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Conoco, Inc.  
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Farmington, NM 87402

RE: Illegal Pits in Northwestern New Mexico  
Reid C #1, N-13-29N-12W (Dehydrator pit)  
Reid #1, M-13-29N-12W (Separator pit-net is sagging into pit)

To Whom It May Concern:

New Mexico Oil Conservation Order R-8952 (for the protection of migratory birds) became effective June 15, 1989 and states that all pits and open tanks more than 16' in diameter shall be screened, netted or covered.

On February 4, 1993 field inspections revealed that the above mentioned pits contained water with skim oil. In order for these pits to be in compliance, you are hereby directed to remove all oil or properly net these pits by March 15, 1993.

If you have any questions please feel free to call this office.

Sincerely,

*Dianna K. Fairhurst*

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Deputy Oil & Gas Inspector

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Well File  
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