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REPORTS

DATE:

11-10-04

EME Phillips STA ECL

IR0427-143

FINAL
REPORT

**RICE OPERATING COMPANY
JUNCTION BOX FINAL REPORT**

BOX LOCATION

SWD SYSTEM	JUNCTION	UNIT	SECTION	TOWNSHIP	RANGE	COUNTY	BOX DIMENSIONS - FEET		
							Length	Width	Depth
EME	Phillips St. 'A' EOL	N	31	19S	37E	Lea	6	5	5

LAND TYPE: BLM _____ STATE _____ FEE LANDOWNER Charcie Bird OTHER _____

Depth to Groundwater NONE feet NMOCD SITE ASSESSMENT RANKING SCORE: 0

Date Started 3/10/2004 Date Completed 6/1/2004 OCD Witness No

Soil Excavated 400 cubic yards Excavation Length 30 Width 30 Depth 12 feet

Soil Disposed 0 cubic yards Offsite Facility n/a Location n/a

FINAL ANALYTICAL RESULTS: Sample Date 3/16/2004, 6/1/2004 Sample Depth 12, 30 ft

Procure 5-point composite sample of bottom and 4-point composite sample of sidewalls. TPH and Chloride laboratory test results completed by using an approved lab and testing procedures pursuant to NMOCD guidelines.

CHLORIDE FIELD TESTS

Sample Location	PID ppm	GRO mg/kg	DRO mg/kg	Chloride mg/kg
4-WALL COMP.	0.0	<10.0	<10.0	208
BOTTOM COMP.	0.0	<10.0	<10.0	784
REMED. BACKFILL	0.0	<10.0	<10.0	224
SOIL BORE @ 30 ft	0.7	<10.0	<10.0	304

LOCATION	DEPTH (ft)	ppm	
vertical at junction box	5	105	
	6	164	
	7	141	
	8	260	
	9	258	
	10	587	
	11	1280	
	12	1558	
	13	1322	
	14	1962	
	soil bore approx. 15 ft southeast of junction	15	541
		20	248
		21	317
		22	438
23		363	
24		315	
29		264	
30		216	
4-wall comp.		2-10	236
bottom comp.		12	715
remed. backfill	n/a	216	

General Description of Remedial Action: This end-of-line (EOL) box is located just west of the fence line of an active production facility. The junction box was removed and the pipeline was replaced. The site was delineated using a backhoe while PID field screenings and chloride field tests were conducted at regular intervals, producing a 30 x 30 x 12-ft-deep excavation. Although chloride concentrations exhibited a horizontal decline, chloride increased with depth to 12 ft BGS. The excavated soil was backfilled into the excavation up to 6 ft BGS where a 1-ft-thick compacted clay barrier was installed to impede further downward chloride migration. The remainder of the spoils were backfilled on top of the clay and contoured to the surrounding surface. A new watertight junction box was built at this location. To further investigate chloride concerns, a soil bore was initiated on 6/1/2004. The bore was advanced to a depth of 30 ft BGS where a conclusive trend of decline was established (see graph). Although soil moisture was observed at 16 ft, saturation was never encountered and red clay was met at 29 ft. The borehole was plugged at the top and bottom with bentonite. The disturbed surface will be seeded with a blend of native vegetation and is expected to return to productive capacity at a normal rate. An identification plate has been placed on the surface to mark the clay liner below at 6 ft BGS.

enclosures: chloride graph, photos, lab results, PID field screenings, clay test, bore log, diagram

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION ABOVE IS TRUE AND COMPLETE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF.

SITE SUPERVISOR Joe Gats SIGNATURE *Joe Gats* COMPANY RICE Operating Company

REPORT ASSEMBLED BY Kristin Farris Pope SIGNATURE *Kristin Farris Pope*
DATE 11/10/2004 TITLE Project Scientist

EME Phillips St. 'A' EOL

unit 'N', sec. 31, T19S, R37E



undisturbed junction box

11/10/2003



delineation & excavation

3/11/2004



testing clay barrier at 6 ft BGS

5/14/2004



soil bore delineation drilling at backfilled site

6/1/2004

EME Phillips St. 'A' EOL

December 2004



clay identification plate on surface: RICE Clay Liner 6'



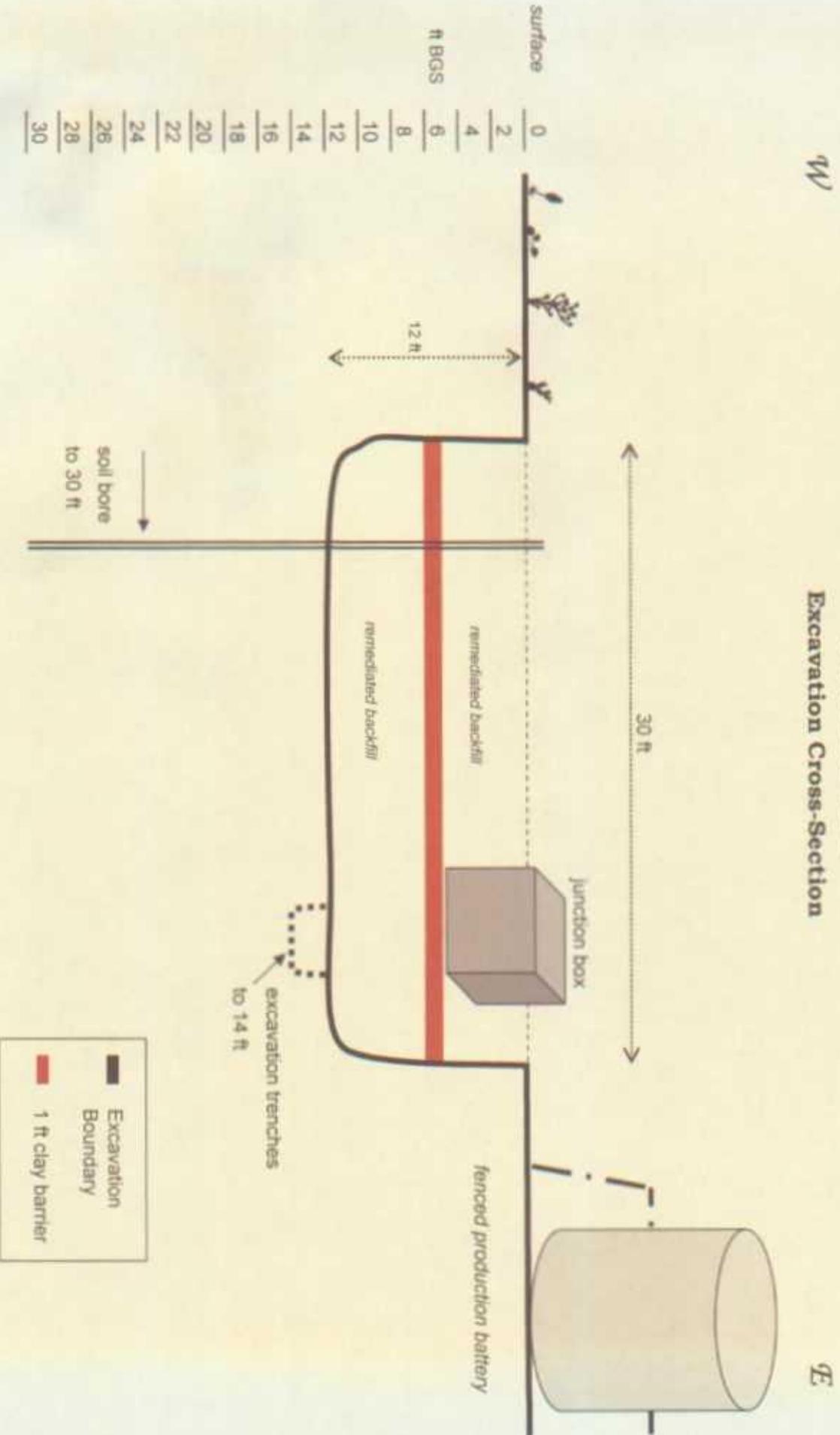
new completed junction box



looking south at box and site: ID plate marks soil bore location

EME Phillips St. 'A' EOL

Excavation Cross-Section
30 x 30 x 12 ft

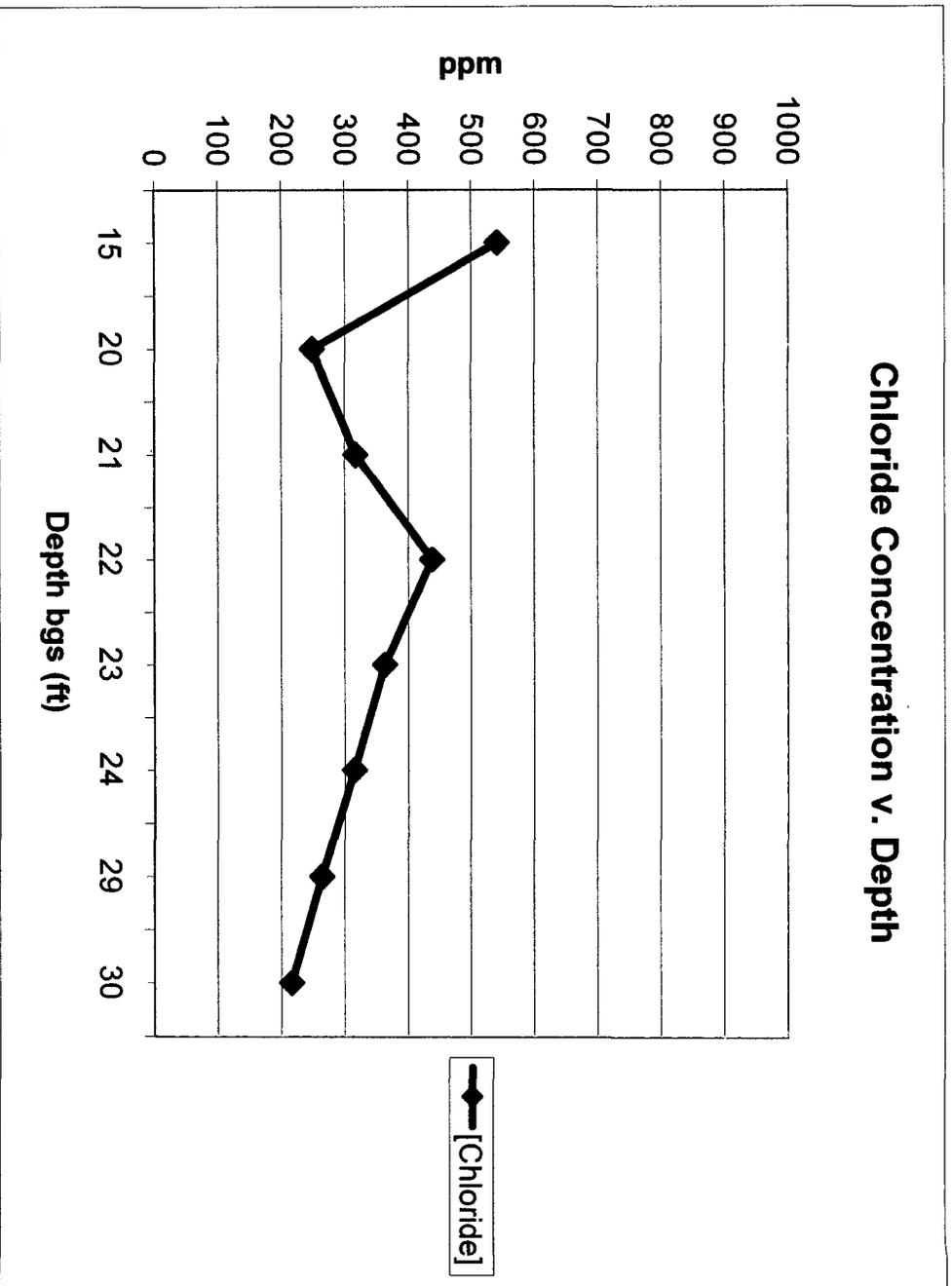


EMME Phillips St. 'A' FOI

unit 'N', Sec. 31, T19S, R37E

SOIL BORE delineation
15 ft southeast of junction

Depth bgs (ft)	[Cl ⁻] ppm
15	541
20	248
21	317
22	438
23	363
24	315
29	264
30	216



LOG OF BORING

K. Farris Pope
RICE Operating Company

Logger:	Drew Parker; Mort Bates	Client:	RICE Operating Company	Well ID: SB-1
Driller:	Atkins Engineering Associates, Inc.	Project Name:	Phillips St. 'A' EOL	
Drilling Method:	Hollow Stem Auger	Location:	EME SWD System	
Start Date:	6/1/2004		unit 'N', sec. 31, T19S, R37E	
End Date:	6/1/2004		Lea County, NM	
Notes:	Approx. 15 ft southeast of junction box TD = 30 ft groundwater was expected to be at 23 ft, moisture at 16 ft but no saturation			

Depth (feet)	Split Spoon		Description	Lithology	bore hole	Additional Notes
	chloride	PID				
0.0						
1.0						bentonite seal ←
2.0						
3.0						
4.0						
5.0						
6.0						
7.0						
8.0			0 - 15 ft CLAYEY SAND with CALICHE loose, pink & tan, dry			
9.0						
10.0						
11.0						
12.0						
13.0						
14.0						
15.0	541	1.8				
16.0						
17.0						
18.0						
19.0			15 - 21 ft CLAYEY SAND with CALICHE loose, pink & tan, damp			
20.0	248	1.6				
21.0	317	1.5				
22.0	438	1.7				
23.0	363	2.3				
24.0	315	2.0				
25.0						
26.0			21 - 29 ft CLAYEY SAND with CALICHE loose, pink & tan, moist			
27.0						
28.0						bentonite seal ←
29.0	264	3.4				
30.0	216	0.7	29 - 30 ft CLAY stiff, red, moist			lab = 304 ppm Cl



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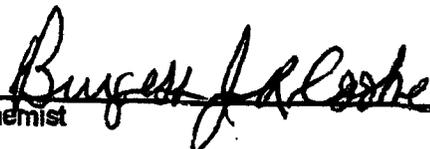
ANALYTICAL RESULTS FOR
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Receiving Date: 06/03/04
Reporting Date: 06/03/04
Project Number: NOT GIVEN
Project Name: EME BP ARCO PHILLIPS "A" @ 30'
Project Location: NOT GIVEN

Sampling Date: 06/01/04
Sample Type: SOIL
Sample Condition: COOL & INTACT
Sample Received By: AH
Analyzed By: BC/AH

LAB NO. SAMPLE ID	GRO (C ₈ -C ₁₀) (mg/Kg)	DRO (>C ₁₀ -C ₂₈) (mg/Kg)	CF [*] (mg/Kg)
ANALYSIS DATE	06/03/04	06/03/04	06/03/04
H8781-1 EME BP ARCO PHILLIPS "A" @ 30'	<10.0	<10.0	304
Quality Control	790	785	950
True Value QC	800	800	1000
% Recovery	98.8	98.2	95.0
Relative Percent Difference	0.9	7.2	6.0

METHODS: TPH GRO & DRO: EPA SW-846 8015 M; CF: Std. Methods 4500-CI/B
*Analysis performed on a 1:4 w:v aqueous extract.


Chemist

6/3/04
Date

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VOC FIELD TEST REPORT FORM
MINI RAE PLUS CLASSIC PHOTOIONIZATION GAS DETECTOR

MODEL NO: PGM 761S
CALIBRATION GAS
GAS COMPOSITION: ISOBUTYLENE
AIR

SERIAL NO: 104412

100 PPM
BALANCE

LOT NO: 02-2230
EXP. DATE: 11-20-04
METER READING
ACCURACY: 99.8

FILL DATE: 5-20-03
ACCURACY: ± 2%

SYSTEM	JUNCTION	UNIT	SECTION	TOWNSHIP	RANGE
EME	BP Arcophillips "A" Ed1	N	31	19	37

SAMPLE	PID RESULT	SAMPLE	PID RESULT
15'	1.8		
20'	1.6		
21'	1.5		
22'	1.7		
23'	2.3		
24'	2.0		
29'	3.4		
30'	0.7		

I certify that I have calibrated the above instrument in accordance to the manufacture operation manual.

Israel Suarez
Signature

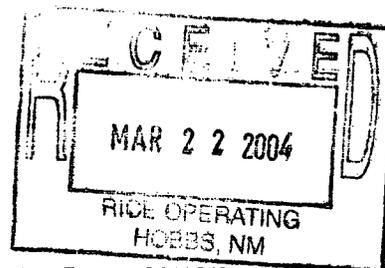
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Receiving Date: 03/16/04
Reporting Date: 03/18/04
Project Number: NOT GIVEN
Project Name: BP ARCO PHILLIPS ST. A EOL
Project Location: EME

Sampling Date: 03/16/04
Sample Type: SOIL
Sample Condition: COOL & INTACT
Sample Received By: GP
Analyzed By: BC/AH

LAB NUMBER	SAMPLE ID	GRO (C ₆ -C ₁₀) (mg/Kg)	DRO (>C ₁₀ -C ₂₈) (mg/Kg)	Cl* (mg/Kg)
ANALYSIS DATE		03/16/04	03/16/04	03/17/04
H8531-1	REMD. BACKFILL	<10.0	<10.0	224
H8531-2	BOTT. COMP.	<10.0	<10.0	784
H8531-3	4 WALL COMP.	<10.0	<10.0	208
Quality Control		817	762	1000
True Value QC		800	800	1000
% Recovery		102	95.2	100
Relative Percent Difference		1.9	3.4	0.0

METHODS: TPH GRO & DRO: EPA SW-846 8015 M; Cl: Std. Methods 4500-ClB

*Analyses performed on 1:4 w:v aqueous extracts.

Burgess J. Cooke
Chemist

3/18/04
Date

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Material: Red Clay

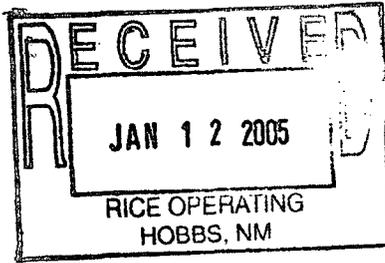
Test Method: ASTM: D 2922

Project: Arco Phillips

Date of Test: *April 30, 2004

Depth: Finished Subgrade

Test No.	Location	Dry Density % Maximum	% Moisture	Depth
SG-1	Pit - 10' w. & 5' S. of the NE Corner	99.3	17.6	



Control Density: 101.0
ASTM: D 698

Optimum Moisture: 23.0%

Required Compaction: 95%

Lab No.: 04 5903-5904

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BY: _____ **S.E.T.**