

## **Bill Richardson**

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Ms. Florene Davidson, Administrator EMNRD-OCD 1220 S. St. Francis Drive Santa Fe, NM 87505

## <u>Hand-delivered</u>

Re: Case 14107, Xeric Oil & Gas Corp. - West Pearl Queen #301

Dear Ms. Davidson,

Operator Xeric Oil & Gas has now completed the pit closure at the above-referenced site, and has addressed the remaining surface issues at the site relating to the closure of that pit. The issues raised by the Division's Application in Case no. 14107 case have now therefore been addressed to the satisfaction of the OCD. Case No. 14107 is currently set for hearing on the October 2, 2008 docket, and the OCD respectfully requests that it be dismissed.

Sincerely,

Mikal Altomare

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