

Good Morning, Mike!

Re: Notification of Initiation of Artemis Federal #1 and Carrington State #1 Pit Closures

Please be advised that Nadel Gussman Permian, LLC (NGP) herewith notifies the State of New Mexico, OCD it intends to commence drilling pit closure activities on Artemis #1 beginning Friday, 18 November 2005. CRI has been notified that approximately 1,200 cu. yds. of fines will arrive from 18 November through 23 November at their land farm.

Proceeding with closure operations for this site, sample acquisition is tentatively scheduled for Monday, 28 November unless inclement weather or other unforeseen events beyond the Operator's control impede this plan. The State of New Mexico, OCD will be contacted on 23 November prior to the Thanksgiving break to confirm this date. Sample analysis will be conducted on a 24-hour turnaround. Predicated on the results of this analysis, backfilling is scheduled to follow immediately.

The Carrington State #1 drilling pit site will engage in closure activities simultaneously with those of the Artemis Federal #1 site. Carrington, however, is an on site disposal and therefore will not be engaged in hauling materials off location. Should sampling times not coincide, the OCD will be notified in sufficient time to respond should they desire to be present.

Should you have questions regarding this notification, please contact via cell (406-431-2528) or by email (cawnkr@msn.com) as soon as possible. If the State of New Mexico, OCD has not objected to or recommended revision of the above statements by close of business 17 November 2005, the Operator will take this to mean the State of New Mexico, OCD concurs with NGP's proposed closure operations schedule.

Thank you, Mike.

Cheryl

Artemis #1 30-015-34011

Carrington St. #1 30-015-34062