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April 21, 1998

CERTIFIED MAIL
RETURN RECEIPT NO. Z-235-437-257

Mr. Mark Harvey
Williams Field Services
P.O. Box 58900
Salt Lake City, Utah 84158-0900

RE: AZTEC PC SITE

Dear Mr. Harvey:

The New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (OCD) has reviewed Williams Field Services (WFS) January 12, 1998 "ABANDONMENT OF SOIL VAPOR EXTRACTION SYSTEM AT AZTEC P.C. LINE DRIP". This document contains the results of WFS's recent sampling of contaminant concentrations in soil related to a spill from the Aztec PC Pipeline. The document also contains WFS's request for final closure approval of the remedial actions based upon the analytical results of these soil samples and prior soil vapor monitoring.

The above referenced closure request is approved with the following condition:

1. WFS will plug and abandon the soil vapor extraction wells by either pulling the well casings or cutting the casings off at the surface. Once the casing is pulled or cut off the remaining hole will be plugged to the surface with a cement grout containing 3-5% bentonite.

Please be advised that OCD approval does not relieve WFS of liability if remaining contaminants pose a future threat to surface water, ground water, human health or the environment. In addition, OCD approval does not relieve WFS of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, tribal or local laws and regulations.

If you have any questions, please call me at (505) 827-7154.

Sincerely,


William C. Olson
Hydrologist
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xc: Denny Foust, OCD Aztec District Office



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February 19, 1998

CERTIFIED MAIL
RETURN RECEIPT NO. Z-235-437-235

Ms. Ingrid Deklau
Williams Energy Group
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Salt Lake City, Utah 84108

**RE: SOIL REMEDIATION
AZTEC PC SITE**

Dear Ms. Deklau:

The New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (OCD) has reviewed the Williams Energy Group's (WEG) October 29, 1997 "STATUS OF AZTEC P.C. RELEASE SITE". This document contains the results of WEG's vapor monitoring of the soil vapor extraction system related to a spill from the Aztec PC Pipeline. The document also contains WEG's plan to take soil samples from the contaminated areas to confirm that the soils have been adequately remediated.

The above referenced work plan is approved with the following conditions:

1. WEG will provide the OCD with a sampling report upon completion of the soil sampling. The report will contain:
 - a. A description of all investigation activities which occurred including the procedures used during the investigation and conclusions and recommendations.
 - b. A site map showing the locations of all soil borings areas in relation to other pertinent site features.
 - c. A summary of all laboratory analytic results of soil quality sampling including copies of the laboratory analyses and associated quality assurance/quality control data.

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2. The OCD defers comment on issuing closure approval of the remedial actions until the OCD has an opportunity to review the final sampling report.

Please be advised that OCD approval does not relieve WEG of liability if the investigation fails to adequately determine the extent of contamination related to WEG's activities. In addition, OCD approval does not relieve WEG of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, tribal or local laws and regulations.

If you have any questions, please call me at (505) 827-7154.

Sincerely,



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CERTIFIED MAIL
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Mr. Eric Seelinger
Gas Company of New Mexico
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**RE: AZTEC PC MAINLINE DRIP REMEDIATION
SAN JUAN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**

Dear Mr. Seelinger:

The New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (OCD) has completed a review of the Gas Company of New Mexico (GCNM) July 19, 1993 "AZTEC PC MAINLINE DRIP CLEANUP PROPOSED RECLAMATION" which was submitted on behalf of GCNM by their consultant Envirotech, Inc. This document outlines GCNM's proposal for installation of a soil vapor extraction system to remediate contaminated soils related to discharges from the Aztec Picture Cliffs pipeline located in Unit C, Sec 28, T28N, R10W, NMPM, San Juan County, New Mexico.

The above referenced remediation plan is hereby approved with the following conditions:

1. GCNM will submit a comprehensive report to OCD by September 1, 1993 documenting the level of contaminants remaining after the excavation of contaminated soils at the site.
2. GCNM will notify OCD at least 72 hours in advance of all scheduled work elements such that OCD may have the opportunity to witness the activities.
3. GCNM will submit the proposed annual report containing the results of the remediation monitoring program to OCD by February 2, 1993 of each year.

Please be advised that OCD approval does not relieve GCNM of liability should remaining contaminants pose a threat to fresh

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waters or public health or should the proposed system fail to effectively remediate contaminants related to GCNM's activities. In addition, OCD approval does not relieve GCNM of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state or local laws and/or regulations.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (505) 827-5885.

Sincerely,



William C. Olson
Hydrogeologist
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