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Please find correspondence with the OCD received this morning.

Sent from my iPhone

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From: "Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD" <<u>mike.bratcher@state.nm.us</u>> Date: August 10, 2010 11:10:51 AM CDT To: Will Gray <<u>willg@doralenergycorp.com</u>> Subject: West Artesia Grayburg 004 Release

Reference: Doral Energy Corp. * West Artesia Grayburg 004 * 30-015-02648 * E-8-18s-28e * Eddy County, New Mexico

Mr. Gray,

An OCD inspection of the above referenced site has resulted in the discovery of an unreported release of produced fluids having originated from this well site. The well was apparently being flowed back into a portable steel (frac/workover) tank. At some point, the tank was overflowed causing the release. Fluids ran from the tank, out on to the well pad as well as across the adjacent pasture. The flow continued in a Southwest direction, crossing and running down County Road 232 (Buckaroo Rd.) and into the pasture on the South side of that county road.

This release was discovered by OCD personnel on July 21, 2010.

At this time, OCD is requesting a Form C-141 be submitted to the District 2 Office as required by Rule 19.15.29 [NMAC].

In addition, OCD is requesting a remediation proposal be submitted to the District 2 Office. The proposal is to be formulated based on <u>vertical and horizontal delineation</u> of contaminants in the area affected by the release, site ranking, and OCD rules, regulations and guidelines. This proposal is to be submitted to OCD not later than, August 25, 2010.

OCD is to be notified 48 hours prior to commencement of delineation/remedial actions. OCD is also to be notified 48 hours prior to obtaining samples where analyses of samples obtained are being submitted to OCD.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me.

Mike Bratcher

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