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July 2nd, 2010

Mr. Edward Hansen New Mexico Energy, Minerals, & Natural Resources Oil Conservation Division, Environmental Bureau 1220 S. St. Francis Drive Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

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Re:

Monitor Well Plugging & Abandonment Report

NMOCD Case Number: 1R427-06

EME O-19 Jct, UL O Sec 19 T 20S R 37E

Rice Operating Company

Environmental Bureau
Oil Conservation Division

Sent via E-mail and Certified U.S. Mail w Return Receipt No. 7008 1830 0004 2694 4248

Mr. Hansen:

Please be advised that Rice Operating Company has plugged and abandoned the monitor wells (MW-1 and MW-2) located at the EME O-19 Jct site per the specifications given in the NMOCD notice of termination sent via e-mail on April 15th, 2010. These monitor wells were plugged on May 13th, 2010 with cement grout containing between 1% to 3% bentonite (see attached driller's report). With this action we understand that Rice Operating Company has fulfilled their requirements under 19.15.29 NMAC for this project.

Rice Operating Company is the service provider (agent) for the EME Salt Water Disposal (SWD) System and has no ownership of any portion of pipeline, well or facility. The EME SWD System is owned by a consortium of oil producers, System Parties, who provide all operating capital on a percentage ownership/usage basis.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

L. Peter Galusky, Jr. Ph.D.

Copy: Rice Operating Company

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Plugging Report

Client	Rice Operating	
Contractor	Harrison & Cooper	
Date Completed	5/13/2010	
Site	EME Jct. O-19	
Well ID	MW-1	
Casing Diameter	2"	
Well Depth	39'	
Casing Material	PVC	
Plugging Material	Portland/Bentonite Slurry	
Slurry Interval	3'-39'	
Cement Interval	0'-3'	

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EME O-19 P&A report for MW-1.

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Plugging Report

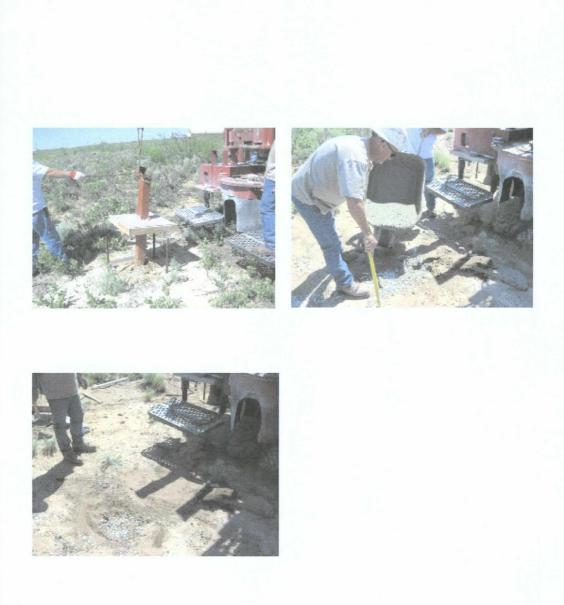
Client	Rice Operating	
Contractor	Harrison & Cooper	
Date Completed	5/13/2010	
Site	EME Jct. O-19	
Well ID	MW-2	
Casing Diameter	2"	
Well Depth	39'	
Casing Material	PVC	
Plugging Material	Portland/Bentonite Slurry	
Slurry Interval	3'-39'	
Cement Interval	0'-3'	

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EME O-19 P&A report for MW-2.



EME O-19 - Photographs of monitor well plugging & abandonment.