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Subject: NRM2023056666 SALADO DRAW 13 SWD @ P-20-26S-35E 0N 0E

Attachments: (C-141 Closure) NRM2023056666 SALADO DRAW 13 SWD @ P-20-26S-35E 0N 0E.pdf

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The OCD has denied the Closure Report C-141 for incident # for the following reasons:

• The liner integrity has not been correctly evaluated. The photos provided in the Closure Report show that there is still material that needs to be removed to expose the liner in the affected area.

The Denied C-141 can be found in the online image file. Please review and make the required correction prior to resubmitting through the fee portal.

Thanks you,

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