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QUESTIONNAIRE

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Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

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APRIL 15, 2013

Mr. Glen Thompson
EPNG
1550 Windway
Odessa, TX 79763

Dear Mr. Thompson:

Based on your responses given in the "Oil & Gas Facilities Questionnaire for Determination of a WQCC Discharge Permit" and a file review, the Oil Conservation Division (OCD) has determined that several of your facilities with an expired or soon to be expired permit do not require a Water Quality Control Commission (WQCC) Discharge Permit. This means that WQCC Discharge Permits **GW-151 (EPNG - Eunice B CS)**, **GW-379 (EPNG - Eunice C CS)**, and **GW-147 (EPNG - Deming CS)** are hereby terminated and you are not required to proceed with the renewal of these expired or soon to expire WQCC Discharge Permit. OCD will close these permits in its database.

Because these WQCC Discharge Permits are no longer valid, you may be required to obtain a separate permit(s) for other processes at your facility, such as: pits, ponds, impoundments, below-grade tanks; waste treatment, storage and disposal operations; and landfarms and landfills. OCD will make an inspection of your facility to determine if any of these existing processes may require a separate permit under OCD's Oil, Gas, and Geothermal regulations. If OCD determines that a separate permit(s) is required, then a letter will be sent to you indicating what type of permit is required.

Please keep in mind, if your facility has any discharges that would require a WQCC Discharge Permit now or in the future, then you will be required to renew or obtain a WQCC Discharge Permit. If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Glenn von Gonten at 505-476-3488.

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Thank you for your cooperation.

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Jami Bailey
Director

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May 12, 2011

Oil & Gas Facilities Questionnaire for Determination of a WQCC Discharge Permit

Only Water Quality Control Commission- regulated systems will be incorporated into the OCD's WQCC Permits, while OCD regulated systems will be handled under separate permit(s). A current discharge permit is valid until its normal expiration date or November 15, 2012, whichever is later. All facilities with processes subject to the Water Quality Act must have permits in place by November 16, 2012. H2S Contingency Plans; pits, ponds, above and/or below-grade tanks; waste treatment, storage and disposal; and landfarms and landfills may require separate permitting under the OCD Oil, Gas, and Geothermal regulations.

Proper completion and timely submission of this questionnaire is requested for all facilities with discharge permit expiration dates before November 15, 2012. Please complete and submit a separate questionnaire for each facility before July 15, 2011.

• **Name of the owner or operator of the facility**
El Paso Natural Gas Company

• **Point of contact**

Name Glen Thompson
Telephone (432) 333-5518
Email glen_thompson@kindermorgan.com
Mailing address 1550 Windway, Odessa, TX 79763

• **Facility name** Eunice C Compressor Station

• **Facility location**

Unit Letter, Section, Township, Range: SE ¼ of NW ¼ [Lot 6] of Sec. 5, T21S, R36E
Street address (if any): Approx. 11 miles northwest of Eunice, NM and 1 mile west of State Hwy. 8. (adjacent to Eunice B).

• **Facility type** Refinery Gas Plant Compressor
 Crude Oil Pump Station Injection Well Service Company
 Geothermal Abatement
 Other (describe) _____

• **Current and Past Operations** (please check all that apply)
 Impoundments Treatment Plant Waterflood

- Does the facility incorporate any underground lines other than electrical conduits, freshwater, natural gas for heating, or sanitary sewers? Yes No

If so, what do those buried lines contain?

[Used oil and wash water drain line.](#)

THIS FORM IS DUE TO THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION BY JULY 15, 2011.

Questions? Please contact Glenn VonGonten at 505-476-3488 or Carl Chavez at 505-476-3490.

Thank you for your cooperation.

JAMI BAILEY
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December 7, 2012

Mr. Glen Thompson
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Dear Mr. Thompson:

The Oil Conservation Division's (OCD) records indicate that the following Water Quality Control Commission (WQCC) Discharge Permit has already expired or will soon expire.

GW-379	Eunice C Compressor Station
GW-151	Eunice B Compressor Station
GW-147	Deming Compressor Station

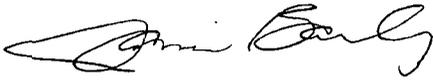
OCD has revised its permitting policies. These changes may affect the renewal of your discharge permit(s). Please submit an "Oil & Gas Facilities Questionnaire for Determination of a WQCC Discharge Permit" for each of your facilities (see attachment and OCD's "Notifications and Announcements" at <http://www.emnrd.state.nm.us/ocd>). Please submit the completed Questionnaires within 30 days of your receipt of this letter. Based on your response, OCD will determine whether you will need to submit a discharge permit renewal. If OCD determines that you no longer are required to operate under a WQCC Discharge Permit, you may be required to obtain a separate permit(s) for other processes at your facility, such as: pits, ponds, impoundments, below-grade tanks; waste treatment, storage and disposal operations; and landfarms and landfills. OCD will determine if any of these existing processes may require a separate permit under OCD's Oil, Gas, and Geothermal regulations. If OCD determines that a separate permit(s) is required, then a letter will be sent to you indicating what type of permit is required.

Please keep in mind, if your facility has any discharges that would require a WQCC Discharge Permit now or in the future, then you will be required to renew or obtain a WQCC Discharge Permit.

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Attachment