RE: Mewbourne Oil * Mirage 30 PM St Com 1H * 30-015-40753 * P-30-19s-29e * Eddy County, NM NMOCD Tracking number: 2RP-2874 * Date of release: 3/9/15

Zack,

The proposal for remediation of the above referenced release is not approved. The PID readings in several of the sample points are well above RRAL for this site. OCD will need to review lab data prior to making a decision on adequate remediation procedures. Data needs to include contaminant levels between the proposed excavation depths and the depth contaminants clean up. Also, available data indicates that groundwater may be encountered in this area at less than 100' bgs (possibly 60' - 80').

OCD will consider a proposal to proceed with excavation operations, and then obtain required analytical data from a point beginning at the excavation bottom. This will allow for quicker removal of the more highly impacted material.

If you have any questions or concerns, or to schedule a meeting to discuss options for the site, please contact me.

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Mike,

Excavation procedures will begin up approval of this work plan. If you have any questions or concerns feel free to call or email.

Thanks,

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