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GRUY PETROLEUM MANAGEMENT CO.

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NOTICE OF VIOLATION - Inspections

Dear Operator:

The following inspection(s) indicate that the well, equipment, location or operational status of the well(s) failed to meet standards: of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division as described in the detail section below. To comply with standards imposed by Rules and Regulations of the Division, corrective action must be taken immediately and the situation brought into compliance. The detail section indicates preliminary findings and/or probable nature of the violation. This determination is based on an inspection of your well or facility by an inspector employed by the Oil Conservation Division on the date(s) indicated.

Please notify the proper district office of the Division, in writing, of the date corrective actions are scheduled to be made so that arrangements can be made to reinspect the well and/or facility.

INSPECTION DETAIL SECTION

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Inspection Date

Type Inspection

Inspector

P-27-26S-29E

Violation?

*Significant Non-Compliance?

Corrective Inspection Nov. Action Due By:

08/19/2005 Routine/Periodic Chris Beadle

Yes

No

9/19/2005

30-015-24875-00-00

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Violations

Comments on Inspection:

Surface Leaks/Spills

Localized wellhead contamination. Tank battery has contaminated soils over entire bermed area

under gravel. Gravel showing heavy staining and saturation when scuffed aside to view soils beneath in several places examined along back side of tanks and between tanks. Remediation required. Contact NMOCD District 2 Environmental Compliance Officer to discuss remediation

requirements.

In the event that a satisfactory response is not received to this letter of direction by the "Corrective Action Due By:" date shown above, further enforcement will occur. Such enforcement may include this office applying to the Division for an order summoning you to a hearing before a Division Examiner in Santa Fe to show cause why you should not be ordered to permanently plug and abandon this well. Such a hearing may result in imposition of CIVIL PENALTIES for your violation of OCD rules.

Sincerely,

Artesia OCD District Office

Note: Information in Detail Section comes directly from field inspector data entries - not all blanks will contain data.

*Significant Non-Compliance events are reported directly to the EPA, Region VI, Dallas, Texas.