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PIT REMEDIATION AND CLOSURE REPORT

Operator: Devon Energy Corporation Telephone: (505) 324-0033
Address: 3300 North Butler Avenue, Suite 211, Farmington, NM 87401
Facility Or: N.E. Blanco Unit # 24 A
Well Name _____
Location: Unit or Qtr/Qtr Sec I Sec 17 T 30N R 7 W County Rio Arriba
Pit Type: Separator _____ Dehydrator X Other Production Tank
Land Type: BLM _____ State X Fee _____ Other _____

Pit Location: Pit dimensions: Length 15 ft, width 15 ft, depth 2 ft
(Attach diagram)
Reference: wellhead X other _____
Footage from reference: 75 ft
Direction from reference: 90 Degrees X East North X
West South _____

Depth to Ground Water: (vertical distance from contaminants to seasonal highwater elevation of ground water)	_____	Less than 50 feet	(20 points)	
	_____	50 ft to 99 feet	(10 points)	
	<u>X</u>	Greater than 100 feet	(0 points)	<u>0</u>
Wellhead Protection Area: (less than 200 feet from a private domestic water source, or: less than 1000 feet from all other water sources).	_____	Yes	(20 points)	
	<u>X</u>	No	(0 points)	<u>0</u>
Distance to Surface Water: (Horizontal distance to perennial lakes, ponds, rivers, streams, creeks, irrigation canals and ditches.)	_____	Less than 200 feet	(20 points)	
	<u>X</u>	200 feet to 1000 feet	(10 points)	
	_____	Greater than 1000 feet	(0 points)	<u>10</u>

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RANKING SCORE (TOTAL POINTS): 10

Date Remediation Started: 8/27/96 Date Completed: 8/27/96

Excavation NA Approx. cubic yards _____

Landfarmed NA Insitu Bioremediation _____

Other _____

Remediation Method: Onsite NA Offsite _____

(Check all appropriate
sections)

General Description of Remedial Action : A fiberglass pit was installed in 1995 into the original earthen pit. Samples were extracted from the original pit area. Bedrock was encountered at depths of 3 1/2 and 4 feet, thereby determining vertical extent. Although analysis above the bedrock were above closure standards, there is little to no risk to human health or environment.

Ground Water Encountered: No X Yes _____ Depth _____

Final Pit:

Closure Sampling:
(if multiple samples,
attach sample results
and diagram of sample
locations and depths)

Sample location Center of pit

Sample depth 4' below ground level

Sample date 8/27/96 Sample time 14:35

Sample Results

Benzene(ppm) _____

Total BTEX (PPM) _____

Field Headspace (ppm) 17.4

TPH 1850 ppm

Ground Water Sample: Yes _____ No X (if yes, attach sample results)

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION ABOVE IS TRUE AND COMPLETED TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF.

DATE 2-27-98 PRINTED NAME Jim Abbey

SIGNATURE James K. Abbey and TITLE Operations Engineer

FIELD PIT SITE ASSESSMENT FORM

1750' FSL / 870' FEL

GENERAL

Meter: _____ Location: NE BLANKO UNIT NO. 24A
 Operator #: _____ Operator Name Blum P/L District: _____
 Coordinates: Letter: _____ Section 17 Township: Nichols Range: 7W
 Or Latitude _____ Longitude _____
 Pit Type: Dehydrator X Location Drip: _____ Line Drip: _____ Other: SEP
 Site Assessment Date: 22 Aug 96 Area: _____ Run: _____

SITE ASSESSMENT

NMOCD Zone:

(From NMOCD
Maps)

Inside

Outside

Land Type:

BLM ☐ (1)
 State ☒ (2)
 Fee ☐ (3)
 Indian _____

☒ (1)

☒ (2)

Depth to Groundwater

Less Than 50 Feet (20 points)

☐ (1)

50 Ft to 99 Ft (10 points)

☐ (2)

Greater Than 100 Ft (0 points)

☒ (3)

Wellhead Protection Area :

Is it less than 1000 ft from wells, springs, or other sources of fresh water extraction? , or ; Is it less than 200 ft from a private domestic water source? ☐ (1) YES (20 points) ☒ (2) NO (0 points)

Horizontal Distance to Surface Water Body

Less Than 200 Ft (20 points)

☐ (1)

200 Ft to 1000 Ft (10 points)

☒ (2)

Greater Than 1000 Ft (0 points)

☐ (3)

Name of Surface Water Body Navajo Reservoir

(Surface Water Body : Perennial Rivers, Major Wash, Streams, Creeks, Irrigation Canals, Ditches, Lakes, Ponds)

Distance to Nearest Ephemeral Stream ☐ (1) < 100' (Navajo Pits Only)

☒ (2) > 100'

TOTAL HAZARD RANKING SCORE: 10 POINTS

MARKS

Remarks : _____

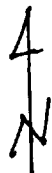
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ORIGINAL PIT LOCATION

Original Pit : a) Degrees from North 90°E Footage from Wellhead 75'

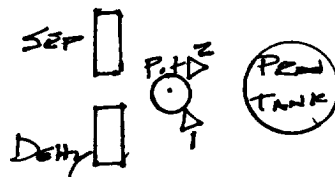
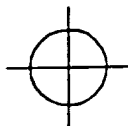
Fiber glass P.I. b) Length : _____ Width : _____ Depth : _____

Diameter = 8' H₂O = 4'



20'

Δ: Sample points



Remarks :

Soil is Brown, Slightly Moist, Silty Sand.

BEDROCK WAS ENCOUNTERED @ 4' ON SAMPLE SITE #1

@ 3'6" @ SAMPLE SITE #2. SOME GRAY STAINING

@ 3'9" OF SAMPLE #1.

SAMPLE #1 @ 4' : OVM = 17.4 ppm

SAMPLE #2 @ 3'6" : OVM = 3.3 ppm

TPH OF SAMPLE #1 @ 2:35 PM

(419.1)

Completed By:

Signature

Date

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**FIELD MODIFIED EPA METHOD 418.1
TOTAL PETROLEUM HYDROCARBONS**

Client:	Cimarron/Blackwood-Nichols	Project #:	
Sample ID:	@ 1435	Date Analyzed:	8-27-96
Project Location:	NEBU 24A	Date Reported:	8-27-96
Laboratory Number:	TPH #1802	Sample Matrix:	Soil

Parameter -----	Result, mg/kg -----	Detection Limit, mg/kg -----
Total Recoverable Petroleum Hydrocarbons	1,850	50

ND = Not Detectable at stated detection limits.

QA/QC:	QA/QC Sample TPH mg/kg -----	Duplicate TPH mg/kg -----	% *Diff. -----
	1,420	1,344	5

*Administrative Acceptance limits set at 30%.

Method: Modified Method 418.1, Petroleum Hydrocarbons, Total Recoverable, Chemical Analysis of Water and Waste, USEPA Storet No.4551, 1978

Comments: Cimarron - Frank McDonald

R. E. O'Hall
Analyst

J. C. Blagg
Review