

District I  
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240  
District II  
1301 W. Grand Avenue, Artesia, NM 88210  
District III  
1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410  
District IV  
1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

State of New Mexico  
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources

Form C-144  
June 1, 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

**Pit or Below-Grade Tank Registration or Closure**

Is pit or below-grade tank covered by a "general plan"? Yes ☒ No ☐

Type of action: Registration of a pit or below-grade tank ☐ Closure of a pit or below-grade tank ☒

Operator: BP AMERICA PROD. CO. Telephone: (505)-326-9200 e-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: 200 ENERGY COURT, FARMINGTON, NM 87410  
Facility or well name: HUGHES B #5A API #: 30-045- 26837 U/L or Qtr/Qtr J Sec 21 T 29N R 8W  
County: SAN JUAN Latitude 36.71351 Longitude 107.68630 NAD: 1927 ☐ 1983 ☒ Surface Owner Federal ☒ State ☐ Private ☐ Indian ☐

**Pit**  
Type: Drilling ☐ Production ☒ Disposal ☐ DEHYDRATOR  
Workover ☐ Emergency ☐  
Lined ☒ Unlined ☐ STEEL TANK  
Liner type: Synthetic ☐ Thickness \_\_\_\_\_ mil Clay ☐  
Pit Volume \_\_\_\_\_ bbl

**Below-grade tank**  
Volume: \_\_\_\_\_ bbl Type of fluid: \_\_\_\_\_  
Construction material: N/A  
Double-walled, with leak detection? Yes ☐ If not, explain why not. \_\_\_\_\_

**RCVD APR5'07  
OIL CONS. DIV.  
DIST. 3**

Depth to ground water (vertical distance from bottom of pit to seasonal high water elevation of ground water.)	Less than 50 feet	(20 points)	<b>0</b>
	50 feet or more, but less than 100 feet	(10 points)	
	100 feet or more	( 0 points)	
Wellhead protection area: (Less than 200 feet from a private domestic water source, or less than 1000 feet from all other water sources.)	Yes	(20 points)	<b>0</b>
	No	( 0 points)	
Distance to surface water: (horizontal distance to all wetlands, playas, irrigation canals, ditches, and perennial and ephemeral watercourses.)	Less than 200 feet	(20 points)	<b>0</b>
	200 feet or more, but less than 1000 feet	(10 points)	
	1000 feet or more	( 0 points)	
<b>Ranking Score (Total Points)</b>			<b>0</b>

**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: (check the onsite box if you are burying in place) 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 surface \_\_\_\_\_ ft. and attach sample results. (5) Attach soil sample results and a diagram of sample locations and excavations.

Additional Comments PIT LOCATED APPROXIMATELY 126 FT. S51W FROM WELL HEAD.

PIT EXCAVATION: WIDTH N/A ft., LENGTH N/A ft., DEPTH N/A ft.

PIT REMEDIATION: CLOSE AS IS: ☒. LANDFARM: ☐. COMPOST: ☐. STOCKPILE: ☐. OTHER ☐ (explain)

Cubic yards: N/A

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 ☒, a general permit ☐, or an alternative OCD-approved plan ☒.

Date: 08/14/06

Printed Name/Title Jeff Blagg - P.E. # 11607

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

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.

Approval:  
Printed Name Deputy Oil & Gas Inspector,  
District #3

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date: AUG 06 2007

CLIENT: <u>BP</u>	<b>BLAGG ENGINEERING, INC.</b> P.O. BOX 87, BLOOMFIELD, NM 87413 (505) 632-1199	LOCATION NO: <u>B1790</u> COCR NO: <u>1317</u>
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**FIELD REPORT: PIT CLOSURE VERIFICATION**

LOCATION: NAME: <u>HUGHES B</u> WELL #: <u>5A</u> TYPE: <u>DEHY</u> QUAD/UNIT <u>J SEC 21 TWP 29N RNG 8W PM: NM CNTY: SJ ST: NM</u> QTR/FOOTAGE: <u>1745 FNL x 1085 FWL NW 1/4</u> CONTRACTOR: <u>L &amp; R (MIKE)</u>	PAGE No: <u>1</u> of <u>1</u> DATE STARTED: <u>8-8-06</u> DATE FINISHED: <u>8-8-06</u> ENVIRONMENTAL SPECIALIST: <u>JCB</u>
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EXCAVATION APPROX. NA FT. X NA FT. X NA FT. DEEP. CUBIC YARDAGE: 0

DISPOSAL FACILITY: NA REMEDIATION METHOD: CLOSE AS IS

LAND USE: RANGE - BLM LEASE: SF-078046 FORMATION: MV

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**FIELD NOTES & REMARKS:** PIT LOCATED APPROXIMATELY 126 FT. SSW FROM WELLHEAD.

DEPTH TO GROUNDWATER: >100 NEAREST WATER SOURCE: >1000 NEAREST SURFACE WATER: >1000

NMOCD RANKING SCORE: 0 NMOCD TPH CLOSURE STD: 5000 PPM

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**SOIL AND EXCAVATION DESCRIPTION:**

SOIL TYPE: <u>(SAND)</u> SILTY SAND / SILT / SILTY CLAY / CLAY / GRAVEL / OTHER _____ SOIL COLOR: <u>Light Tan</u> COHESION (ALL OTHERS): <u>(NON COHESIVE)</u> SLIGHTLY COHESIVE / COHESIVE / HIGHLY COHESIVE CONSISTENCY (NON COHESIVE SOILS): <u>(LOOSE)</u> FIRM / DENSE / VERY DENSE PLASTICITY (CLAYS): NON PLASTIC / SLIGHTLY PLASTIC / COHESIVE / MEDIUM PLASTIC / HIGHLY PLASTIC DENSITY (COHESIVE CLAYS & SILTS): SOFT / FIRM / STIFF / VERY STIFF / HARD MOISTURE <u>(DRY)</u> SLIGHTLY MOIST / MOIST / WET / SATURATED / SUPER SATURATED DISCOLORATION/STAINING OBSERVED: YES <u>(NO)</u> EXPLANATION: _____ HC ODOR DETECTED: YES <u>(NO)</u> EXPLANATION: _____ SAMPLE TYPE <u>(GRAB)</u> / COMPOSITE - # OF PTS. <u>—</u> ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: <u>21 BBL Steel tank set 2' Below Grade -</u> <u>Use Backhoe to move tank + Sample.</u>	OVM CALIB. READ = <u>53.1</u> ppm OVM CALIB GAS = <u>100</u> ppm RF = <u>0.52</u> TIME: <u>0625</u> am/pm DATE: <u>8-8-06</u>
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**FIELD 418.1 CALCULATIONS**

SAMP. TIME	SAMP. ID	LAB NO.	WEIGHT (g)	mL FREON	DILUTION	READING	CALC. (ppm)

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**SCALE**

**PIT PERIMETER**

**OVM READING**

SAMPLE ID	FIELD HEADSPACE (ppm)
1 @	
2 @	
3 @	
4 @	
5 @	
C@5'	0.0

**LAB SAMPLES**

SAMPLE ID	ANALYSIS	TIME
C@5'	T/B/CL	1430

**PASSED**

**PIT PROFILE**

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PD = PIT DEPRESSION; B.G. = BELOW GRADE; B = BELOW TH = TEST HOLE, ~ = APPROX., T.B = TANK BOTTOM

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TRAVEL NOTES CALLOUT: \_\_\_\_\_ ONSITE: 8-8-06

# ENVIROTECH LABS

PRACTICAL SOLUTIONS FOR A BETTER TOMORROW

## EPA METHOD 8015 Modified Nonhalogenated Volatile Organics Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons

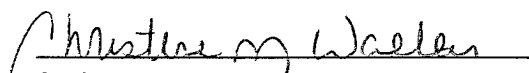
Client:	Blagg / BP	Project #:	94034-010
Sample ID:	C @ 5'	Date Reported:	08-10-06
Laboratory Number:	38092	Date Sampled:	08-08-06
Chain of Custody No:	1317	Date Received:	08-09-06
Sample Matrix:	Soil	Date Extracted:	08-10-06
Preservative:	Cool	Date Analyzed:	08-10-06
Condition:	Cool and Intact	Analysis Requested:	8015 TPH

Parameter	Concentration (mg/Kg)	Det. Limit (mg/Kg)
Gasoline Range (C5 - C10)	0.2	0.2
Diesel Range (C10 - C28)	0.3	0.1
Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons	0.5	0.2

ND - Parameter not detected at the stated detection limit.

References: Method 8015B, Nonhalogenated Volatile Organics, Test Methods for Evaluating Solid Waste, SW-846, USEPA, December 1996.

Comments: **Hughes B 5A Dehy Pit.**

  
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Practical Solutions for a Better Tomorrow

## EPA METHOD 8021 AROMATIC VOLATILE ORGANICS

Client:	Blagg / BP	Project #:	94034-010
Sample ID:	C @ 5'	Date Reported:	08-10-06
Laboratory Number:	38092	Date Sampled:	08-08-06
Chain of Custody:	1317	Date Received:	08-09-06
Sample Matrix:	Soil	Date Analyzed:	08-10-06
Preservative:	Cool	Date Extracted:	08-10-06
Condition:	Cool & Intact	Analysis Requested:	BTEX

Parameter	Concentration (ug/Kg)	Det. Limit (ug/Kg)
Benzene	27.0	1.8
Toluene	32.1	1.7
Ethylbenzene	19.8	1.5
p,m-Xylene	67.2	2.2
o-Xylene	29.7	1.0
Total BTEX	176	

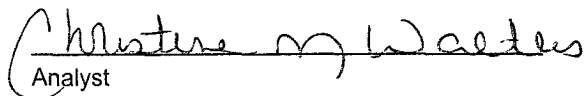
ND - Parameter not detected at the stated detection limit.

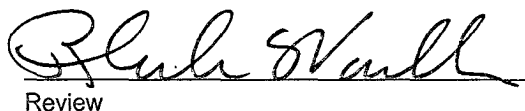
Surrogate Recoveries:	Parameter	Percent Recovery
	Fluorobenzene	98.0 %
	1,4-difluorobenzene	98.0 %
	Bromochlorobenzene	98.0 %

References: Method 5030B, Purge-and-Trap, Test Methods for Evaluating Solid Waste, SW-846, USEPA, December 1996.

Method 8021B, Aromatic Volatile Organics, Test Methods for Evaluating Solid Waste, SW-846, USEPA, December 1996.

Comments: Hughes B 5A Dehy Pit.

  
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Chloride

Client:	Blagg / BP	Project #:	94034-010
Sample ID:	C @ 5'	Date Reported:	08-10-06
Lab ID#:	38092	Date Sampled:	08-08-06
Sample Matrix:	Soil	Date Received:	08-09-06
Preservative:	Cool	Date Analyzed:	08-10-06
Condition:	Cool and Intact	Chain of Custody:	1317

Parameter


Concentration (mg/Kg)

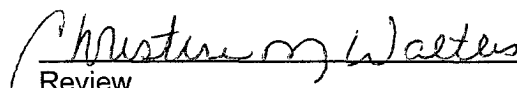
Total Chloride

30.0

Reference: Standard Methods For The Examination of Water And Waste Water", 18th ed., 1992.

Comments: Hughes B 5A Dehy Pit.

  
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