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**GENERAL
CORRESPONDENCE**

YEAR(S):

2000 - 1997

Olson, William

From: Olson, William
Sent: Monday, March 06, 2000 8:13 AM
To: 'Gannon, Maureen'
Subject: RE: Request for Extension on Annual Groundwater Report

The below requested extension is approved.

From: Gannon, Maureen [SMTP:MGannon@pnm.com]
Sent: Saturday, March 04, 2000 3:31 PM
To: Olson, William
Cc: Sikelianos, Mark; 'Ingrid Deklau'; Johnson, Ronald
Subject: Request for Extension on Annual Groundwater Report

As a follow-up to our phone conversation on Thursday, March 2, 2000, PNM herein requests an extension of the date for submittal of our San Juan Basin Annual Groundwater Report. The report is normally due on April 1st of each year. However, since PNM's environmental obligations associated with the purchase and sale of our former gas assets in the San Juan Basin will terminate on June 30, 2000 (with the exception of retained liabilities), we would like to file our annual report by July 15, 2000 so that the data and information contained in the annual report is current through the June 30th date.

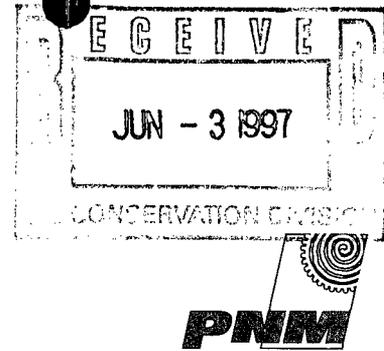
Please let me know if this extension is acceptable to you. You may email me or call me at (505) 241-2974. Thank you for your time and consideration of this matter.

Maureen Gannon
Environmental Services
241-2974

Public Service Company
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Alvarado Square MS 0408
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May 30, 1997

Mr. William Olson
Hydrogeologist
Oil Conservation Division
2040 So. Pacheco
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505



RE: NOTIFICATION OF GROUNDWATER CONTAMINATION AT THE TURNER 1A WELL SITE

Dear Bill:

Pursuant to New Mexico Water Quality Control Commission (WQCC) Regulations, section 1-203, PNM hereby provides written notification of groundwater contamination at the Turner 1A well site, located in section 24, township 31 North, range 11 West, unit letter M. A topographic map showing the location of the site is provided as an attachment. The operator is Burlington Resources. This letter follows verbal notification provided to you on Wednesday, May 28, 1997 (M. Gannon, PNM to B. Olson, OCD).

On May 15, 1997, PNM technicians encountered groundwater at the Turner 1A at approximately 10 feet below ground surface while excavating the former pit. A groundwater sample was collected and delivered to OnSite Technologies, Farmington, New Mexico for BTEX analysis using EPA method 8020. A hardcopy of the laboratory report is attached. A summary of the analytical results is provided below:

Component	Units	WQCC Stds.	Groundwater Sample
Benzene	ppb	10	359
Toluene	ppb	750	1311
Ethylbenzene	ppb	750	145
Xylenes	ppb	620	1597
Total BTEX	ppb		3412

Bold type indicates a WQCC exceedance.

This letter serves as written notification of groundwater contamination at the Turner 1A well site. PNM will conduct future activities at the site pursuant to PNM's Groundwater Management Plan. If you have any questions, please call me at (505) 241-2974. Thank you.

Sincerely,
PNM

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Maureen Gannon".

Maureen Gannon
Project Manager

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Attachment

cc: Colin Adams, PNM
Denver Bearden, PNMGS
Craig Bock, Burlington Resources
Denny Foust, OCD-Aztec Office
Robin Prisk, WFS
Toni Ristau, PNM

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Turner 1A

Sec. 24 Twn. 31N Rng. 11W Unit M

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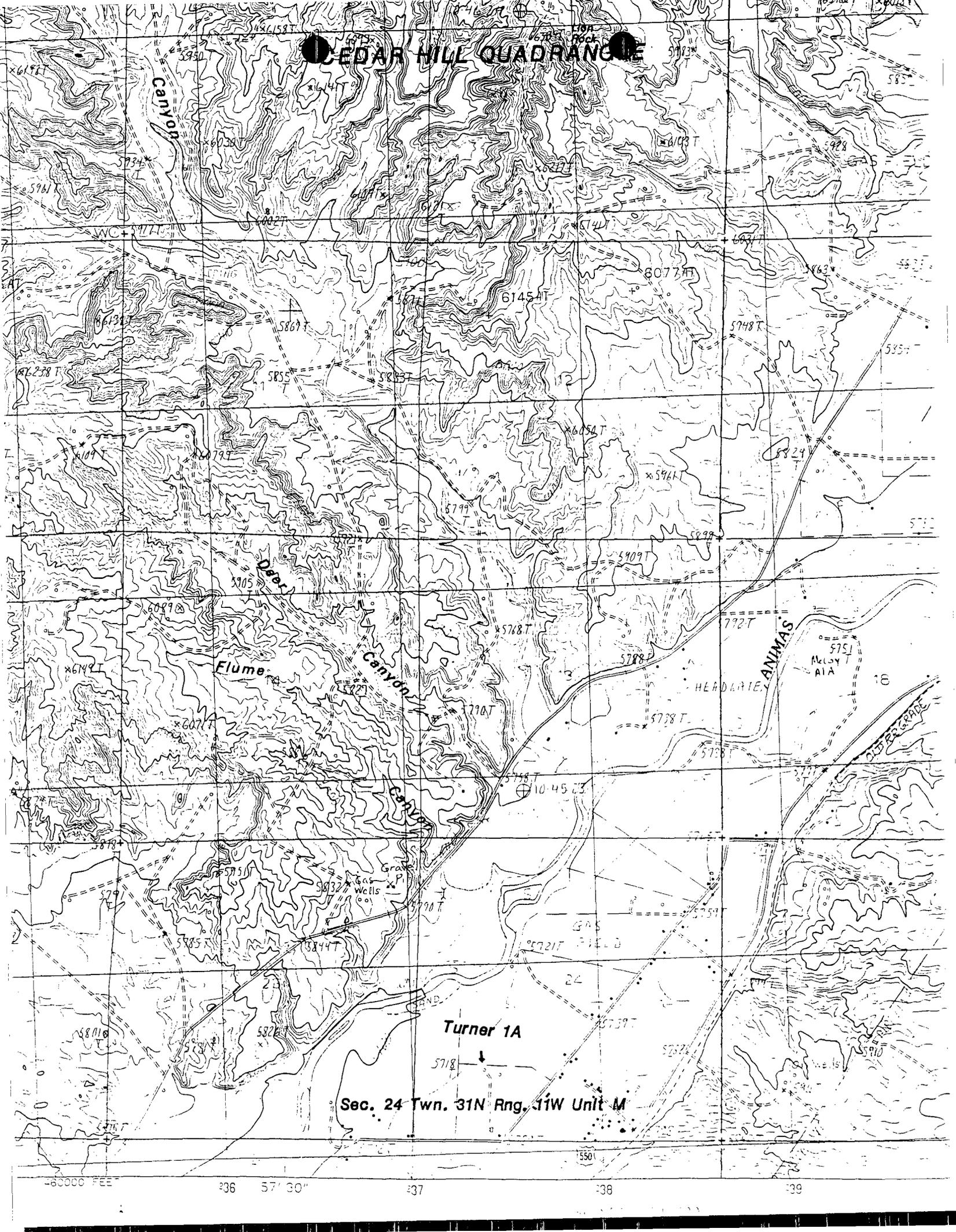
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State of New Mexico
ENERGY, MINERALS and NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT
 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

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MEMORANDUM OF MEETING OR CONVERSATION

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<u>Originating Party</u>	<u>Other Parties</u>
Maureen Cannon - PNM	Bill Olson - Environmental Bureau (voice mail)

Subject
 Notice of Ground Water Contamination

Discussion
 Turner #1A - 5 mi. N sec 24, T31N, R11W
 DTW = 10'
 Benzene = 359 ppb
 BTEX = 3400 ppb

Conclusions or Agreements

Distribution
 File
 Denny Faust - OCD Artec

Signed