State of New Mexico **Energy Minerals and Natural Resources**

Form C-144 March 12, 2004

Oil Conservation Division 1220 South St. Francis Dr. Santa Fe, NM 87505

For drilling and production facilities, submit to appropriate NMOCD District Office.

For downstream facilities, submit to Santa Fe office

Is pit or below-grade tank covered by a "general plan"? Yes No X Type of action: Registration of a pit or below-grade tank Closure of a pit or below-grade tank		
Operator: Mc Quadrangle L.L.C.	Telephone: 806 797-3162	
Address: 7008 Salem Ave., Lubbock, Texas 79424		
Facility or well name: Midnight Matador A #1 API # 30-015-3335 U/L or Qtr/Qtr G Sec 35 T 17S R 27E		
County: Eddy Latitude Longitude NAD: 1927 1983 Surface Owner Federal State Private And Indian		
Location: 2155' FNL & 1650' FEL, Sec. 35, T-17-S, R-27E		
<u>Pit</u>	Below-grade tank	
Type: Drilling AProduction Disposal	Volume:bbl Type of fluid:	
Workover Emergency	Construction material:	
Lined [Unlined	Double-walled, with leak detection? Yes If not, explain why not.	
Liner type: Synthetic Thicknessmil Clay Volume	}	
561		
	Less than 50 feet	(20 points)
Depth to ground water (vertical distance from bottom of pit to seasonal high	50 feet or more, but less than 100 feet	(10 points)
water elevation of ground water.)	100 feet or more X	(0 points) X
	Yes	(20 points)
Wellhead protection area: (Less than 200 feet from a private domestic	No X	(0 points) X
water source, or less than 1000 feet from all other water sources.)	NO A	(o points) X
Distance to surface water: (horizontal distance to all wetlands, playas, irrigation canals, ditches, and perennial and ephemeral watercourses.)	Less than 200 feet	(20 points)
	200 feet or more, but less than 1000 feet	(10 points)
	1000 feet or more X	(0 points) X
	Ranking Score (Total Points)	0
If this is a pit closure: (1) attach a diagram of the facility showing the pit's relationship to other equipment and tanks. (2) Indicate disposal location:		
onsite Offsite If offsite, name of facility (3) Attach a general description of remedial action taken including remediation start date and end		
date. (4) Groundwater encountered: No 🖺 Yes 🔲 If yes, show depth below ground surfaceft. and attach sample results. (5) Attach soil sample results and a		
diagram of sample locations and excavations.		
I hereby certify that the information above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. I further certify that the above-described pit or below-grade tank has been/will be constructed or closed according to NMOCD guidelines XI, a general permit or an (attached) alternative OCD-approved plan . Date: 5-17-2004		
Printed Name/Title Agent Signature Charles Charles		
Your certification and NMOCD approval of this application/closure does not relieve the operator of liability should the contents of the pit or tank contaminate ground water or otherwise endanger public health or the environment. Nor does it relieve the operator of its responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, or local laws and/or regulations.		
Approvaly 18 2004 Printed Name/Title Signature Signature		

Please see attached

stipulations and/or

requirements:



NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS and NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

BILL RICHARDSON

Joanna Prukop
Cabinet Secretary
Acting Director
Oil Conservation Division

18 May 2004

McQuadrangle L.L.C. 7008 Salem Ave. Lubbock, Texas 79424

RE:

Permit Stipulations - Midnight Matador A # 1

Unit G SEC-35 T-17S R-27E

The Oil Conservation Division of Artesia is in receipt of your application to construct a pit for the purpose of drilling. The request is hereby accepted and approved with the following provisions:

- 1. Construction and closing of pit(s) must meet the criteria of Rule 19.15.2.50 and the Pit Guidelines.
- 2. The pit is not located in any watercourse, lakebed, sinkhole, playa lake, or wetland.
- 3. Notice is to be given to the OCD prior to construction of the pit(s).
- 4. Liner must be a minimum of 12 mil. woven.
- 5. Liner choice may cause the pit's contents and the liner to be removed and disposed of in a manner approved by the Division.
- 6. Pit encapsulations must meet all specific criteria including, but not limited to:
 - A. Site evaluation
 - B. Liner thickness and type must meet requirements as per guidelines.
 - C. Amount of and type of cover
 - D. Drill cuttings will be sampled as per guidelines. Notify OCD 48 hours prior to any sampling event
 - E. In the event that the integrity of the pit lining is breached in a manner such that soil contamination would result, the contents of the pit will have to be disposed of in an approved OCD facility.
- 7. The integrity of the bottom liner may not be breached at any time for any reason.
- 8. The pit will not be used for any additional storage of fluids.
- 9. The Division may attach additional conditions to any permit upon a finding that such conditions are necessary to prevent the contamination of fresh water, or to protect public health or the environment. (19.15.2.50.C.3.G.1.)
- 10. Re-seeding mixture will must be approved or authorized by surface owner.

If I can be of any further assistance, please feel free to call (505) 748-1283 ext. 109.

Sincerely, Van Barton