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Sent: Friday, October 23, 2015 2:10 PM
To: Kathy Purvis
Cc: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; Patterson, Heather, EMNRD; C J Summers; Dusty Wilson; Cliff Brunson; Ken Swinney; Jennifer Gilkey
Subject: Re: Initial C-141, Federal 23 #13H

I was checking on the status of this clean-up.

The BLM approval/acceptance does not relieve the operator of liability should their operations have failed to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that may pose a threat to groundwater, surface water, human health or the environment or if the location fails to reclaim properly. In such an event that the location does not revegetate, or future issues with contaminants are encountered, the operator will be asked to address the issues until the contaminant issues are fully mitigated and the location is successfully reclaimed. In addition, BLM approval does not relieve the operator of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state or local laws/regulations.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

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On Wed, Sep 16, 2015 at 9:59 AM, Kathy Purvis <kathy@bbcinternational.com> wrote:

Attached is the initial C-141 for a leak that occurred at the Federal 23 #13H on 08/24/2015 in Eddy County, NM. Receipt notification via email is greatly appreciated.

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