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Sent: Wednesday, September 12, 2012 1:50 PM
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Subject: Remediation Plan (1R426-286) Termination - ROC BD Jct G-23 Site

**RE: CAP Report and Termination Request
for the Rice Operating Company's
BD Jct G-23 Site
Unit Letter G, Section 23, T22S, R37E, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico
Remediation Plan (1R426-286) 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 August 27, 2012 (received August 29, 2012). 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 (1R426-286) 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 505-476-3489.

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From: Hansen, Edward J., EMNRD
Sent: Wednesday, March 21, 2012 4:52 PM
To: Hack Conder
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Subject: Corrective Action Plan (1R426-286) Approval

**RE: Report of Further Investigation and CAP for the Rice Operating Company's
BD Jct G-23 Site
Unit Letter G, Section 23, T22S, R37E, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico
Corrective Action Plan (1R426-286) Approval**

Dear Mr. Conder:

The New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (OCD) has received the Corrective Action Plan for the BD Jct G-23 Site, dated March 19, 2012, and has conducted a review of the Plan. The Plan indicates that Rice Operating Company (ROC) has met the requirements of 19.15.29 NMAC (Rule 29; formerly, Rule 116) for a remediation plan. Therefore, the OCD hereby conditionally approves the Corrective Action Plan as proposed for above-referenced site in accordance with 19.15.29 NMAC:

ROC must submit to the OCD a report of the corrective actions (including an additional demonstration that groundwater will not be impacted above WQCC standards) within 180 days.

Please be advised that OCD approval of this plan 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.

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