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From: Hansen, Edward J., EMNRD
Sent: Tuesday, August 12, 2008 4:35 PM
To: 'Hack Conder'
Cc: Price, Wayne, EMNRD; 'Marvin Burrows'
Subject: Workplans for 1R427-09, 1R426-09, 1R428-76, and 1R427-172

Dear Mr. Conder:

The New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (OCD) has determined after reviewing your Notification of Groundwater Impact for each of the following four sites:

- 1) Rice EME L-6 Boot
Unit L, Section 6, T20S, R37E
Lea County, New Mexico
OCD Case #1R0427-09
- 2) Rice BD H-19
Unit H, Section 19, T21S, R37
Lea County, New Mexico
OCD Case #1R0426-09
- 3) Rice Hobbs Jct. M-4
Unit M, Section 4, T19S, R38E
Lea County, New Mexico
OCD Case #1R0428-76
- 4) Rice EME Gaither Boot
Unit I, Section 34, T19S, R36E
Lea County, New Mexico
OCD Case #1R0427-172

that the Rice Operating Company (ROC) must submit for each of the four sites a separate corrective action workplan in accordance with OCD Rule 116 (19.15.3.116 NMAC) to remediate the ground water contamination at each of these sites. The workplans must include a schedule for immediate implementation of groundwater remediation and source control. The workplans must be submitted to the OCD Santa Fe Office within 30 days.

Specifically, the workplan for the Rice EME L-6 Boot site must include that an estimation of the chloride mass that has contaminated the groundwater by the release at the Rice EME L-6 Boot Site and a plan for the removal of that chloride mass from the groundwater. An existing groundwater monitoring well may be used for this purpose. Also, please propose a treatment and / or disposal method for that chloride mass.

Also, for the Rice EME Gaither Boot additional site investigation must be performed at the site; i.e., an upgradient groundwater monitoring well must be installed at the site to determine the regional background groundwater quality. If the background quality is similar to the downgradient well sample results, then the workplan must include that an estimation of the chloride mass that has contaminated the

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groundwater by the release at the Rice EME Gaither Boot Site and a plan for the removal of that chloride mass from the groundwater. An existing groundwater monitoring well may be used for this purpose. Also, please propose a treatment and / or disposal method for that chloride mass. *[However, if the background quality is not similar to the downgradient well sample results, then an Abatement Plan may be required. Therefore, please submit the analytical results for the upgradient well to the OCD prior to submitting the workplan. Additional time for submittal of the workplan for this site may be requested.]*

ROC should submit one paper copy and an electronic copy on CD for each of the workplans and for all future workplans and/or reports for each of the sites. Please be sure to include the current corresponding OCD Case # on each of the respective workplans. If you have any questions regarding this matter, please call me at (505) 476-3489.

Edward J. Hansen
Hydrologist
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June 24, 2008

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Mr. Wayne Price
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Drive
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

RE: Notification of Ground Water Impact: T19S R38E, Section 4, Unit M
Jct. M-4 Jct. Box, NMOCD Case #: 1R428-76
Hobbs Salt Water Disposal System

Dear Mr. Price:

R.T. Hicks Consultants, Ltd. is submitting this Notification of Ground Water Impact for the above referenced site, M-4, within the Hobbs Salt Water Disposal System on behalf of Rice Operating Company (ROC). Plate 1 is a map showing the location of this and other nearby ROC sites relative to major roads in the area. As part of the OCD approved (7-18-07) Investigation and Characterization Plan (ICP) R.T. Hicks Consultants (Hicks Consultants) supervised a backhoe investigation (September 2007) and an initial soil boring investigation (February 2008) at the subject site and found:

- Field chloride levels of 226-310 mg/kg from 4' bgs to 12' bgs in a delineation trench to the south of the former junction box. A PID detected significant hydrocarbon impact from 8' bgs – 12' bgs
- In a soil boring 15 feet west of the former junction box (SB-1):
 - Chloride concentrations exceeding 500 mg/kg from 10-20 feet below ground surface,
 - BTEX in soil from 15-17' bgs was <0.0057 mg/kg and non-detect from 25-27 feet bgs.
- In a soil boring (SB-2) through the center of the former junction box, chloride concentrations of 1,520 mg/kg from 20-22' bgs and 558 mg/kg from 25-27' bgs.

A monitoring well was installed down-gradient (southeast) of the former junction box. This well was developed and sampled pursuant to OCD guidelines by Arc Environmental (Arc) of Lovington. The initial ground water sampling event (March 2008) showed a chloride concentration of 432 mg/L and 1,520 mg/L TDS. In May 2008 we observed ground water concentrations of 332 mg/L chloride and 1,330 mg/L TDS. Analyzed hydrocarbons were below detection limits in both ground water sampling events.

Laboratory analyses of two sampling events confirm the Water Quality Control Commission numerical standards for Chloride and TDS are exceeded in the monitoring well. Arc will continue to sample ground water at the site on a quarterly basis.

Produced water may have been released from the ROC junction box and created a local impact to ground water. Our experience in the Hobbs area suggests that ground water impacts from a junction box are generally minor and ground water quality is restored through natural processes in a matter of months.

June 24, 2008

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Examination of historic aerial photographs suggests past activities in the area may have adversely impacted the site. If chloride concentrations in the monitoring well remain above standards or if they increase over time, additional investigation will be required to determine if historic activities of others or releases from the former junction box are the source of chloride in ground water.

This submission is not a formal disclosure of confirmed ground water impact due to the activities of Rice Operating Company (ROC) at this site. While ground water impairment does exist at this location and ROC believes transmission of this finding to OCD is appropriate, we do not believe the evidence collected thus far is sufficient to conclude that the ROC pipeline is the source of chloride in ground water.

After review of the data from two additional quarters of ground water monitoring and additional investigation, Hicks Consultants will submit a Corrective Action Plan to OCD or a request to close the regulatory file associated with this site. In the submission, we will provide an opinion of the source of chloride in ground water as well as supporting evidence.

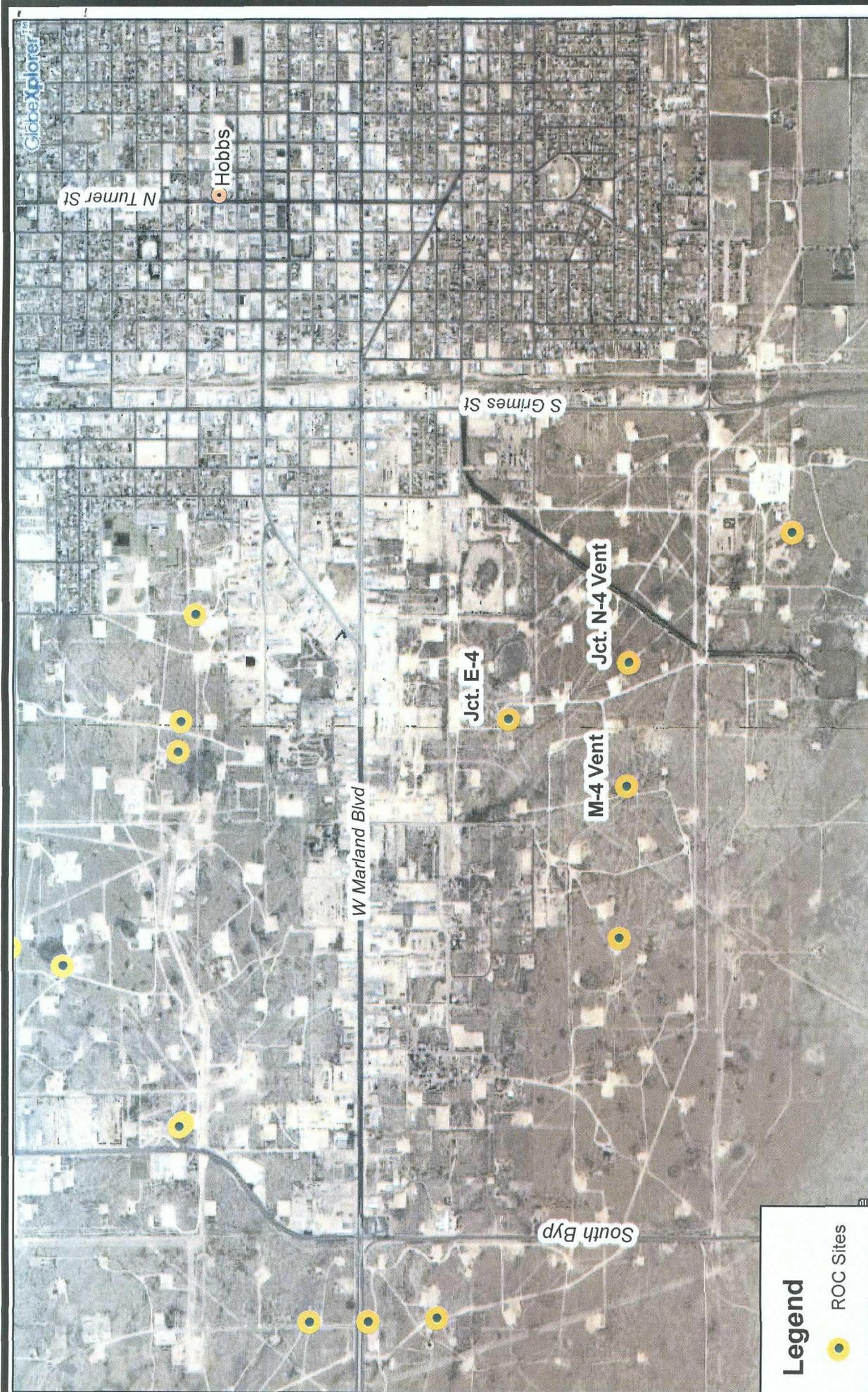
Rice Operating Company (ROC) is the service provider (agent) for the Hobbs Saltwater Disposal System and has no ownership of any portion of pipeline, well, or facility. A consortium of oil producers who own the Hobbs System (System Partners); provide all operating capital on a percentage ownership/usage basis. Major projects require System Partner authorization for expenditures (AFE) approval and work begins as funds are received. The Hobbs SWD System has been abandoned.

Sincerely,
R.T. Hicks Consultants, Ltd.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Randall T. Hicks". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Randall T. Hicks
Principal

Copy: Rice Operating Company
NMOCD office, Hobbs



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- ROC Sites



<p>R.T. Hicks Consultants, Ltd 901 Rio Grande Blvd NW Suite F-142 Albuquerque, NM 87104 Ph: 505-266-5004</p>	<p>Locations of Jct. E-4, Jct N-4 Vent, and M-4 Vent relative to Hobbs, New Mexico</p>	<p>Plate 1</p>
<p>Rice Operating Company: Hobbs SWD System</p>		<p>February 2007</p>

Plate 2A
Site History (Current)
Rice Operating Compar
Hobbs SWD M-4 Jct. E
T-19-S R-38-E Sec. 4 (1977)
Lea County, New Mexico

Excavation

SB-2

MW-1

SB-1

Water Knock-out
and Electrical

Present Lease Road



Scale - Feet



Scale - Meters



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LITHOLOGIC LOG (SOIL BORING)

MONITOR WELL NO.: SB-1
SITE ID: Hobbs SWD M-4 Vent
SURFACE ELEVATION: 3,607 (USGS Map)
CONTRACTOR: Harrison & Cooper, Inc.
DRILLING METHOD: Air-Rotary
INSTALLATION DATE: 2/19/08
WELL PLACEMENT: 15' West of source area
COMMENTS: Lat. 32° 41' 7.7" North, Long. 103° 9' 38.3" West (Hand-Held GPS)

TOTAL DEPTH: 27 Ft
CLIENT: Rice Operating Company
COUNTY: Lea County
STATE: New Mexico
LOCATION: T-19-S, R-38-E, Sec. 4 (M)
FIELD REP.: Dale Littlejohn
FILE NAME: \Hobbs SWDIM-4 Lithlogs

Lithology	SAMPLE DATA (PPM)					DEPTH	LITHOLOGIC DESCRIPTION: LITHOLOGY, COLOR, GRAIN SIZE SORTING, ROUNDING, CONSOL., DIST. DEATURES
	TYPE	DEPTH	% REC	PID	Cl (Fld)		
BENTONITE							SILT Dark brown.
						5	CALICHE Grayish brown to greenins brown, soft, hydrocarbon odor at 7 ft, becoming siltier with depth.
	spoon	5-7	10%	0.3	298		
						10	
	spoon	10-12	5%	51.8	605		
						15	SANDSTONE (quartzite) brown, fine crystalline, well cemented, very hard drilling.
	spoon	15-17	10%	1.4	1,151		CALICHE Brown with some silt. Lab Data: Chloride BTEX Benz Naphthalene (mg/kg) 1,760 <0.0057 ND ND
						20	SAND Brown, fine grain, medium sorted, angular.
	spoon	20-22	100%	1.1	963		
						25	SAND Brown, medium grain, well sorted, sub-rounded to rounded. Lab Data: Chloride BTEX Benz Naphthalene (mg/kg) 14.3 ND ND ND
spoon	25-27	100%	1.2	209			

TD = 27 Feet

LITHOLOGIC LOG (SOIL BORING)

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MONITOR WELL NO.: SB-2
SITE ID: Hobbs SWD M-4 Vent
SURFACE ELEVATION: 3,607 (USGS Map)
CONTRACTOR: Harrison & Cooper, Inc.
DRILLING METHOD: Air-Rotary
INSTALLATION DATE: 2/21/08
WELL PLACEMENT: Center of source area
COMMENTS: Lat. 32° 41' 7.6" North, Long. 103° 9' 38.0" West (Hand-Held GPS)

TOTAL DEPTH: 27 Ft
CLIENT: Rice Operating Company
COUNTY: Lea County
STATE: New Mexico
LOCATION: T-19-S, R-38-E, Sec. 4 (M)
FIELD REP.: Dale Littlejohn
FILE NAME: \Hobbs SWDM-4 Lithlogs

	Lithology	SAMPLE DATA (PPM)					DEPTH	LITHOLOGIC DESCRIPTION: LITHOLOGY, COLOR, GRAIN SIZE SORTING, ROUNDING, CONSOL., DIST. DEATURES
		TYPE	DEPTH	% REC	PID	Cl (Fld)		
BENTONITE	6-inch PVC PVC casing from surface to 6 feet	excav	4	-	45	226	5	No Cuttings; pit contained approx. 4 feet of silty soil overlying broken to massive caliche with some silt. SILT, Dark brown (fill material), strong hydrocarbon odor. CALICHE AND SILT Light brown, soft. SILTY SAND Light brown, very fine grain, well sorted, angular. SAND Brown, medium grain, well sorted, sub-rounded, poss sandstone at 27 ft.
		excav	5	-	8	310		
		excav	6	-	17	232		
		excav	7	-	84	234		
		excav	8	-	1,588	243		
		excav	9	-	1,268	266	10	
		excav	10	-	1,340	286		
		excav	11	-	1,068	286		
		excav	12	-	947	284		
		spoon	15-17	50%	123	198	15	
							20	
			spoon	20-22	100%	44.7	1,168	
					25			
	spoon	25-27	100%	32	700			
Lab Data: Chloride BTEX Benz Naphthalene (mg/kg) 47.4 <0.197 ND 0.245								
Lab Data: Chloride BTEX Benz Naphthalene (mg/kg) 1,520 ND ND ND								
Lab Data: Chloride BTEX Benz Naphthalene (mg/kg) 558 ND ND 0.083								

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LITHOLOGIC LOG (MONITORING WELL)

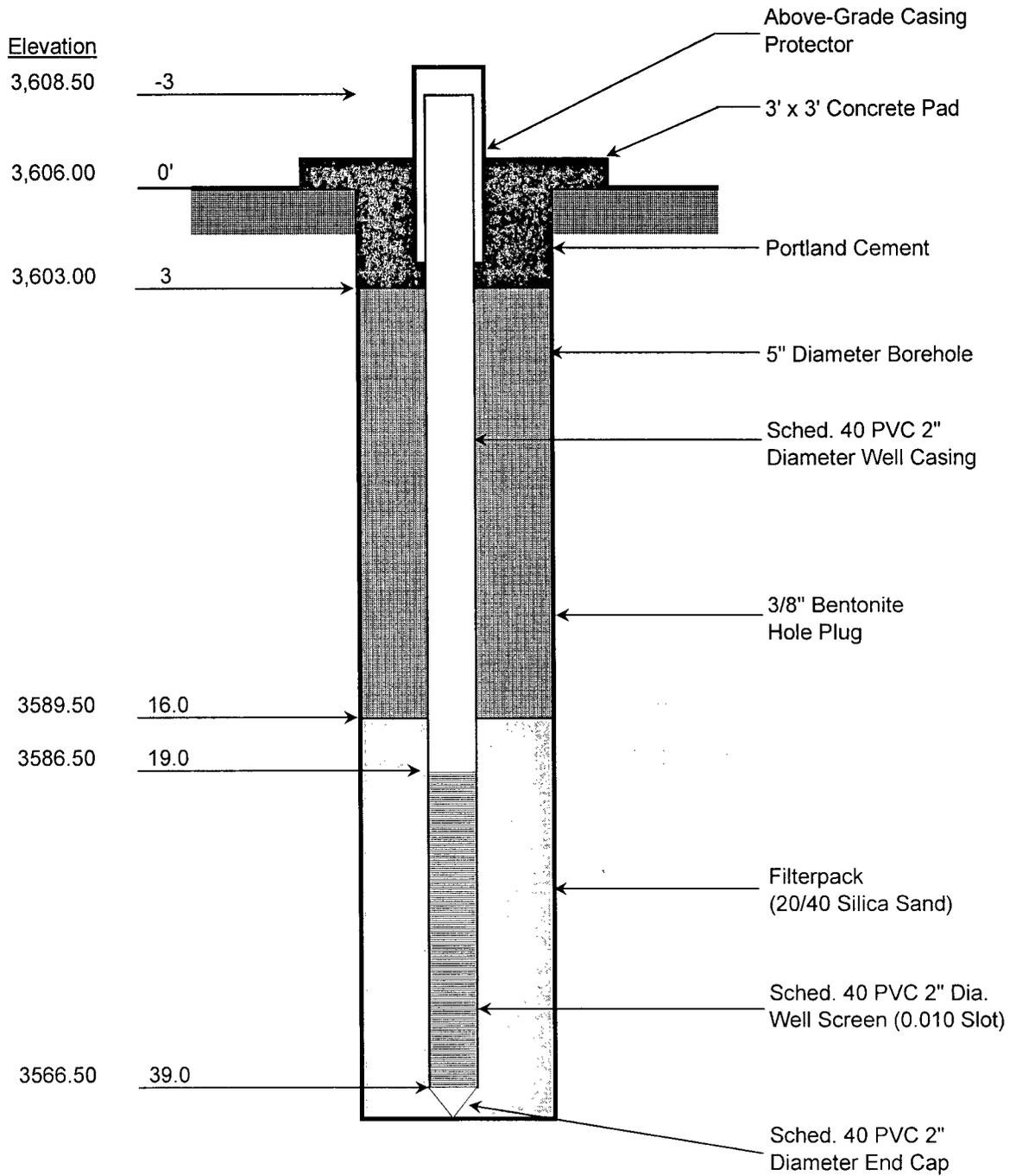
MONITOR WELL NO.: MW-1
SITE ID: Hobbs SWD M-4 Vent
SURFACE ELEVATION: 3,606 (USGS MAP)
CONTRACTOR: Harrison & Cooper, Inc.
DRILLING METHOD: Air-Rotary
INSTALLATION DATE: 2/19/08
WELL PLACEMENT: Southeast of source area
COMMENTS: Lat. 32° 41' 7.2" North, Long. 103° 9' 37.6" West (Hand-Held GPS)

TOTAL DEPTH: 39 Ft
CLIENT: Rice Operating Company
COUNTY: Lea County
STATE: New Mexico
LOCATION: T-19-S, R-38-E, Sec. 4 (M)
FIELD REP.: Dale Littlejohn
FILE NAME: \Hobbs SWDM-4 Lithlogs

Lithology	SAMPLE DATA (PPM)					DEPTH	LITHOLOGIC DESCRIPTION: LITHOLOGY, COLOR, GRAIN SIZE SORTING, ROUNDING, CONSOL., DIST. DEATURES
	TYPE	DEPTH	% REC	PID	CI (Fld)		
CMT BENTONITE HOLE PLUG 2" PVC BLANK CASING						5	SILT Dark brown, asphaltic (hydrocarbon) layer at surface.
						10	CALICHE Grayish white to grayish brown, hard drilling.
20/40 SAND FILTERPACK 2" PVC SLOTTED SCREEN (0.010")						15	CALICHE AND SILT Light reddish brown.
	spoon	15-17	60%	1.5	179	20	SAND Brown to reddish brown, medium grain, sub-rounded, well sorted.
	spoon	20-22	80%	1.3	148	25	Thin gravel zone at 21 to 23 feet
	spoon	25-27	80%	1.5	141	30	Saturated Formation
						35	

TD = 39 Feet

MONITORING WELL CONSTRUCTION DIAGRAM



R T Hicks Consultants Ltd	SITE: Hobbs SWD M-4 Vent		Monitoring Well No. MW-1
	DATE: 2/19/2008	REV. NO.: 1	
	AUTHOR: DTL	TECH: DTL	
	DRILLER: H & C, Inc	FILE: M-4 Lithlogs	

Analytical Report 298153

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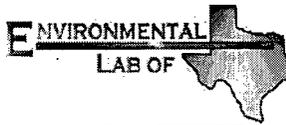
Rice Operating Co.

Project Manager: Kristin Pope

Hobbs SWD M-4 Vent

Hobbs SWD System

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Project Manager: **Kristin Pope**
Rice Operating Co.
122 West Taylor
Hobbs, NM 88240

Reference: XENCO Report No: **298153**
Hobbs SWD M-4 Vent
Project Address: T19S, R38E, Sec 4, Unit Letter M

Kristin Pope:

We are reporting to you the results of the analyses performed on the samples received under the project name referenced above and identified with the XENCO Report Number 298153. All results being reported under this Report Number apply to the samples analyzed and properly identified with a Laboratory ID number. Subcontracted analyses are identified in this report with either the NELAC certification number of the subcontract lab in the analyst ID field, or the complete subcontracted report attached to this report.

Unless otherwise noted in a Case Narrative, all data reported in this Analytical Report are in compliance with NELAC standards. Estimation of data uncertainty for this report is found in the quality control section of this report unless otherwise noted. Should insufficient sample be provided to the laboratory to meet the method and NELAC Matrix Duplicate and Matrix Spike requirements, then the data will be analyzed, evaluated and reported using all other available quality control measures.

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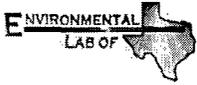


Sample Cross Reference 298153



Rice Operating Co., Hobbs, NM
Hobbs SWD M-4 Vent

Sample Id	Matrix	Date Collected	Sample Depth	Lab Sample Id
SB-1	S	Feb-19-08 09:14	15 - 17 ft	298153-001
SB-1	S	Feb-19-08 09:31	25 - 27 ft	298153-002
SB-2	S	Feb-21-08 11:51	15 - 17 ft	298153-003
SB-2	S	Feb-21-08 11:56	20 - 22 ft	298153-004
SB-2	S	Feb-21-08 12:05	25 - 27 ft	298153-005



Certificate of Analysis Summary 298153

Rice Operating Co., Hobbs, NM

Project Name: Hobbs SWD M-4 Vent

Project Id: Hobbs SWD System

Date Received in Lab: Feb-22-08 10:20 am

Contact: Kristin Pope

Report Date: 28-FEB-08

Project Location: T19S, R38E, Sec 4, Unit Letter M

Project Manager: Brent Barron, II

<i>Analysis Requested</i>	<i>Lab Id:</i>	298153-001	298153-002	298153-003	298153-004
	<i>Field Id:</i>	SB-1	SB-1	SB-2	SB-2
	<i>Depth:</i>	15-17 ft	25-27 ft	15-17 ft	20-22 ft
	<i>Matrix:</i>	SOIL	SOIL	SOIL	SOIL
	<i>Sampled:</i>	Feb-19-08 09:14	Feb-19-08 09:31	Feb-21-08 11:51	Feb-21-08 11:56
Anions by EPA 300/300.1	<i>Extracted:</i>				
	<i>Analyzed:</i>	Feb-23-08 10:52	Feb-23-08 10:52	Feb-23-08 10:52	Feb-23-08 10:52
	<i>Units/RL:</i>	mg/kg RL	mg/kg RL	mg/kg RL	mg/kg RL
Chloride		1760 22.8	14.3 6.14	47.4 5.44	1520 21.6
BTEX by SW 8260B	<i>Extracted:</i>	Feb-26-08 10:25	Feb-26-08 11:35	Feb-27-08 10:30	Feb-26-08 11:39
	<i>Analyzed:</i>	Feb-26-08 11:31	Feb-26-08 12:58	Feb-27-08 10:51	Feb-26-08 13:42
	<i>Units/RL:</i>	mg/kg RL	mg/kg RL	mg/kg RL	mg/kg RL
Benzene		ND 0.0056	ND 0.0061	ND 0.0054	ND 0.0054
Toluene		0.0057 0.0056	ND 0.0061	0.0084 0.0054	ND 0.0054
Ethylbenzene		ND 0.0056	ND 0.0061	0.0978 0.0054	ND 0.0054
m,p-Xylenes		ND 0.0113	ND 0.0122	0.0754 0.0109	ND 0.0109
o-Xylene		ND 0.0056	ND 0.0061	0.0147 0.0054	ND 0.0054
Naphthalene		ND 0.056	ND 0.061	0.245 0.054	ND 0.055
Total BTEX		0.0057	ND	0.1963	ND
Total Xylenes		ND	ND	0.0901	ND
Percent Moisture	<i>Extracted:</i>				
	<i>Analyzed:</i>	Feb-23-08 17:00	Feb-23-08 17:00	Feb-23-08 17:00	Feb-23-08 17:00
	<i>Units/RL:</i>	% RL	% RL	% RL	% RL
Percent Moisture		12.2	18.6	8.14	7.29
TPH by SW8015 Mod	<i>Extracted:</i>			Feb-22-08 15:41	
	<i>Analyzed:</i>			Feb-23-08 01:05	
	<i>Units/RL:</i>			mg/kg RL	
C6-C12 Gasoline Range Hydrocarbons				226 81.6	
C12-C28 Diesel Range Hydrocarbons				1320 81.6	
C28-C35 Oil Range Hydrocarbons				269 81.6	
Total TPH				1815	

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Certificate of Analysis Summary 298153

Rice Operating Co., Hobbs, NM

Project Name: Hobbs SWD M-4 Vent

Project Id: Hobbs SWD System

Date Received in Lab: Feb-22-08 10:20 am

Contact: Kristin Pope

Report Date: 28-FEB-08

Project Location: T19S, R38E, Sec 4, Unit Letter M

Project Manager: Brent Barron, II

Analysis Requested	<i>Lab Id:</i>	298153-005		
	<i>Field Id:</i>	SB-2		
	<i>Depth:</i>	25-27 ft		
	<i>Matrix:</i>	SOIL		
	<i>Sampled:</i>	Feb-21-08 12:05		
Anions by EPA 300/300.1	<i>Extracted:</i>			
	<i>Analyzed:</i>	Feb-23-08 10:52		
	<i>Units/RL:</i>	mg/kg RL		
Chloride		558 10.8		
BTEX by SW 8260B	<i>Extracted:</i>	Feb-26-08 11:41		
	<i>Analyzed:</i>	Feb-26-08 14:03		
	<i>Units/RL:</i>	mg/kg RL		
Benzene		ND 0.0053		
Toluene		ND 0.0053		
Ethylbenzene		ND 0.0053		
m,p-Xylenes		ND 0.0107		
o-Xylene		ND 0.0053		
Naphthalene		0.083 0.053		
Total BTEX		ND		
Total Xylenes		ND		
Percent Moisture	<i>Extracted:</i>			
	<i>Analyzed:</i>	Feb-23-08 17:00		
	<i>Units/RL:</i>	% RL		
Percent Moisture		7.27		

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Flagging Criteria

- X** In our quality control review of the data a QC deficiency was observed and flagged as noted. MS/MSD recoveries were found to be outside of the laboratory control limits due to possible matrix /chemical interference, or a concentration of target analyte high enough to effect the recovery of the spike concentration. This condition could also effect the relative percent difference in the MS/MSD.
 - B** A target analyte or common laboratory contaminant was identified in the method blank. Its presence indicates possible field or laboratory contamination.
 - D** The sample(s) were diluted due to targets detected over the highest point of the calibration curve, or due to matrix interference. Dilution factors are included in the final results. The result is from a diluted sample.
 - E** The data exceeds the upper calibration limit; therefore, the concentration is reported as estimated.
 - F** RPD exceeded lab control limits.
 - J** The target analyte was positively identified below the MQL(PQL) and above the SQL(MDL).
 - U** Analyte was not detected.
 - L** The LCS data for this analytical batch was reported below the laboratory control limits for this analyte. The department supervisor and QA Director reviewed data. The samples were either reanalyzed or flagged as estimated concentrations.
 - H** The LCS data for this analytical batch was reported above the laboratory control limits. Supporting QC Data were reviewed by the Department Supervisor and QA Director. Data were determined to be valid for reporting.
 - K** Sample analyzed outside of recommended hold time.
- * Outside XENCO'S scope of NELAC Accreditation

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Form 2 - Surrogate Recoveries



Project Name: Hobbs SWD M-4 Vent

Work Order #: 298153

Project ID: Hobbs SWD System

Lab Batch #: 715676

Sample: 298153-001 / SMP

Batch: 1 Matrix: Soil

Units: mg/kg

SURROGATE RECOVERY STUDY					
BTEX by SW 8260B	Amount Found [A]	True Amount [B]	Recovery %R [D]	Control Limits %R	Flags
Analytes					
4-Bromofluorobenzene	0.0485	0.0500	97	74-121	
Dibromofluoromethane	0.0491	0.0500	98	80-120	
1,2-Dichloroethane-D4	0.0490	0.0500	98	80-120	
Toluene-D8	0.0485	0.0500	97	81-117	

Lab Batch #: 715676

Sample: 298153-001 S / MS

Batch: 1 Matrix: Soil

Units: mg/kg

SURROGATE RECOVERY STUDY					
BTEX by SW 8260B	Amount Found [A]	True Amount [B]	Recovery %R [D]	Control Limits %R	Flags
Analytes					
4-Bromofluorobenzene	0.0569	0.0500	114	74-121	
Dibromofluoromethane	0.0526	0.0500	105	80-120	
1,2-Dichloroethane-D4	0.0485	0.0500	97	80-120	
Toluene-D8	0.0498	0.0500	100	81-117	

Lab Batch #: 715676

Sample: 298153-001 SD / MSD

Batch: 1 Matrix: Soil

Units: mg/kg

SURROGATE RECOVERY STUDY					
BTEX by SW 8260B	Amount Found [A]	True Amount [B]	Recovery %R [D]	Control Limits %R	Flags
Analytes					
4-Bromofluorobenzene	0.0502	0.0500	100	74-121	
Dibromofluoromethane	0.0504	0.0500	101	80-120	
1,2-Dichloroethane-D4	0.0494	0.0500	99	80-120	
Toluene-D8	0.0494	0.0500	99	81-117	

Lab Batch #: 715676

Sample: 298153-002 / SMP

Batch: 1 Matrix: Soil

Units: mg/kg

SURROGATE RECOVERY STUDY					
BTEX by SW 8260B	Amount Found [A]	True Amount [B]	Recovery %R [D]	Control Limits %R	Flags
Analytes					
4-Bromofluorobenzene	0.0480	0.0500	96	74-121	
Dibromofluoromethane	0.0489	0.0500	98	80-120	
1,2-Dichloroethane-D4	0.0469	0.0500	94	80-120	
Toluene-D8	0.0466	0.0500	93	81-117	

** Surrogates outside limits; data and surrogates confirmed by reanalysis

*** Poor recoveries due to dilution

Surrogate Recovery [D] = 100 * A / B

All results are based on MDL and validated for QC purposes.



Form 2 - Surrogate Recoveries



Project Name: Hobbs SWD M-4 Vent

Work Order #: 298153

Project ID: Hobbs SWD System

Lab Batch #: 715676

Sample: 298153-004 / SMP

Batch: 1 Matrix: Soil

Units: mg/kg

SURROGATE RECOVERY STUDY					
BTEX by SW 8260B	Amount Found [A]	True Amount [B]	Recovery %R [D]	Control Limits %R	Flags
Analytes					
4-Bromofluorobenzene	0.0514	0.0500	103	74-121	
Dibromofluoromethane	0.0520	0.0500	104	80-120	
1,2-Dichloroethane-D4	0.0526	0.0500	105	80-120	
Toluene-D8	0.0466	0.0500	93	81-117	

Lab Batch #: 715676

Sample: 298153-005 / SMP

Batch: 1 Matrix: Soil

Units: mg/kg

SURROGATE RECOVERY STUDY					
BTEX by SW 8260B	Amount Found [A]	True Amount [B]	Recovery %R [D]	Control Limits %R	Flags
Analytes					
4-Bromofluorobenzene	0.0540	0.0500	108	74-121	
Dibromofluoromethane	0.0514	0.0500	103	80-120	
1,2-Dichloroethane-D4	0.0529	0.0500	106	80-120	
Toluene-D8	0.0487	0.0500	97	81-117	

Lab Batch #: 715676

Sample: 505147-1-BKS / BKS

Batch: 1 Matrix: Solid

Units: mg/kg

SURROGATE RECOVERY STUDY					
BTEX by SW 8260B	Amount Found [A]	True Amount [B]	Recovery %R [D]	Control Limits %R	Flags
Analytes					
4-Bromofluorobenzene	0.0528	0.0500	106	74-121	
Dibromofluoromethane	0.0505	0.0500	101	80-120	
1,2-Dichloroethane-D4	0.0495	0.0500	99	80-120	
Toluene-D8	0.0485	0.0500	97	81-117	

Lab Batch #: 715676

Sample: 505147-1-BLK / BLK

Batch: 1 Matrix: Solid

Units: mg/kg

SURROGATE RECOVERY STUDY					
BTEX by SW 8260B	Amount Found [A]	True Amount [B]	Recovery %R [D]	Control Limits %R	Flags
Analytes					
4-Bromofluorobenzene	0.0507	0.0500	101	74-121	
Dibromofluoromethane	0.0498	0.0500	100	80-120	
1,2-Dichloroethane-D4	0.0461	0.0500	92	80-120	
Toluene-D8	0.0479	0.0500	96	81-117	

** Surrogates outside limits; data and surrogates confirmed by reanalysis

*** Poor recoveries due to dilution

Surrogate Recovery [D] = 100 * A / B

All results are based on MDL and validated for QC purposes.



Form 2 - Surrogate Recoveries



Project Name: Hobbs SWD M-4 Vent

Work Order #: 298153

Project ID: Hobbs SWD System

Lab Batch #: 715681

Sample: 298147-004 S / MS

Batch: 1 Matrix: Soil

Units: mg/kg

SURROGATE RECOVERY STUDY					
BTEX by SW 8260B	Amount Found [A]	True Amount [B]	Recovery %R [D]	Control Limits %R	Flags
Analytes					
4-Bromofluorobenzene	0.0692	0.0500	138	74-121	**
Dibromofluoromethane	0.0510	0.0500	102	80-120	
1,2-Dichloroethane-D4	0.0435	0.0500	87	80-120	
Toluene-D8	0.0688	0.0500	138	81-117	**

Lab Batch #: 715681

Sample: 298147-004 SD / MSD

Batch: 1 Matrix: Soil

Units: mg/kg

SURROGATE RECOVERY STUDY					
BTEX by SW 8260B	Amount Found [A]	True Amount [B]	Recovery %R [D]	Control Limits %R	Flags
Analytes					
4-Bromofluorobenzene	0.0604	0.0500	121	74-121	
Dibromofluoromethane	0.0498	0.0500	100	80-120	
1,2-Dichloroethane-D4	0.0492	0.0500	98	80-120	
Toluene-D8	0.0661	0.0500	132	81-117	**

Lab Batch #: 715681

Sample: 298153-003 / SMP

Batch: 1 Matrix: Soil

Units: mg/kg

SURROGATE RECOVERY STUDY					
BTEX by SW 8260B	Amount Found [A]	True Amount [B]	Recovery %R [D]	Control Limits %R	Flags
Analytes					
4-Bromofluorobenzene	0.0635	0.0500	127	74-121	**
Dibromofluoromethane	0.0541	0.0500	108	80-120	
1,2-Dichloroethane-D4	0.0507	0.0500	101	80-120	
Toluene-D8	0.0550	0.0500	110	81-117	

Lab Batch #: 715681

Sample: 505161-1-BKS / BKS

Batch: 1 Matrix: Solid

Units: mg/kg

SURROGATE RECOVERY STUDY					
BTEX by SW 8260B	Amount Found [A]	True Amount [B]	Recovery %R [D]	Control Limits %R	Flags
Analytes					
4-Bromofluorobenzene	0.0515	0.0500	103	74-121	
Dibromofluoromethane	0.0490	0.0500	98	80-120	
1,2-Dichloroethane-D4	0.0481	0.0500	96	80-120	
Toluene-D8	0.0513	0.0500	103	81-117	

** Surrogates outside limits; data and surrogates confirmed by reanalysis

*** Poor recoveries due to dilution

Surrogate Recovery [D] = 100 * A / B

All results are based on MDL and validated for QC purposes.



Form 2 - Surrogate Recoveries



Project Name: Hobbs SWD M-4 Vent

Work Order #: 298153

Project ID: Hobbs SWD System

Lab Batch #: 715681

Sample: 505161-1-BLK / BLK

Batch: 1 Matrix: Solid

Units: mg/kg

SURROGATE RECOVERY STUDY

BTEX by SW 8260B	Amount Found [A]	True Amount [B]	Recovery %R [D]	Control Limits %R	Flags
Analytes					
4-Bromofluorobenzene	0.0487	0.0500	97	74-121	
Dibromofluoromethane	0.0505	0.0500	101	80-120	
1,2-Dichloroethane-D4	0.0488	0.0500	98	80-120	
Toluene-D8	0.0519	0.0500	104	81-117	

Lab Batch #: 715557

Sample: 298153-003 / SMP

Batch: 1 Matrix: Soil

Units: mg/kg

SURROGATE RECOVERY STUDY

TPH by SW8015 Mod	Amount Found [A]	True Amount [B]	Recovery %R [D]	Control Limits %R	Flags
Analytes					
1-Chlorooctane	97.0	100	97	70-135	
o-Terphenyl	53.2	50.0	106	70-135	

Lab Batch #: 715557

Sample: 298159-001 S / MS

Batch: 1 Matrix: Soil

Units: mg/kg

SURROGATE RECOVERY STUDY

TPH by SW8015 Mod	Amount Found [A]	True Amount [B]	Recovery %R [D]	Control Limits %R	Flags
Analytes					
1-Chlorooctane	107	100	107	70-135	
o-Terphenyl	49.3	50.0	99	70-135	

Lab Batch #: 715557

Sample: 298159-001 SD / MSD

Batch: 1 Matrix: Soil

Units: mg/kg

SURROGATE RECOVERY STUDY

TPH by SW8015 Mod	Amount Found [A]	True Amount [B]	Recovery %R [D]	Control Limits %R	Flags
Analytes					
1-Chlorooctane	112	100	112	70-135	
o-Terphenyl	51.0	50.0	102	70-135	

** Surrogates outside limits; data and surrogates confirmed by reanalysis

*** Poor recoveries due to dilution

Surrogate Recovery [D] = 100 * A / B

All results are based on MDL and validated for QC purposes.



Form 2 - Surrogate Recoveries



Project Name: Hobbs SWD M-4 Vent

Work Order #: 298153

Project ID: Hobbs SWD System

Lab Batch #: 715557

Sample: 505061-1-BKS / BKS

Batch: 1 Matrix: Solid

Units: mg/kg

SURROGATE RECOVERY STUDY

TPH by SW8015 Mod	Amount Found [A]	True Amount [B]	Recovery %R [D]	Control Limits %R	Flags
Analytes					
1-Chlorooctane	107	100	107	70-135	
o-Terphenyl	49.3	50.0	99	70-135	

Lab Batch #: 715557

Sample: 505061-1-BLK / BLK

Batch: 1 Matrix: Solid

Units: mg/kg

SURROGATE RECOVERY STUDY

TPH by SW8015 Mod	Amount Found [A]	True Amount [B]	Recovery %R [D]	Control Limits %R	Flags
Analytes					
1-Chlorooctane	96.1	100	96	70-135	
o-Terphenyl	52.0	50.0	104	70-135	

Lab Batch #: 715557

Sample: 505061-1-BSD / BSD

Batch: 1 Matrix: Solid

Units: mg/kg

SURROGATE RECOVERY STUDY

TPH by SW8015 Mod	Amount Found [A]	True Amount [B]	Recovery %R [D]	Control Limits %R	Flags
Analytes					
1-Chlorooctane	107	100	107	70-135	
o-Terphenyl	48.5	50.0	97	70-135	

** Surrogates outside limits; data and surrogates confirmed by reanalysis

*** Poor recoveries due to dilution

Surrogate Recovery [D] = 100 * A / B

All results are based on MDL and validated for QC purposes.



Blank Spike Recovery



Project Name: Hobbs SWD M-4 Vent

Work Order #: 298153

Project ID: Hobbs SWD System

Lab Batch #: 715676

Sample: 505147-1-BKS

Matrix: Solid

Date Analyzed: 02/26/2008

Date Prepared: 02/26/2008

Analyst: KHM

Reporting Units: mg/kg

Batch #: 1

BLANK /BLANK SPIKE RECOVERY STUDY

BTEX by SW 8260B Analytes	Blank Result [A]	Spike Added [B]	Blank Spike Result [C]	Blank Spike %R [D]	Control Limits %R	Flags
Benzene	ND	0.0500	0.0486	97	66-142	
Toluene	ND	0.0500	0.0504	101	59-139	
Ethylbenzene	ND	0.0500	0.0462	92	75-125	
m,p-Xylenes	ND	0.1000	0.0957	96	75-125	
o-Xylene	ND	0.0500	0.0476	95	75-125	

Lab Batch #: 715681

Sample: 505161-1-BKS

Matrix: Solid

Date Analyzed: 02/27/2008

Date Prepared: 02/27/2008

Analyst: WEW

Reporting Units: mg/kg

Batch #: 1

BLANK /BLANK SPIKE RECOVERY STUDY

BTEX by SW 8260B Analytes	Blank Result [A]	Spike Added [B]	Blank Spike Result [C]	Blank Spike %R [D]	Control Limits %R	Flags
Benzene	ND	0.0500	0.0477	95	66-142	
Toluene	0.0012	0.0500	0.0507	101	59-139	
Ethylbenzene	ND	0.0500	0.0478	96	75-125	
m,p-Xylenes	ND	0.1000	0.0970	97	75-125	
o-Xylene	ND	0.0500	0.0420	84	75-125	

Lab Batch #: 715578

Sample: 715578-1-BKS

Matrix: Solid

Date Analyzed: 02/23/2008

Date Prepared: 02/23/2008

Analyst: IRO

Reporting Units: mg/kg

Batch #: 1

BLANK /BLANK SPIKE RECOVERY STUDY

Anions by EPA 300/300.1 Analytes	Blank Result [A]	Spike Added [B]	Blank Spike Result [C]	Blank Spike %R [D]	Control Limits %R	Flags
Chloride	ND	10.0	9.95	100	75-125	

Blank Spike Recovery [D] = 100*[C]/[B]

All results are based on MDL and validated for QC purposes.



BS / BSD Recoveries



Project Name: Hobbs SWD M-4 Vent

Work Order #: 298153

Analyst: SHE

Lab Batch ID: 715557

Sample: 505061-1-BKS

Date Prepared: 02/22/2008

Batch #: 1

Project ID: Hobbs SWD System

Date Analyzed: 02/22/2008

Matrix: Solid

Units: mg/kg

BLANK /BLANK SPIKE / BLANK SPIKE DUPLICATE RECOVERY STUDY											
Analytes	Blank Sample Result [A]	Spike Added [B]	Blank Spike Result [C]	Blank Spike %R [D]	Spike Added [E]	Blank Spike Duplicate Result [F]	Blk. Spk Dup. %R [G]	RPD %	Control Limits %R	Control Limits %RPD	Flag
C6-C12 Gasoline Range Hydrocarbons	ND	1000	887	89	1000	892	89	1	70-135	35	
C12-C28 Diesel Range Hydrocarbons	ND	1000	824	82	1000	829	83	1	70-135	35	

Relative Percent Difference RPD = $200 * [(D-F)/(D+F)]$
 Blank Spike Recovery [D] = $100 * (C)/[B]$
 Blank Spike Duplicate Recovery [G] = $100 * (F)/[E]$
 All results are based on MDL and Validated for QC Purposes



Form 3 - MS Recoveries



Project Name: Hobbs SWD M-4 Vent

Work Order #: 298153

Lab Batch #: 715578

Date Analyzed: 02/23/2008

QC- Sample ID: 298134-001 S

Reporting Units: mg/kg

Date Prepared: 02/23/2008

Batch #: 1

Project ID: Hobbs SWD System

Analyst: IRO

Matrix: Soil

MATRIX / MATRIX SPIKE RECOVERY STUDY						
Inorganic Anions by EPA 300	Parent Sample Result [A]	Spike Added [B]	Spiked Sample Result [C]	%R [D]	Control Limits %R	Flag
Analytes						
Chloride	987	210	1120	63	75-125	X

Matrix Spike Percent Recovery [D] = 100*(C-A)/B

Relative Percent Difference [E] = 200*(C-A)/(C+B)

All Results are based on MDL and Validated for QC Purposes



Form 3 - MS / MSD Recoveries



Project Name: Hobbs SWD M-4 Vent

Work Order #: 298153

Lab Batch ID: 715676

Date Analyzed: 02/26/2008

Reporting Units: mg/kg

Project ID: Hobbs SWD System

Batch #: 1 Matrix: Soil

Analyst: KHM

QC-Sample ID: 298153-001 S

Date Prepared: 02/26/2008

MATRIX SPIKE / MATRIX SPIKE DUPLICATE RECOVERY STUDY

Analytes	Parent Sample Result [A]	Spike Added [B]	Spiked Sample Result [C]	Spiked Sample %R [D]	Spike Added [E]	Duplicate Spiked Sample Result [F]	Spiked Dup. %R [G]	RPD %	Control Limits %R	Control Limits %RPD	Flag
Benzene	ND	0.2904	0.2849	98	0.2846	0.2811	99	1	66-142	25	
Toluene	0.0057	0.2904	0.2904	98	0.2846	0.2847	98	0	59-139	25	
Ethylbenzene	ND	0.2904	0.2846	98	0.2846	0.2783	98	0	75-125	25	
m,p-Xylenes	ND	0.5808	0.5793	100	0.5692	0.5433	95	5	75-125	25	
o-Xylene	ND	0.2904	0.2833	98	0.2846	0.2709	95	3	75-125	25	

Lab Batch ID: 715681

Date Analyzed: 02/27/2008

Reporting Units: mg/kg

QC-Sample ID: 298147-004 S

Date Prepared: 02/27/2008

Batch #: 1 Matrix: Soil

Analyst: WEW

MATRIX SPIKE / MATRIX SPIKE DUPLICATE RECOVERY STUDY

Analytes	Parent Sample Result [A]	Spike Added [B]	Spiked Sample Result [C]	Spiked Sample %R [D]	Spike Added [E]	Duplicate Spiked Sample Result [F]	Spiked Dup. %R [G]	RPD %	Control Limits %R	Control Limits %RPD	Flag
Benzene	0.0066	0.2897	0.2909	98	0.2897	0.3072	104	6	66-142	25	
Toluene	0.9707	0.2897	1.513	187	0.2897	1.104	46	121	59-139	25	XF
Ethylbenzene	2.324	0.2897	2.981	227	0.2897	2.273	0	200	75-125	25	XF
m,p-Xylenes	5.129	0.5794	6.316	205	0.5794	4.928	0	200	75-125	25	XF
o-Xylene	1.703	0.2897	2.135	149	0.2897	1.688	0	200	75-125	25	XF

Matrix Spike Percent Recovery [D] = 100*(C-A)/B
Relative Percent Difference RPD = 200*(D-G)/(D+G)

ND = Not Detected, J = Present Below Reporting Limit, B = Present in Blank, NR = Not Requested, I = Interference, NA = Not Applicable
N = See Narrative, EQL = Estimated Quantitation Limit

Matrix Spike Duplicate Percent Recovery [G] = 100*(F-A)/E



Form 3 - MS / MSD Recoveries



Project Name: Hobbs SWD M-4 Vent

Work Order #: 298153

Lab Batch ID: 715557

Date Analyzed: 02/23/2008

Reporting Units: mg/kg

Project ID: Hobbs SWD System

QC-Sample ID: 298159-001 S

Date Prepared: 02/22/2008

Batch #: 1

Matrix: Soil

Analyst: SHE

MATRIX SPIKE / MATRIX SPIKE DUPLICATE RECOVERY STUDY

TPH by SW8015 Mod Analytes	Parent Sample Result [A]	Spike Added [B]	Spiked Sample Result [C]	Spiked Sample %R [D]	Spike Added [E]	Duplicate Spiked Sample Result [F]	Spiked Dup. %R [G]	RPD %	Control Limits %R	Control Limits %RPD	Flag
	C6-C12 Gasoline Range Hydrocarbons	ND	1140	1020	89	1140	1040	91	2	70-135	35
C12-C28 Diesel Range Hydrocarbons	110	1140	983	77	1140	1000	78	1	70-135	35	

Matrix Spike Duplicate Percent Recovery [G] = 100*(F-A)/E

Matrix Spike Percent Recovery [D] = 100*(C-A)/B
Relative Percent Difference RPD = 200*(D-G)/(D+G)

ND = Not Detected, J = Present Below Reporting Limit, B = Present in Blank, NR = Not Requested, I = Interference, NA = Not Applicable
N = See Narrative, EQL = Estimated Quantitation Limit



Sample Duplicate Recovery



Project Name: Hobbs SWD M-4 Vent

Work Order #: 298153

Lab Batch #: 715578

Project ID: Hobbs SWD System

Date Analyzed: 02/23/2008

Date Prepared: 02/23/2008

Analyst: IRO

QC- Sample ID: 298134-001 D

Batch #: 1

Matrix: Soil

Reporting Units: mg/kg

SAMPLE / SAMPLE DUPLICATE RECOVERY					
Anions by EPA 300/300.1	Parent Sample Result [A]	Sample Duplicate Result [B]	RPD	Control Limits %RPD	Flag
Analyte					
Chloride	987	991	0	20	

Lab Batch #: 715411

Date Analyzed: 02/23/2008

Date Prepared: 02/23/2008

Analyst: WRU

QC- Sample ID: 298133-001 D

Batch #: 1

Matrix: Sludge

Reporting Units: %

SAMPLE / SAMPLE DUPLICATE RECOVERY					
Percent Moisture	Parent Sample Result [A]	Sample Duplicate Result [B]	RPD	Control Limits %RPD	Flag
Analyte					
Percent Moisture	45.6	45.7	0	20	

Spike Relative Difference RPD $200 * |(B-A)/(B+A)|$
All Results are based on MDL and validated for QC purposes.

Environmental Lab of Texas

Variance/ Corrective Action Report- Sample Log-In

Client: Rice
 Date/ Time: 2-22-08 10:20
 Lab ID #: 298153
 Initials: al

Sample Receipt Checklist

				Client Initials
#1	Temperature of container/ cooler?	Yes	No	-2.0 °C
#2	Shipping container in good condition?	Yes	No	
#3	Custody Seals intact on shipping container/ cooler?	Yes	No	Not Present
#4	Custody Seals intact on sample bottles/ container?	Yes	No	Not Present
#5	Chain of Custody present?	Yes	No	
#6	Sample instructions complete of Chain of Custody?	Yes	No	
#7	Chain of Custody signed when relinquished/ received?	Yes	No	
#8	Chain of Custody agrees with sample label(s)?	Yes	No	ID written on Cont./Did
#9	Container label(s) legible and intact?	Yes	No	Not Applicable
#10	Sample matrix/ properties agree with Chain of Custody?	Yes	No	
#11	Containers supplied by ELOT?	Yes	No	
#12	Samples in proper container/ bottle?	Yes	No	See Below
#13	Samples properly preserved?	Yes	No	See Below
#14	Sample bottles intact?	Yes	No	
#15	Preservations documented on Chain of Custody?	Yes	No	
#16	Containers documented on Chain of Custody?	Yes	No	
#17	Sufficient sample amount for indicated test(s)?	Yes	No	See Below
#18	All samples received within sufficient hold time?	Yes	No	See Below
#19	Subcontract of sample(s)?	Yes	No	Not Applicable
#20	VOC samples have zero headspace?	Yes	No	Not Applicable

Variance Documentation

Contact: _____ Contacted by: _____ Date/ Time: _____

Regarding: _____

Corrective Action Taken: _____

- Check all that Apply:
- See attached e-mail/ fax
 - Client understands and would like to proceed with analysis
 - Cooling process had begun shortly after sampling event



ANALYTICAL RESULTS FOR
 RICE OPERATING COMPANY
 ATTN: KRISTIN FARRIS-POPE
 122 W. TAYLOR STREET
 HOBBS, NM 88240
 FAX TO: (575) 397-1471

Receiving Date: 03/10/08
 Reporting Date: 03/14/08
 Project Number: NOT GIVEN
 Project Name: HOBBS M-4 VENT
 Project Location: T19S-R38E-SEC4 M-LEA COUNTY, NM

Sampling Date: 03/07/08
 Sample Type: WATER
 Sample Condition: COOL & INTACT
 Sample Received By: ML
 Analyzed By: HM/KS

LAB NUMBER SAMPLE ID	Na (mg/L)	Ca (mg/L)	Mg (mg/L)	K (mg/L)	Conductivity (μ S/cm)	T-Alkalinity (mgCaCO ₃ /L)
ANALYSIS DATE:	03/13/08	03/13/08	03/13/08	03/13/08	03/11/08	03/11/08
H14416-1 MONITOR WELL #1	258	150	62.5	4.00	2,240	316
Quality Control	NR	50.6	50.8	3.12	1,424	NR
True Value QC	NR	50.0	50.0	3.00	1,413	NR
% Recovery	NR	101	102	104	101	NR
Relative Percent Difference	NR	2.8	< 0.1	2.6	1.1	NR

METHODS:	SM3500-Ca-D	3500-Mg E	8049	120.1	310.1
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	Cl ⁻ (mg/L)	SO ₄ (mg/L)	CO ₃ (mg/L)	HCO ₃ (mg/L)	pH (s.u.)	TDS (mg/L)
ANALYSIS DATE:	03/13/08	03/13/08	03/11/08	03/11/08	03/11/08	03/12/08
H14416-1 MONITOR WELL #1	432	262	0	386	7.24	1,520
Quality Control	500	25.6	NR	988	7.05	NR
True Value QC	500	25.0	NR	1000	7.00	NR
% Recovery	100	102	NR	98.8	101	NR
Relative Percent Difference	2.0	4.7	NR	1.2	< 0.1	NR

METHODS:	SM4500-Cl-B	375.4	310.1	310.1	150.1	160.1
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Kristin Suparto
 Chemist

03/14/08
 Date

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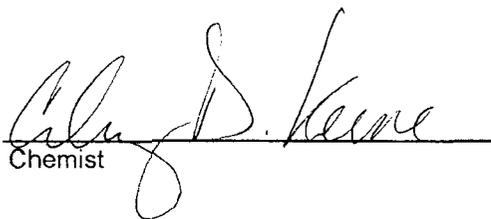
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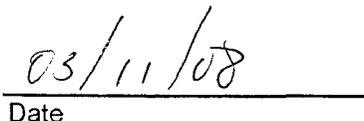
Receiving Date: 03/10/08
 Reporting Date: 03/11/08
 Project Number: NOT GIVEN
 Project Name: HOBBS M-4 VENT
 Project Location: T19S-R38E-SEC4 M ~ LEA COUNTY - NM

Sampling Date: 03/07/08
 Sample Type: WATER
 Sample Condition: COOL & INTACT
 Sample Received By: ML
 Analyzed By: AB

LAB NUMBER	SAMPLE ID	BENZENE (mg/L)	TOLUENE (mg/L)	ETHYL BENZENE (mg/L)	TOTAL XYLENES (mg/L)
ANALYSIS DATE		03/10/08	03/10/08	03/10/08	03/10/08
H14416-1	MONITOR WELL #1	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003
Quality Control		0.100	0.093	0.087	0.276
True Value QC		0.100	0.100	0.100	0.300
% Recovery		100	93.2	86.7	91.9
Relative Percent Difference		0.5	1.4	1.5	1.1

METHOD: EPA SW-846 8021B


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LAB Order ID # _____

Company Name: **RICE Operating Company**
Project Manager: **Kristin Farris-Pope, Project Scientist**

ANALYSIS REQUEST

(Circle or Specify Method No.)

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Project #: **(575) 393-9174** Project Name: **Hobbs M-4 Vent**

Project Location: **T19S-R38E-Sec4 M ~ Lea County - New Mexico**
Sampler Signature: *[Signature]* **Lozanne Johnson (575) 631-9310**
tozanne@valornet.com

LAB # (LAB USE ONLY)	FIELD CODE	(G)rab or (C)omp	# CONTAINERS	MATRIX				PRESERVATIVE METHOD				SAMPLING				
				WATER	SOIL	AIR	SLUDGE	HCL (2 40ml VOA)	HNO ₃	NaHSO ₄	H ₂ SO ₄	ICE (1-1 Liter HDPE)	NONE	DATE (2008)	TIME	
H144110-1	Monitor Well #1	G	3	X									2	1	3-7	15:50

	MTBE 8021B/602	
X	BTEX 8021B/602	
	TPH 418.1/TX1005 / TX1005 Extended (C35)	
	PAH 8270C	
	Total Metals Ag As Ba Cd Cr Pb Se Hg 6010B/200.7	
	TCLP Metals Ag As Ba Cd Cr Pb Se Hg	
	TCLP Volatiles	
	TCLP Semi Volatiles	
	TCLP Pesticides	
	RCI	
	GC/MS Vol. 8260B/624	
	GC/MS Semi. Vol. 8270C/625	
	PCB's 8082/608	
	Pesticides 8081A/608	
	BOD, TSS, pH	
	Moisture Content	
X	Cations (Ca, Mg, Na, K)	
X	Anions (Cl, SO ₄ , CO ₃ , HCO ₃)	
X	Total Dissolved Solids	
	Chlorides	
	Turn Around Time ~ 24 Hours	

Relinquished by: *[Signature]* Date: **3-10-2008** Time: **9:40**
Received by: *[Signature]* Date: **3-10-08** Time: **9:41**
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Delivered By: *[Signature]* (Circle One)
Date: **3-10-08** Time: **14:35**
Received By: *[Signature]* (Laboratory Staff)
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Receiving Date: 05/05/08
Reporting Date: 05/08/08
Project Number: NOT GIVEN
Project Name: HOBBS M-4 VENT
Project Location: T19S-R38E-SEC4 M ~ LEA COUNTY, NM

Sampling Date: 05/02/08
Sample Type: WATER
Sample Condition: COOL & INTACT
Sample Received By: NF
Analyzed By: BC

LAB NUMBER	SAMPLE ID	BENZENE (mg/L)	TOLUENE (mg/L)	ETHYL BENZENE (mg/L)	TOTAL XYLENES (mg/L)
ANALYSIS DATE		05/07/08	05/07/08	05/07/08	05/07/08
H14749-1	MONITOR WELL #1	<0.002	<0.002	<0.002	<0.006
Quality Control		0.089	0.084	0.086	0.280
True Value QC		0.100	0.100	0.100	0.300
% Recovery		88.9	83.9	86.3	93.3
Relative Percent Difference		3.7	6.2	4.9	4.8

METHOD: EPA SW-846 8260

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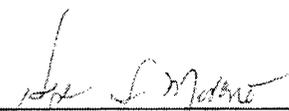
Sampling Date: 05/02/08
 Sample Type: WATER
 Sample Condition: COOL & INTACT
 Sample Received By: NF
 Analyzed By: HM/KS

LAB NUMBER SAMPLE ID	Na (mg/L)	Ca (mg/L)	Mg (mg/L)	K (mg/L)	Conductivity (μ S/cm)	T-Alkalinity (mgCaCO ₃ /L)
ANALYSIS DATE:	05/09/08	05/09/08	05/09/08	05/07/08	05/07/08	05/07/08
H14749-1 MONITOR WELL #1	248	123	44	4.13	1,910	316
Quality Control	NR	52.9	48.6	2.57	1,410	NR
True Value QC	NR	50.0	50.0	3.00	1,413	NR
% Recovery	NR	106	97.2	85.7	99.8	NR
Relative Percent Difference	NR	3.1	7.7	4.0	0.1	NR

METHODS:	SM3500-Ca-D	3500-Mg E	8049	120.1	310.1
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	Cl ⁻ (mg/L)	SO ₄ (mg/L)	CO ₃ (mg/L)	HCO ₃ (mg/L)	pH (s.u.)	TDS (mg/L)
ANALYSIS DATE:	05/07/08	05/08/08	05/07/08	05/07/08	05/07/08	05/06/08
H14749-1 MONITOR WELL #1	332	240	0	386	7.19	1,330
Quality Control	500	44.9	NR	1000	7.05	NR
True Value QC	500	40.0	NR	1000	7.00	NR
% Recovery	100	112	NR	100	101	NR
Relative Percent Difference	4.1	3.1	NR	2.4	< 0.1	NR

METHODS:	SM4500-Cl-B	375.4	310.1	310.1	150.1	160.1
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