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From: Hansen, Edward J., EMNRD
Sent: Wednesday, November 29, 2006 5:08 PM
To: 'lpg@texerra.com'; Kristin Farris Pope
Cc: Price, Wayne, EMNRD
Subject: RE: Rice Operating Co submittal - ICP for EME C16(1)

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Dear Dr. Galusky and Ms. Pope:

The NMOCD has reviewed the submitted ICP for the above referenced site. The NMOCD hereby approves the plan. However, be advised that you will be proceeding at risk and may be required to perform additional investigation and characterization.

Also, please be advised that NMOCD approval of this plan does not relieve the owner/operator of responsibility should operations pose a threat to ground water, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, NMOCD approval does not relieve the owner/operator of responsibility for compliance with any OCD, federal, state, or local laws and/or regulations.

If you have questions regarding this matter, please contact me at 505-476-3489.

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From: L. Peter Galusky, Jr. P.E. [mailto:lpg@texerra.com]
Sent: Friday, November 24, 2006 2:16 PM
To: Price, Wayne, EMNRD
Cc: Kristin Pope
Subject: Rice Operating Co submittal - ICP for EME C16(1)

Wayne,

Please find attached, in .pdf format, and Investigation and Characterization Plan for EME C16(1). I will follow this with a hard copy in the mail.

We would like to get right on this, to drill the second week of December. Therefore, we would greatly appreciate your timely approval of this ICP.

Please do not hesitate to call me if you have any questions or need additional information.

Many thanks.

Sincerely,

Pete Galusky

11/29/2006