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Reference: Burton Flat C Federal 003 O-35-20s-28e API: 30-015-24695 Eddy County New Mexico

Operator,

The New Mexico Oil Conservation Division District 2 Office (OCD) is in receipt of a document titled "Work Plan for Restoration of Former Reserve Pit", (hereinafter referred to as "Plan"). The Plan outlines regulatory requirements and methods to be utilized for surface restoration of a closed drilling pit at the above referenced well site. Records indicate the well bore was plugged in 1988.

The plan is approved as submitted. Please provide the OCD with a copy of any analyses that may be performed during the restoration project. If any of the pit contents are to be excavated, please notify the OCD.

Please be advised that NMOCD acceptance and/or approval of documents or work plan proposals does not relieve the operator of liability should their operations have failed to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that pose a threat to ground water, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition NMOCD acceptance and/or approval of documents or work plan proposals does not relieve the operator of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, local laws and/or regulations.

If I can be of assistance in this matter, my contact information is listed below.

Sincerely,

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