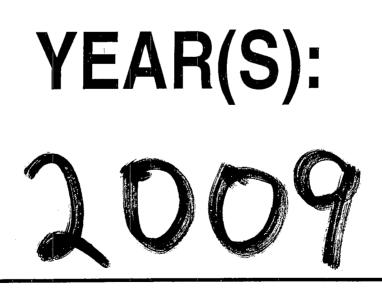
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APPROVALS



Hansen, Edward J., EMNRD

From: Sent: To: Cc: Subject: Hansen, Edward J., EMNRD Thursday, October 15, 2009 4:33 PM 'Hack Conder' Leking, Geoffrey R, EMNRD; 'Marvin Burrows'; Scott Curtis; 'shall@arcadis-us.com' ICP approval for Rice EME Jct H-20 (1R427-236)

Dear Mr. Conder:

The New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (OCD) has reviewed the submitted Investigation Characterization Plans (ICP), dated October 9, 2009, for the above-referenced site. The OCD hereby conditionally approves the following ICP for the Rice Operating Company (ROC) site:

Rice EME Jct H-20 submitted by Arcadis on 10/15/2009 #1R427-236

If a groundwater sample is collected, then ROC must analyzed the groundwater for chlorides and <u>TDS</u> (and BTEX if warranted).

Also, please be advised that OCD approval of this plan 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 questions regarding this matter, please contact me at 505-476-3489.

Edward J. Hansen Hydrologist Environmental Bureau

P.S.: Please use the OCD case # on future correspondence regarding the site listed above.

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