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Sharon Prichard NMOCD Hobbs, NM 88240

Re: Amerada Hess Submission of Documents Pursuant to 19.15.3.118 NMAC H₂S Rule

Dear Ms. Prichard,

As required by rule 19.15.3.118 NMAC, Amerada Hess Corporation (AHC) respectfully submits the following information. The radius of exposure (ROE) for each well and facility operated by AHC in New Mexico was submitted on September 24, 2003. As required, wells and facilities from that list were identified as having a potentially hazardous volume based on the following guidelines:

- 1. the 100-ppm radius of exposure includes any public area;
- 2. the 500-ppm radius of exposure includes any public road;
- 3. the 100-ppm radius of exposure exceeds 3,000 feet.

The following wells and facilities were identified as having a potentially hazardous volume:

Well/Facility	<u>Location</u>	Reason
NMGSAU 1213	UL - M, Sec. 28, T19S, R37E, Lea Co.	Public area – Monument,NM Townsite
NMGSAU 1618	UL - C, Sec. 32, T19S, R37E, Lea Co.	Public area – Monument,NM Townsite
NMGSAU 1622	UL - C, Sec. 32, T19S, R37E, Lea Co.	Public area – Monument,NM Townsite
State F Gas Com #5	UL - N, Sec. 36, T19S, R36E, Lea Co.	Public area – Dynegy Monument Plant
W P Byrd Battery	Sec. 12, T20S, R36E, Lea Co.	Public area – Residence
Monument Abo Battery	Sec. 35, T19S, R36E, Lea Co.	Public road – County road

A Hydrogen Sulfide Contingency Plan is also being submitted and is an attachment in the e-mail. A map of our producing area with public notification information is also attached.

AHC requests that you verify receipt of this information by e-mail for our records. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Respectfully Submitted,

Randy Ferguson Safety Coordinator Permian Business Unit