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September 25, 2007

Ms. Deborah Edwards deborah.a.edwards@exxonmobil.com
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Houston, TX 77520

Re: Remediation Work Plan Approval: Mobil State ZZ
 Site Reference Sec-7 T-17S R-35E
 Initial C-141 Dated: January 28, 2005
 Reported Spill Occurrence Date: July 18, 2003
 Request Plan Dated: July 25, 2007

Dear Ms. Edwards,

The Remediation Plan Proposal submitted to the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (OCD) by Conestoga-Rovers & Associates (CRA) for ExxonMobil R&F (EM) is **hereby approved** for 90 days with the following considerations:

- 48 hour notification to OCD prior to initiation of work activity
- 48 hour notification to OCD prior to final sampling events
- Backfill material will be tested for chlorides, submitted to OCD for approval prior to commencing backfill operation

Please be advised that OCD approval of this plan does not relieve EM Pipeline of responsibility should their operations fail to adequately investigate contaminants that threaten ground water, surface water, human health or the environment. Additionally, OCD approval does not relieve EM of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, or local laws and/or regulations.

If you have any questions or need assistance please call (505) 393-6161, x111 or e-mail larry.johnson@state.nm.us

Sincerely,

Larry Johnson - Environmental Engineer

Cc: Wayne Price – Environmental Bureau Chief
 Chris Williams - District I Supervisor
 Gail MacQuestin – OCD Attorney

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