**

(Not to Scale)



12600 West I-20 East - Odessa, Texas 79765

Analytical Report

Prepared for:

Sherry Bonham

Yates Petroleum Corp.

105 S. Fourth St.

Artesia, NM 88210

Project: Hornbaker BA 1

Project Number: 25-185-25E-G

Location: Eddy County

Lab Order Number: 6K09004

Report Date: 11/10/06

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ANALYTICAL REPORT FOR SAMPLES

Sample ID	Laboratory ID	Matrix	Date Sampled	Date Received
BII-1	6K09004-01	Soil	11/06/06 15:30	11-09-2006 09:20
BH-2	6K09004-02	Soil	11/06/06 15:45	11-09-2006 09:20
SW-1	6K09004-03	Soil	11/06/06 16:00	11-09-2006 09:20

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Organics by GC
Environmental Lab of Texas

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Dilution	Batch	Prepared	Analyzed	Method	Notes
BH-1 (6K09004-01) Soil									
Benzene	ND	0.0250	mg/kg dry	25	EK60914	11/09/06	11/09/06	EPA 8021B	
Toluene	ND	0.0250	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Ethylbenzene	0.0335	0.0250	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Xylene (p/m)	0.0657	0.0250	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Xylene (o)	ND	0.0250	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Surrogate: a,a,a-Trifluorotoluene		84.5 %	80-120		"	"	"	"	
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene		85.5 %	80-120		"	"	"	"	
Carbon Ranges C6-C10	J [9.12]	10.0	mg/kg dry	1	EK60814	11/09/06	11/09/06	EPA 8015B	J
Carbon Ranges >C10-C28	188	10.0	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Total Carbon Range C6-C28	188	10.0	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctane		108 %	70-130		"	"	"	"	
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctadecane		126 %	70-130		"	"	"	"	
BH-2 (6K09004-02) Soil									
Benzene	J [0.0176]	0.0250	mg/kg dry	25	EK60914	11/09/06	11/09/06	EPA 8021B	J
Toluene	0.0397	0.0250	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Ethylbenzene	0.0604	0.0250	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Xylene (p/m)	0.145	0.0250	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Xylene (o)	0.0530	0.0250	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Surrogate: a,a,a-Trifluorotoluene		92.5 %	80-120		"	"	"	"	
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene		111 %	80-120		"	"	"	"	
Carbon Ranges C6-C10	13.2	10.0	mg/kg dry	1	EK60814	11/09/06	11/09/06	EPA 8015B	
Carbon Ranges >C10-C28	84.0	10.0	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Total Carbon Range C6-C28	97.2	10.0	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctane		100 %	70-130		"	"	"	"	
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctadecane		112 %	70-130		"	"	"	"	
SW-1 (6K09004-03) Soil									
Benzene	ND	0.0250	mg/kg dry	25	EK60914	11/09/06	11/09/06	EPA 8021B	
Toluene	ND	0.0250	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Ethylbenzene	J [0.0223]	0.0250	"	"	"	"	"	"	J
Xylene (p/m)	0.0805	0.0250	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Xylene (o)	0.0489	0.0250	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Surrogate: a,a,a-Trifluorotoluene		81.2 %	80-120		"	"	"	"	
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene		103 %	80-120		"	"	"	"	
Carbon Ranges C6-C10	18.2	10.0	mg/kg dry	1	EK60814	11/09/06	11/09/06	EPA 8015B	
Carbon Ranges >C10-C28	253	10.0	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Total Carbon Range C6-C28	271	10.0	"	"	"	"	"	"	

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Project Manager: Sherry Bonham

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Organics by GC
Environmental Lab of Texas

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Dilution	Batch	Prepared	Analyzed	Method	Notes
SW-1 (6K09004-03) Soil									
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctane		105 %	70-130		EK60814	11/09/06	11/09/06	EPA 8015B	
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctadecane		115 %	70-130		"	"	"	"	

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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
BH-1 (6K09004-01) Soil									
% Moisture	10.7	0.1	%	1	EK60915	11/09/06	11/09/06	% calculation	
BH-2 (6K09004-02) Soil									
% Moisture	16.8	0.1	%	1	EK60915	11/09/06	11/09/06	% calculation	
SW-1 (6K09004-03) Soil									
% Moisture	12.4	0.1	%	1	EK60915	11/09/06	11/09/06	% calculation	

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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
Batch EK60814 - Solvent Extraction (GC)										
Blank (EK60814-BLK1) Prepared: 11/08/06 Analyzed: 11/09/06										
Carbon Ranges C6-C10	ND	10.0	mg/kg wet							
Carbon Ranges >C10-C28	ND	10.0	"							
Total Carbon Range C6-C28	ND	10.0	"							
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctane	55.3		mg/kg	50.0		111	70-130			
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctadecane	64.8		"	50.0		130	70-130			
LCS (EK60814-BS1) Prepared: 11/08/06 Analyzed: 11/09/06										
Carbon Ranges C6-C10	576	10.0	mg/kg wet	500		115	75-125			
Carbon Ranges >C10-C28	487	10.0	"	500		97.4	75-125			
Total Carbon Range C6-C28	1060	10.0	"	1000		106	75-125			
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctane	63.5		mg/kg	50.0		127	70-130			
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctadecane	62.8		"	50.0		126	70-130			
Calibration Check (EK60814-CCV1) Prepared: 11/08/06 Analyzed: 11/09/06										
Carbon Ranges C6-C10	228		mg/kg	250		91.2	80-120			
Carbon Ranges >C10-C28	249		"	250		99.6	80-120			
Total Carbon Range C6-C28	477		"	500		95.4	80-120			
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctane	49.7		"	50.0		99.4	70-130			
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctadecane	51.5		"	50.0		103	70-130			
Matrix Spike (EK60814-MS1) Source: 6K08003-02 Prepared: 11/08/06 Analyzed: 11/09/06										
Carbon Ranges C6-C10	661	10.0	mg/kg dry	586	ND	113	75-125			
Carbon Ranges >C10-C28	548	10.0	"	586	ND	93.5	75-125			
Total Carbon Range C6-C28	1210	10.0	"	1170	ND	103	75-125			
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctane	62.5		mg/kg	50.0		125	70-130			
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctadecane	64.4		"	50.0		129	70-130			
Matrix Spike Dup (EK60814-MSD1) Source: 6K08003-02 Prepared: 11/08/06 Analyzed: 11/09/06										
Carbon Ranges C6-C10	656	10.0	mg/kg dry	586	ND	112	75-125	0.759	20	
Carbon Ranges >C10-C28	541	10.0	"	586	ND	92.3	75-125	1.29	20	
Total Carbon Range C6-C28	1200	10.0	"	1170	ND	103	75-125	0.830	20	
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctane	61.6		mg/kg	50.0		123	70-130			
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctadecane	56.7		"	50.0		113	70-130			

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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 EK60914 - EPA 5030C (GC)

Blank (EK60914-BLK1)

Prepared & Analyzed: 11/09/06

Benzene	ND	0.0250	mg/kg wet							
Toluene	ND	0.0250	"							
Ethylbenzene	ND	0.0250	"							
Xylene (p/m)	ND	0.0250	"							
Xylene (o)	ND	0.0250	"							
Surrogate: a,a,a-Trifluorotoluene	33.0		ug/kg	40.0		82.5	80-120			
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	37.1		"	40.0		92.8	80-120			

LCS (EK60914-BS1)

Prepared & Analyzed: 11/09/06

Benzene	1.28	0.0250	mg/kg wet	1.25		102	80-120			
Toluene	1.16	0.0250	"	1.25		92.8	80-120			
Ethylbenzene	1.18	0.0250	"	1.25		94.4	80-120			
Xylene (p/m)	2.40	0.0250	"	2.50		96.0	80-120			
Xylene (o)	1.19	0.0250	"	1.25		95.2	80-120			
Surrogate: a,a,a-Trifluorotoluene	37.4		ug/kg	40.0		93.5	80-120			
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	38.4		"	40.0		96.0	80-120			

Calibration Check (EK60914-CCV1)

Prepared & Analyzed: 11/09/06

Benzene	48.5		ug/kg	50.0		97.0	80-120			
Toluene	42.4		"	50.0		84.8	80-120			
Ethylbenzene	43.5		"	50.0		87.0	80-120			
Xylene (p/m)	85.3		"	100		85.3	80-120			
Xylene (o)	43.0		"	50.0		86.0	80-120			
Surrogate: a,a,a-Trifluorotoluene	36.4		"	40.0		91.0	80-120			
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	36.4		"	40.0		91.0	80-120			

Matrix Spike (EK60914-MS1)

Source: 6K09004-01

Prepared & Analyzed: 11/09/06

Benzene	1.50	0.0250	mg/kg dry	1.40	ND	107	80-120			
Toluene	1.41	0.0250	"	1.40	ND	101	80-120			
Ethylbenzene	1.34	0.0250	"	1.40	0.0335	93.3	80-120			
Xylene (p/m)	2.91	0.0250	"	2.80	0.0657	102	80-120			
Xylene (o)	1.37	0.0250	"	1.40	ND	97.9	80-120			
Surrogate: a,a,a-Trifluorotoluene	35.6		ug/kg	40.0		89.0	80-120			
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	41.2		"	40.0		103	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
Batch EK60914 - EPA 5030C (GC)										
Matrix Spike Dup (EK60914-MSD1)										
Source: 6K09004-01										
Prepared & Analyzed: 11/09/06										
Benzene	1.30	0.0250	mg/kg dry	1.40	ND	92.9	80-120	14.1	20	
Toluene	1.27	0.0250	"	1.40	ND	90.7	80-120	10.7	20	
Ethylbenzene	1.25	0.0250	"	1.40	0.0335	86.9	80-120	7.10	20	
Xylene (p/m)	2.76	0.0250	"	2.80	0.0657	96.2	80-120	5.85	20	
Xylene (o)	1.36	0.0250	"	1.40	ND	97.1	80-120	0.821	20	
Surrogate: <i>o,o,d,d</i> -Trifluorotoluene	32.6		ug/kg	40.0		81.5	80-120			
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	35.9		"	40.0		89.8	80-120			

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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 EK60915 - General Preparation (Prep)

Blank (EK60915-BLK1)

Prepared & Analyzed: 11/09/06

% Solids 99.7 %

Duplicate (EK60915-DUP1)

Source: GK09004-01

Prepared & Analyzed: 11/09/06

% Solids 89.3 % 89.3 0.00 20

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Notes and Definitions

J Detected but below the Reporting Limit; therefore, result is an estimated concentration (CLP J-Flag).
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: 11/10/2006

Raland K. Tuttle, Lab Manager
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CHAIN OF CUSTODY RECORD AND ANALYSIS REQUEST
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 Odessa, Texas 79765
 Phone: 432-563-1800
 Fax: 432-563-1713

Project Manager: Sherry Bonham
 Company Name: Yates Petroleum Corporation
 Company Address: 105 S 4th Street
 City/State/Zip: Artesia, NM 88210
 Telephone No: 505-748-4162 or 505-513-1529
 Project Name: HORNBAKER BA 1
 Project #: 25-185-25E-G
 Project Loc: Eddy County
 PO #: 1032420

Report Format: Standard TRRP NPDES
 505-748-4585 (Please include cover sheet)
 e-mail: sherryb@yppcnm.com

ORDER #: 6K09004
 (lab use only)

LAB # (lab use only)	FIELD CODE	Beginning Depth	Ending Depth	Date Sampled	Time Sampled	Field Filtered	Total # of Containers	Matrix	TPH: 418.1 8015M 8015B	TPH: TX 1005 TX 1008	Cations (Ca, Mg, Na, K)	Anions (Cl, SO4, Alkalinity)	SAR / ESP / CEC	Metals: As Ag Ba Cd Cr Pb Hg Se	Volatiles	Semivolatiles	BTEX (8021) 8030 or BTEX 8260	RUSH TAT (Pre-Schedule) 24, 48, 72 hrs	Standard TAT
-01	BH-1			11-6-06	3:30PM		1	X											
-02	BH-2			11-6-06	3:45PM		1	V											
-03	SW-1			11-6-06	4:00PM		1	V											

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Laboratory Comments:
 Sample Containers Intact? Y
 VOCs Free of Headspace? Y
 Labels on Containers? Y
 Custody seals on container(s)? Y
 Custody seals on cooler(s)? Y
 Sample Hand Delivered? Y
 by Sampler/Client Rep.? Y
 by Counter? Y UPS Y DHL Y FedEx Y Lone Star Y

Temperature Upon Receipt: 2.5 °C

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

Client: Yates Petroleum
 Date/ Time: 11-09-06 @ 0920
 Lab ID #: 6 K09004
 Initials: JMM

Sample Receipt Checklist

				Client Initials
#1	Temperature of container/ cooler?	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No	2.5 °C
#2	Shipping container in good condition?	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No	
#3	Custody Seals intact on shipping container/ cooler?	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No	Not Present
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#15	Preservations documented on Chain of Custody?	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No	
#16	Containers documented on Chain of Custody?	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No	
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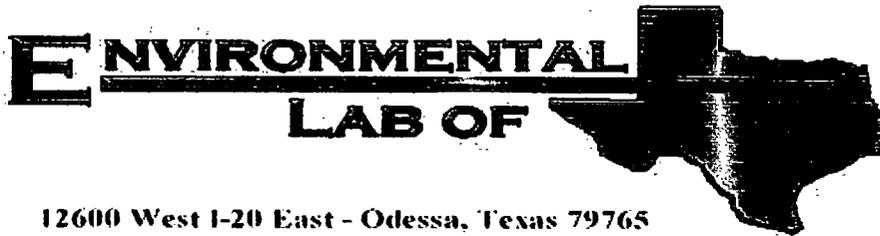
Variance Documentation

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Regarding: _____

Corrective Action Taken:

- Check all that Apply:
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12600 West I-20 East - Odessa, Texas 79765

Analytical Report

Prepared for:

Sherry Bonham

Yates Petroleum Corp.

105 S. Fourth St.

Artesia, NM 88210

Project: Hornbaker BA 1

Project Number: 25-185-25E-G

Location: Eddy County

Lab Order Number: 6K09004

Report Date: 11/10/06

Yates Petroleum Corp.
105 S. Fourth St.
Artesia NM, 88210

Project: Hornbaker BA 1
Project Number: 25-185-25E-G
Project Manager: Sherry Bonham

Fax: (505) 748-4662

ANALYTICAL REPORT FOR SAMPLES

Sample ID	Laboratory ID	Matrix	Date Sampled	Date Received
BH-1	6K09004-01	Soil	11/06/06 15:30	11-09-2006 09:20
BH-2	6K09004-02	Soil	11/06/06 15:45	11-09-2006 09:20
SW-1	6K09004-03	Soil	11/06/06 16:00	11-09-2006 09:20

Yates Petroleum Corp.
105 S. Fourth St.
Artesia NM, 88210

Project: Hornbaker BA 1
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General Chemistry Parameters by EPA / Standard Methods
Environmental Lab of Texas

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Dilution	Batch	Prepared	Analyzed	Method	Notes
BH-1 (6K09004-01) Soil									
Chloride	548	20.0	mg/kg	40	EK60909	11/09/06	11/09/06	EPA 300.0	
BII-2 (6K09004-02) Soil									
Chloride	709	20.0	mg/kg	40	EK60909	11/09/06	11/09/06	EPA 300.0	
SW-1 (6K09004-03) Soil									
Chloride	664	25.0	mg/kg	50	EK60909	11/09/06	11/09/06	EPA 300.0	

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

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Spike Lcvcl	Source Result	%REC	%REC Limits	RPD	RPD Limit	Notes
Batch EK60909 - Water Extraction										
Blank (EK60909-BLK1)					Prepared & Analyzed: 11/09/06					
Chloride	ND	0.500	mg/kg							
LCS (EK60909-BS1)					Prepared & Analyzed: 11/09/06					
Chloride	11.0	0.500	mg/kg	10.0		110	80-120			
Calibration Check (EK60909-CCV1)					Prepared & Analyzed: 11/09/06					
Chloride	11.2		mg/L	10.0		112	80-120			
Duplicate (EK60909-DUP1)					Source: 6K08002-02		Prepared & Analyzed: 11/09/06			
Chloride	149	5.00	mg/kg		157			5.23	20	
Duplicate (EK60909-DUP2)					Source: 6K08002-12		Prepared & Analyzed: 11/09/06			
Chloride	1.08	5.00	mg/kg		1.05			2.82	20	J
Matrix Spike (EK60909-MS1)					Source: 6K08002-02		Prepared & Analyzed: 11/09/06			
Chloride	264	5.00	mg/kg	100	157	107	80-120			
Matrix Spike (EK60909-MS2)					Source: 6K08002-12		Prepared & Analyzed: 11/09/06			
Chloride	106	5.00	mg/kg	100	1.05	105	80-120			

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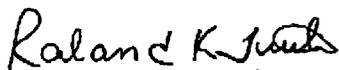
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Notes and Definitions

J Detected but below the Reporting Limit; therefore, result is an estimated concentration (CLP J-Flag).
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:



Date:

11/10/2006

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CHAIN OF CUSTODY RECORD AND ANALYSIS REQUEST
 12500 West 1-20 East
 Odessa, Texas 79765
 Phone: 432-563-1800
 Fax: 432-563-1713

Project Manager: Sherry Bonhair
 Company Name: Yales Petroleum Corporation
 Company Address: 105 S 4th Street
 City/State/Zip: Artesia, NM 88210
 Telephone No: 505-748-4182 or 505-513-1529
 Project Name: HORNBAXER RA 1
 Project #: 25-185-25E-G
 Project Loc: Eddy County
 PO #: # 1032420
 Report Format: Standard TRR? NPDES

Sample Signature: *Sherry Bonhair* e-mail: sherryb@ypcnm.com
 505-748-4565 (Please include cover sheet)

(lab use only)

ORDER #: 6K09004

LAB # (lab use only)	FIELD CODE	Beginning Depth	Ending Depth	Date Sampled	Time Sampled	Field Filtered	Total # of Containers	Preservation & # of Containers	Matrix	TPH: 1815M 8015M 8015B	TPH: TX 1005 TX 1006	Colloids (Ca, Mg, Na, K)	Anions (Cl, SO4, Alkalinity)	SAR / ESP / DEC	Metals: As Ag Ba Cd Cr Pb Hg Se	Volatiles	Semivolatiles	BTEX (021B 5030 or BTEX 8260)	RCI	NORM	RUSH TAT (Pre-Schedule) 24, 48, 72 hrs	Standard TAT		
-01	BH-1			11-6-06	3:30 PM		1	X	None	Other (Specify)	GW = Groundwater S = Solid	NP = Non-Portable	Specdy Other											
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Laboratory Comments:
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 VCCs Free of Headspace? Y
 Labels on container(s)? Y
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 Sample Hand Delivered by Sampler/Client Rep.? Y
 by Courier? Y UPS Y DHL Y FedEx Y Lone Star Y

Temperature Upon Receipt: 2.5 °C

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Regarding: _____

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Attachment C

Sherry Bonham

From: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD [mike.bratcher@state.nm.us]
Sent: Monday, November 13, 2006 4:11 PM
To: Sherry Bonham
Cc: Jerry Fanning
Subject: RE: Hornbaker BA 1

Sherry,

Analytical data presented indicates the Hornbaker BA 001 Battery has been remediated to NMOCD Guidelines and is approved for closure.

Please be advised that NMOCD approval does not relieve the operator of liability should their operations have failed to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that pose a threat to groundwater, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, NMOCD approval does not relieve the operator of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, local laws and/or regulations.

I appreciate Yates Petroleum Corporation's ongoing cooperation with the NMOCD to maintain the environmental integrity of New Mexico.

Sincerely,

Mike Bratcher
NMOCD District 2

From: Sherry Bonham [mailto:sherryb@YPCNM.COM]
Sent: Monday, November 13, 2006 3:43 PM
To: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD
Cc: Jerry Fanning
Subject: Hornbaker BA 1

Mike,

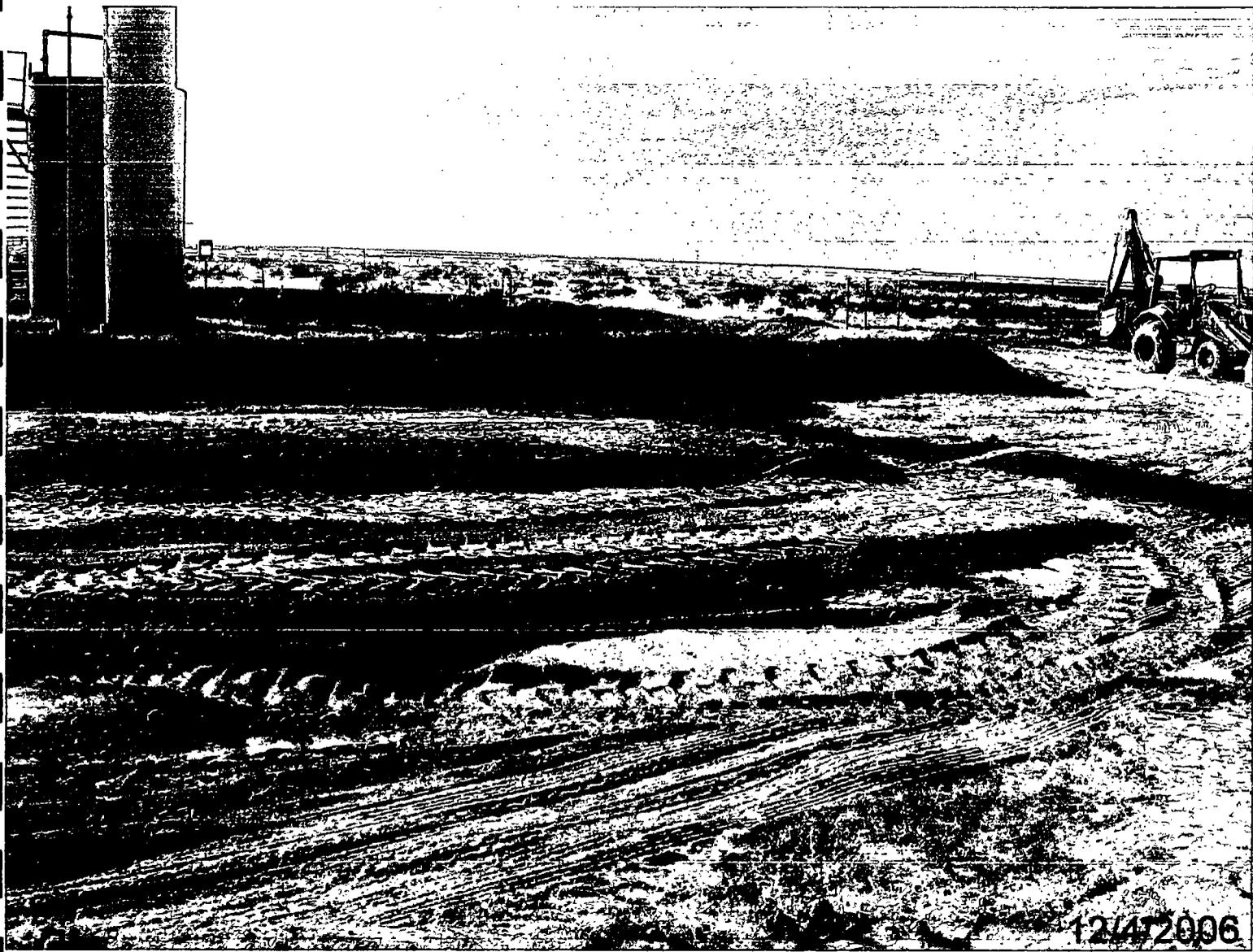
Thank you for taking the time this afternoon to review the analytical report on the Hornbaker BA 1. This e-mail is to confirm our conversation that analytical results support backfilling and Yates may proceed with backfilling processes.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact me and should I not hear from you, I will assume that you are in agreement.

Sherry

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