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May 2, 2006

Ms. Camille Reynolds
Plains Marketing, L.P.
3112 West Highway 82
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RE: 2005 Annual Monitoring Reports
Various Plains Marketing, L.P. Sites

Dear Ms. Reynolds:

The New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (NMOCD) has received and reviewed the Annual Monitoring Reports shown below. All are accepted and approved with the understandings and conditions, if any, shown:

1. **TNM 97-17**; NE/4 SW/4 Section 21, Township 20 South, Range 37 East; EMS number TNM 97-17, NMOCD file AP-017; quarterly gauging and sampling will continue throughout 2006, the results of which will be reported in the 2006 Annual Monitoring Report due by April 1, 2007. The NMOCD expects a "Site Restoration Work Plan and Soil Closure Strategy Report" by June 30, 2006.
2. **Bob Durham**; NW/4 NW/4 Section 32, Township 19 South, Range 37 East; EMS number TNM LF2000-07; NMOCD file AP-0016; quarterly monitoring and sampling will continue in 2006, the results of which will be reported in the 2006 Annual Monitoring Report due by April 1, 2007.
3. **Monument 17**; SE/4 NW/4 Section 29, Township 19 South, Range 37 East; EMS number TNM Monument-17-Known; NMOCD file 1R-0123; monitor well gauging and sampling, and product recovery will continue throughout 2006, the results of which will be reported in the 2006 Annual Monitoring Report due by April 1, 2007. The NMOCD expects a "Soil Investigation Work Plan" by June 30, 2006.
4. **Monument 10**; SE/4 NE/4 Section 30, Township 19 South, Range 37 East; EMS number TNM monument-10; NMOCD file 1R-0119; monitor well gauging and sampling, and product recovery will continue throughout 2006, the results of which will be reported in the 2006 Annual Monitoring Report due by April 1, 2007. The NMOCD expects a "Soil Investigation Work Plan" by June 30, 2006.
5. **Lea Station to Monument 6 Inch**; NE/4 SE/4 Section 5, Township 20 South, Range 37 East; EMS number 2001-11056; NMOCD file 1R-0404; monitor well gauging and sampling will continue throughout 2006, the results of which will be reported in the 2006 Annual Monitoring

Report due by April 1, 2007. The NMOCD expects a separate report on additional soil investigation/remediation by September 30, 2006.

6. **Monument Barber 10-Inch Sour**; SW/4 SW/4 Section 32, Township 19 South, Range 37 East; EMS number 2000-10655; NMOCD file 1R-0388; monitor well gauging and sampling will continue throughout 2006, the results of which will be reported in the 2006 Annual Monitoring Report due by April 1, 2007. The NMOCD expects a work plan, by June 30, 2006, to address further excavation of the sidewalls of the existing excavation for possible soil closure at the site.
7. **Monument 18**; NW/4 NW/4 Section 7, Township 20 South, Range 37 East; EMS number TNM Monument 18-Known; NMOCD file 1R-0124; monitor well gauging and sampling, and product recovery will continue throughout 2006, the results of which will be reported in the 2006 Annual Monitoring Report due by April 1, 2007. The NMOCD expects a "Soil Investigation Work Plan" by September 30, 2006.
8. **Monument 2**; SW/4 SW/4 Section 6, Township 20 South, Range 37 East and the NW/4 NW/4 Section 7, Township 20 South, Range 37 East; EMS number TNM Monument 2-Known; NMOCD file 1R-0110; monitor well gauging and sampling, and product recovery will continue throughout 2006, the results of which will be reported in the 2006 Annual Monitoring Report due by April 1, 2007. The NMOCD expects a "Soil Investigation Work Plan" by September 30, 2006.
9. **LF-59**; NW/4 SW/4 Section 32, Township 19 South, Range 37 East; EMS number TNM-LF-59; NMOCD file 1R-0103; monitor well gauging and sampling will continue throughout 2006, the results of which will be reported in the 2006 Annual Monitoring Report due by April 1, 2007.

NMOCD approval of these reports does not relieve Plains of liability should its operations at any of these sites prove to have been harmful to public health or the environment. Nor does it relieve Plains of its responsibility to comply with the rules and regulations of any other governmental agency.

If you have any questions, contact me at (505) 476-3492 or ed.martin@state.nm.us

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July 7, 2005

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Re: 2004 Annual Monitoring Report
LF-59 Release Site
Lea County, New Mexico
NW/4 SW/4 Sec. 32, Twp. 19 South, Rng. 37 East
Plains EMS Number: TNM-LF-59
NMOCD File Number: 1R-0103

Dear Ms. Reynolds:

The New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (NMOCD) has received and reviewed the above report, dated April 2005 and prepared on behalf of Plains Marketing, L.P. (Plains) by Nova Safety and Environmental. The report is accepted with the following understandings and conditions:

1. Monitoring and gauging will continue throughout 2005.
2. A copy of the work plan to "verify the up-gradient extent of impact to groundwater in the area northeast of monitor well MW-1" described in the "Anticipated Actions" section of the report will be forwarded to the NMOCD Santa Fe office when complete.
3. The 2005 Annual Monitoring Report, due by April 30, 2006, will include a section describing activities in the soil treatment area. This section will include a description and schedule of tilling or turning the soil in the treatment area and results of composite samples taken of the treated soils. Also, the addition of any fertilizers to the treated soils will be described.

NMOCD acceptance of this report does not relieve Plains of liability should its activities at this site prove to have been harmful to public health or the environment. Nor does it relieve Plains of its responsibility to comply with the rules and regulations of any other federal, state, or local governmental entity.

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