

NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS and NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

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September 13, 2000

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Orville Slaughter 2626 Adams Street Denver, CO 80205-4812

RE: Sangre De Cristo #4 Pit Closure

Dear Mr. Slaughter:

The New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (OCD) has reviewed the pit closure for Orville Slaughter (Slaughter) submitted by Onsite Technologies, LTD under cover letter dated April 27, 2000. OCD approves the pit closure of at the Slaughter Sangre De Cristo #4, Sep-Tank Drain Pit at G-29-29N-10W.

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

Yours truly,

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