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Subject: Remediation Plan (1R428-60) Termination - ROC Hobbs SWD Jct A-25 Site

RE: Corrective Action Plan Report and Termination Request

for the Rice Operating Company's

Hobbs SWD Jct A-25 Site

Unit Letter A, Section 25, T18S, R37E, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico

Remediation Plan (1R428-60) Termination

Dear Mr. Conder:

The New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (OCD) has received Rice Operating Company's report and request to close the above-referenced site, dated September 2, 2011 (received September 7, 2011). The report is acceptable to the OCD.

The above-referenced report, submitted in accordance with 19.15.29 NMAC (Part 29; formally, Rule 116), indicates that Rice Operating Company has met the requirements of 19.15.29 NMAC; therefore, the OCD approves the report and hereby notifies you that the remediation plan (1R428-60) is terminated in accordance with 19.15.29 NMAC.

Please be advised that OCD approval of this report does not relieve the owner/operator of responsibility should operations pose a threat to ground water, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, OCD approval does not relieve the owner/operator of responsibility for compliance with any OCD, federal, state, or local laws and/or regulations.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact me at 505-476-3489.

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