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Subject: Remediation Plan (1R427-152) EME Citation Devonian Vent G-20 Site

**RE: Termination Request
for the Rice Operating Company's
EME Citation Devonian Vent G-20 Site
Unit Letter G, Section 20, T21S, R36E, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico
Remediation Plan (1R427-152) Termination**

Dear Mr. Conder:

The New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (OCD) has received Rice Operating Company's report and request to close the above-referenced site, dated July 19, 2013 (and additional information, dated October 15, 2013). The report is acceptable to the OCD.

The above-referenced report, submitted in accordance with 19.15.29 NMAC (Rule 29; formally, Rule 116), indicates that Rice Operating Company has met the requirements of 19.15.29 NMAC; therefore, the OCD approves the report and hereby notifies you that the remediation plan (1R427-152) is terminated in accordance with 19.15.29 NMAC.

Please be advised that OCD approval of this report does not relieve the owner/operator of responsibility should operations pose a threat to ground water, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, OCD approval does not relieve the owner/operator of responsibility for compliance with any OCD, federal, state, or local laws and/or regulations.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact me at 505-476-3492.

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