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**GENERAL
CORRESPONDENCE**

2008 - Present

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From: Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD
Sent: Tuesday, December 09, 2008 9:51 AM
To: Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD
Subject: Majority Services (GW-389) Note to File

Voice mail msg. from Norma received in office today. Norma was calling for Mary (Lino Chacon's Wife).

The OCD had received a check for \$100 filing fee from company, but without an application. After calling last Friday and talking to Lino, he said his wife would contact me this week. Majority had informed me they were obtaining an environmental consultant to submit their application. Today, however, it appears that they will be attempting to complete the application.

I asked Norma when the OCD could expect to receive the application? She didn't know and I said I would call Mary tomorrow morning at 575-397-0608 to obtain a submittal date for the new discharge permit application for an oil service company. I also showed Norma on-online where to find the application and guidance to assist in the completion of the discharge permit application.

End: 9:47

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Carl was the last correspondence by certified mail?

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Subject: Majority Services Call Today

Wayne:

Lino Chacon's phone number is 575-390-8449. Can we call this a.m..?

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Subject: Majority Services
Location: Wayne's Office

Start: Wed 10/1/2008 12:00 AM
End: Thu 10/2/2008 12:00 AM
Show Time As: Free

Recurrence: (none)

Meeting Status: Meeting organizer

Required Attendees: Price, Wayne, EMNRD; Macquesten, Gail, EMNRD

Did Lino Chacon did not submit discharge permit application for oil service company. What do we want to do next?

Letter of Violation to further document non-compliance with OCD DP requirement and/or delist Majority from C-133 List?
Let me know. Thnx.

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Sent: Tuesday, September 16, 2008 8:09 AM
To: Macquesten, Gail, EMNRD
Cc: Sanchez, Daniel J., EMNRD; Price, Wayne, EMNRD; VonGonten, Glenn, EMNRD
Subject: FW: Majority Services Discharge Plan Application Deadline Missed

Gail:

One recommendation that I have is to revoke Majority Service's OCD C-133 Authorization and send a letter informing Majority that it is not allowed to perform oil service work in New Mexico until they apply for an OCD Oil Service Company discharge permit.

Ancillary issues: Class V well on leased property; neighbor issues (could OCD request permission to access property to sample for chlorides to substantiate neighbor concerns?), etc. Thanks.

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Sent: Tuesday, August 19, 2008 10:13 AM
To: 'linochacon@valornet.com'
Subject: Majority Services Discharge Permit Application 9/2/2008

Lino:

Good morning. I hope you are working the discharge permit application that we have spoken about. Please submit your application by September 2, 2008 so we may issue a draft permit for the facility that will address recent complaints. Thanks.

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To: Johnson, Larry, EMNRD; Lowe, Leonard, EMNRD
Subject: RE: GW-372, Eunice facility

Larry:

I think you have the latest on the Arrowhead complaint. They will need to berm the west side of their property to prevent runoff. I was going to have Majority Service's sample for chlorides, but Wayne wanted to proceed in a fashion described previously. Sorry. Thanks.

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Leonard/Carl,

Is there a permit for the Majority Trucking on Broadway Street in Hobbs? This is the place where the contamination ran off the truck yard onto the adjacent facility to the west. Rains over the last few days have repeated the same spill pattern. Arrowhead is up in arms. I have no info as it was all on the L drive that Proudly demanded we delete.

Larry

From: Lowe, Leonard, EMNRD
Sent: Monday, August 18, 2008 3:12 PM
To: Philley, Ted
Cc: Johnson, Larry, EMNRD
Subject: GW-372, Eunice facility

Mr. Ted Philley,

Here is the inspection letter for the Eunice facility.

I have received your previous e-mail on the sump dimensions.

Leonard,

The wash rack sumps at the Key Eunice truck yard are 240 gallons each.

- 1 2' x 4' x 4' = 32 cubic feet
- 1 32 cubic feet x 7.48051945 US gallons / cubic foot = 240 gallons

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These sumps are identified as "small" sumps and are covered by the permit conditions. Ensure that they are tested and inspected annually. See permit conditions.

The Eunice facility is in good standing.

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Leonard Lowe

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Subject: RE: Majority Trucking

Carl, Call Larry and let him know our intentions.

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Subject: Majority Trucking

Hi – Is the EB working on a case involving a release at the Majority Trucking yard? This matter originated as a possible NOV out of the Hobbs district back when Cheryl was working here. She drafted the NOV, but it doesn't appear that the Hobbs office ever sent it out. My notes say that the EB was going to look at the situation and maybe get a discharge plan in place, and deal with the release as part of that. Is that what is going on?

Larry Johnson called this morning and said that the situation down there is getting worse.

Let me know if EB isn't working on this, I can ask Hobbs to start the NOV process again.

Thanks- Gail

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Subject: Majority Services & Discharge Permit

Mr. Chacon:

Good afternoon. I am writing to follow-up with you on the discharge permit for the above subject oil service company. As we had discussed on June 17, 2008 and on the telephone the other day when I told you that the OCD is requiring a discharge permit at your facility, there is educational material available to oil service companies and I want to utilize the Internet to provide you with some preliminary links to help you understand the regulations, forms, guidance, etc. that the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (OCD) makes available to oil service companies. Please find some educational links below to begin understanding the process.

OCD Regulations (you may be interested in "pit closure" or "evaporation ponds" ... "transporters" ...):
http://www.emnrd.state.nm.us/ocd/documents/RULEBOOK2008-06-16_002.pdf (note: click on the binocular on the left to search for "Oil field Service" or other key words of interest to your operations)

OCD Forms
<http://www.emnrd.state.nm.us/ocd/Forms.htm>
(you would be interested in the unnumbered form, "Discharge Plan Application for Service Companies,.....")
Often times, an oil service company will hire a consultant to address the questions on the form.

Discharge Permit Guidance (Guidelines for the Preparation of Discharge Plans at Oil Service Facilities)
<http://www.emnrd.state.nm.us/ocd/documents/6Bofsguid.pdf>

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Guidelines for Remediation of Leaks, Spills and Releases
http://www.emnrd.state.nm.us/ocd/documents/7C_spill1.pdf

Sample Discharge Permit w/ Public Notice Information

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I hope you will take the time to visit the above Internet links to see if it makes sense to you. Please contact me if you have questions or I can assist you with any questions you may have on the discharge permit process and the above information. Remember, you don't have to wait for a letter from me to begin the completion of the discharge permit application with a submittal. Thank you for your cooperation.

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Larry:

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Subject: RE: Majority Trucking Yard

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Status is as follows:

The NOV was never issued due to Cheryl's priority and time constraints. Yes, a discharge permit needs to be developed for the site and I can work on that if Wayne decides we need to do it. More recently, we have been discussing the site with Mikal and Daniel. Mikal's concern(s) is that we may not have enough documentation of non-compliance to pursue an NOV and we are in the process of checking with Larry who would like to see enforcement action brought against Majority.

Larry, I sent you an e-mail with Mikal's question of whether there is enough documentation of non-compliance at the facility, but we have not received a reply to the msg. Please respond now if you wish to present a case for OCD Attorney's to prioritize. I have no records other than the draft NOV, analytical data and notes that we worked on with Cheryl and folders created for Majority Trucking at L:\Hobbs\Targa\Inspections (see "Majority"). Thanks.

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I have some notes in my file saying that the Environmental Bureau thought that Majority should have a discharge plan.

Does anyone know what the situation is? Are we still working with them on anything, or may I close the file.

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Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD

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Sent: Friday, June 13, 2008 10:21 AM
To: Macquesten, Gail, EMNRD; Johnson, Larry, EMNRD
Cc: Sanchez, Daniel J., EMNRD; Price, Wayne, EMNRD; Altomare, Mikal, EMNRD
Subject: RE: Majority Trucking Yard

Gail:

Status is as follows:

The NOV was never issued due to Cheryl's priority and time constraints. Yes, a discharge permit needs to be developed for the site and I can work on that if Wayne decides we need to do it. More recently, we have been discussing the site with Mikal and Daniel. Mikal's concern(s) is that we may not have enough documentation of non-compliance to pursue an NOV and we are in the process of checking with Larry who would like to see enforcement action brought against Majority.

Larry, I sent you an e-mail with Mikal's question of whether there is enough documentation of non-compliance at the facility, but we have not received a reply to the msg. Please respond now if you wish to present a case for OCD Attorney's to prioritize. I have no records other than the draft NOV, analytical data and notes that we worked on with Cheryl and folders created for Majority Trucking at L:\Hobbs\Targa\Inspections (see "Majority"). Thanks.

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July 31, 2008

Mr. Lino Chacon
Majority Services
1416 W. Broadway
Hobbs, New Mexico 88240

**Re: Discharge Plan Permit Application
Majority Services- Oil Service Company
N 32.69786 W 103.15353
Lea County, New Mexico**

Dear Mr. Chacon:

The New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (NMOCD) completed an inspection of the Majority Services Facility (oil service company) located in Hobbs, New Mexico on June 17, 2008. The NMOCD identified some corrective action items that were discussed with you that day (see attachment). Most significant, an Underground Injection Control (UIC) Class V Injection Well (well) was identified in your mechanic shop. The NMOCD is tasked with closing Class V wells that discharge or have the potential to discharge chemicals into a drinking water aquifer and/or pose a public health threat. The NMOCD hereby requires the well to be properly plugged and abandoned within 30 days of receipt of this letter. The NMOCD was delegated authority over its UIC Program for Class I, III, IV and V UIC Wells on July 11, 1983 under §1422 48FR31640. The NMOCD was delegated authority by the Water Quality Control Commission (WQCC) over its State UIC Program (20.6.2.5000-5299 NMAC) on July 21, 1989.

On July 16, 2008, the NMOCD sent you an e-mail with Internet links to more information related to the inspection with a draft discharge permit (see attachment) and discharge permit information to allow you to preview the type of inspection items that are included in a NMOCD discharge permit. In the e-mail, the NMOCD determined that your facility requires a discharge permit under the Water Quality Control Commission (WQCC) 20.6.2 NMAC.

The NMOCD hereby requires Majority Services to conduct corrective actions identified from the inspection of your facility within 90 days (exception the Class V Well discussed above) and to submit a discharge permit application with \$100 filing fee made out to the "Water Quality Management Fund" within 30 days of receipt of this letter. The NMOCD recommends that you contact an environmental consultant familiar with the NMOCD discharge permit process to assist you with the discharge permit application. Please submit documentation of compliance with the above within the specified timeframes.



Mr. Lino Chacon
Majority Services
October 31, 2008
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If there are any questions regarding this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me at (505) 476-3491 or carlj.chavez@state.nm.us. On behalf of the staff of the NMOCD, I wish to thank you and your staff for your cooperation during the inspection.

Sincerely,

Wayne Price
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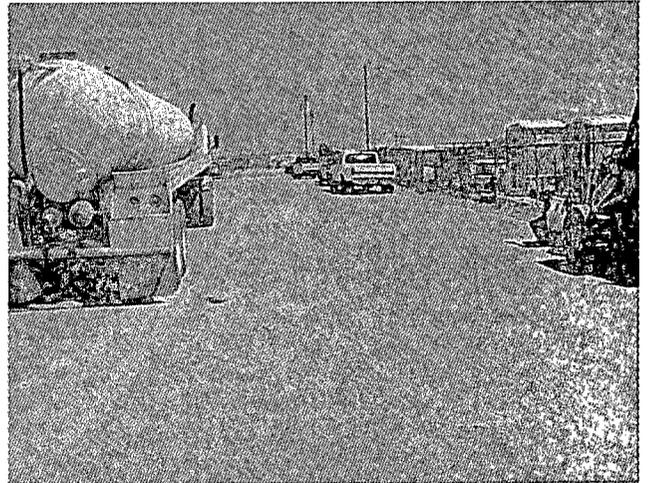
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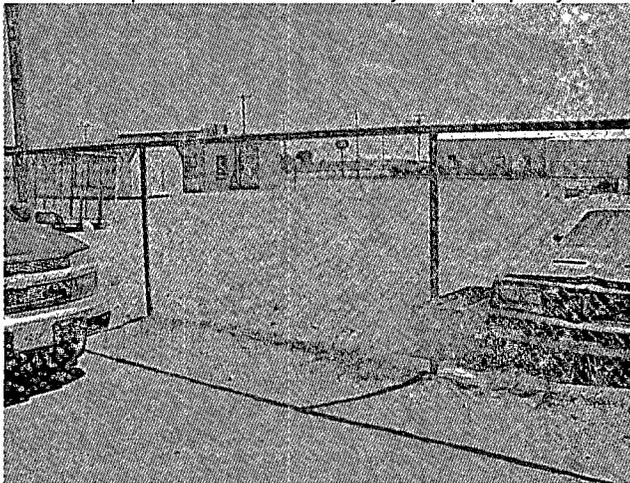
Majority Services OCD Inspection
June 17, 2008



Looking SW along W. fence line. Needs to be bermed to prevent runoff onto adjacent property.



Looking S-SW along western fence line.



Looking SW Low spot along west fence line.

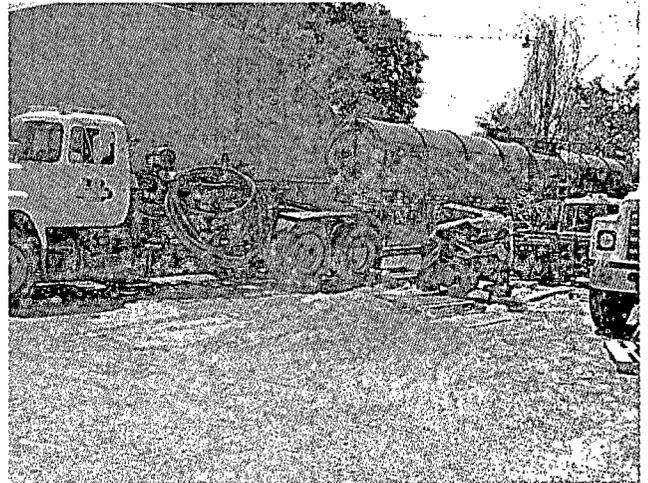
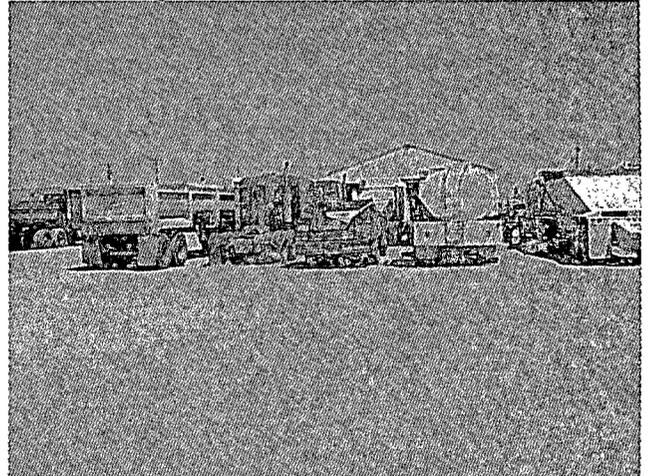


Photo looking NW corner of property. Ok.



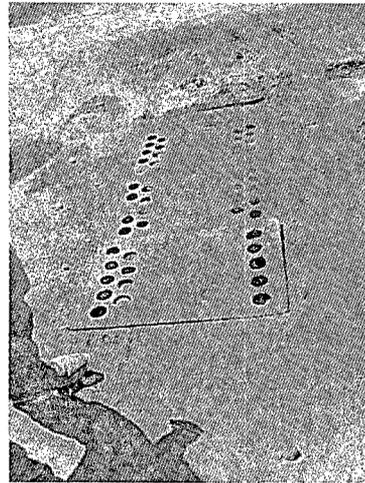
Looking N at trucks in yard. Ok.



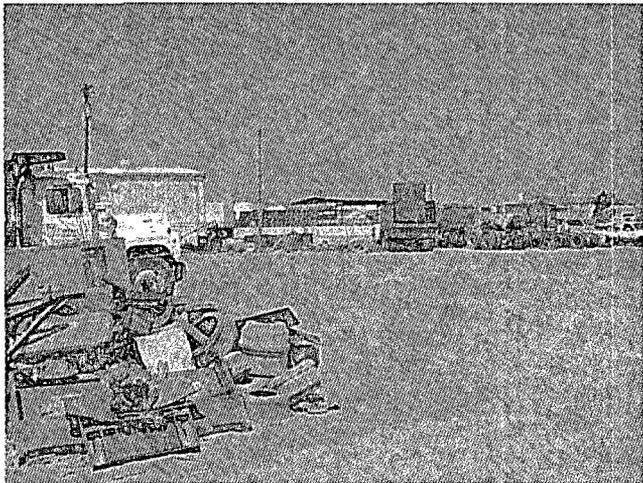
Looking N at mechanic shop from S end of truck yard.



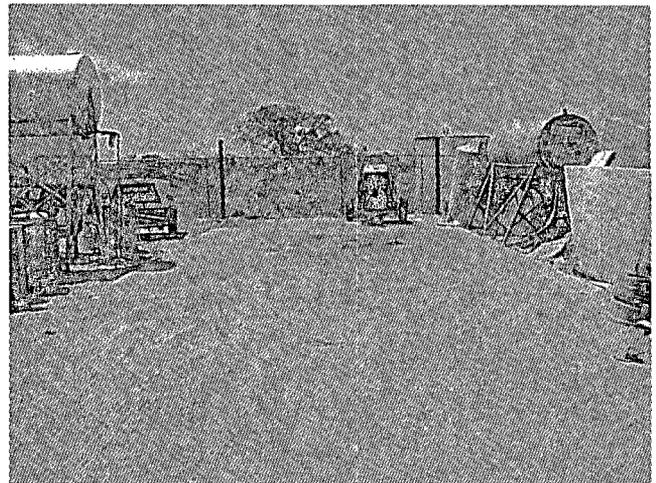
Centralized drum storage area w/ sump or secondary containment required to store empty and full drum w/ chemicals.



Closed cement sump system at diesel refueling area. Evacuate to prevent overflow & release.



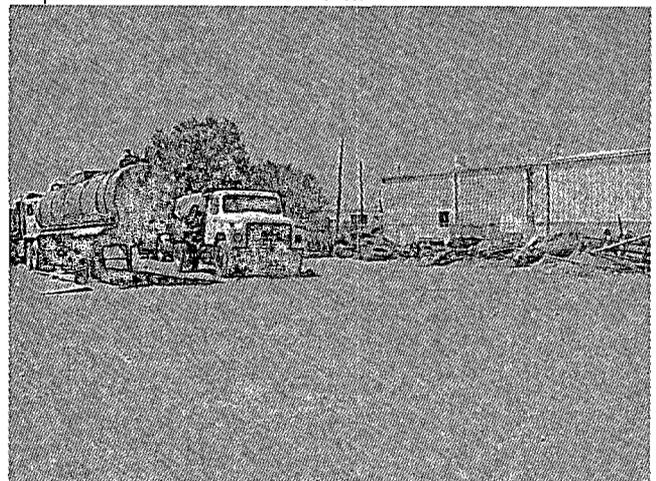
Looking NW across truck yard. Debris (junk, tires, etc.) removal needed- housekeeping.



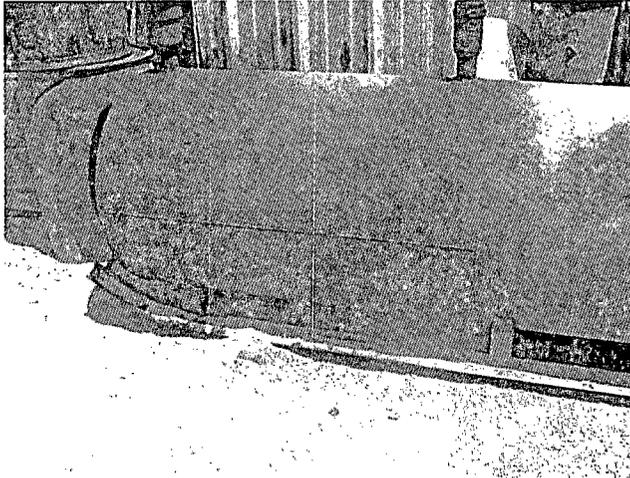
Looking E from N end of property. Water puddle in background. Identify & remove stained soils in yard- housekeeping. Secondary containment required beneath all saddle tanks.



Secondary containment required beneath all saddle tanks containing chemicals.



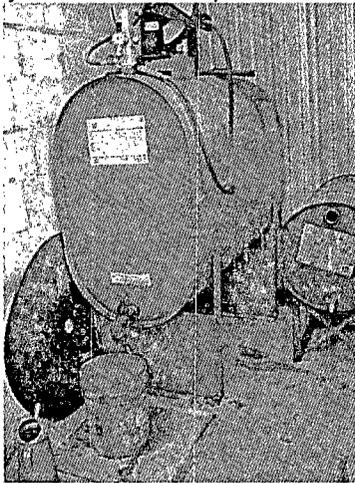
Looking N-NE across truck yard. Ok.



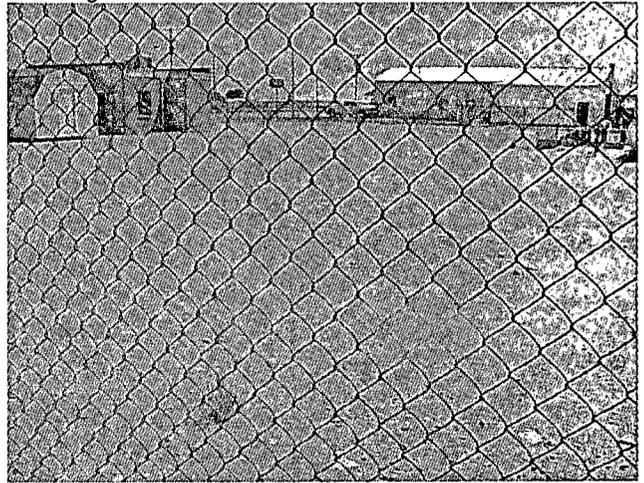
Secondary containment required beneath tank.



Looking NW at tree kill area from distance.



Secondary containment required beneath all tanks containing chemicals.



Looking SW into adjacent property owner's yard.



Underground Injection Control (UIC) EPA Class V Well where chemicals may leach into the Ogallala drinking water aquifer beneath the facility.



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October 23, 2008

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Registered Mail: 7001 1940 0004 7923 1039

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Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD

From: Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD
Sent: Wednesday, October 22, 2008 4:52 PM
To: Price, Wayne, EMNRD
Cc: Macquesten, Gail, EMNRD
Subject: RE: Majority Services (Hobbs) Update Note to File
Attachments: Applic Letter 10-23-2008.tif

Wayne:

Please find registered letter to be mailed out tomorrow morning. A signature is required. New deadline November 24, 2008.

Thank you.

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Subject: RE: Majority Services (Hobbs) Update Note to File

Carl was the last correspondence by certified mail?

From: Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD
Sent: Wednesday, October 22, 2008 11:38 AM
To: Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD
Cc: Price, Wayne, EMNRD; Macquesten, Gail, EMNRD
Subject: RE: Majority Services (Hobbs) Update Note to File

Wayne and Gail:

Mr. Chacon did not respond by October 17, 2008. I recommend for starters delisting Majority from the OCD C-133 Transporter List, but perhaps we need a final letter with the OCD's disposition of the situation. Let me know. Gail, to look through the file to understand the nature of Majority and OCD efforts, please go to: <L:\HOBBS\Targa\Inspections\Majority\DP> , <L:\HOBBS\Targa\Inspections\NOV\C-EMajority> , <L:\HOBBS\Targa\Inspections\Photos\Majority>, and <L:\HOBBS\Targa\Inspections\Analytical Data Results\Majority Trucking> This should bring you up to speed on OCD District and Santa Fe efforts in this possible case.

Please contact me if you have questions. Thanks.

Carl J. Chavez, CHMM
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To: Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD
Cc: Price, Wayne, EMNRD; Macquesten, Gail, EMNRD; Johnson, Larry, EMNRD
Subject: Majority Services (Hobbs) Update Note to File

Mr. Lino Chacon was contacted by Wayne Price and Carl Chavez this morning at around 8:35 a.m. to inquire about the status of his oil service discharge permit application (application) based on the recent OCD letter dated July 31, 2008 (letter).

He didn't feel he was doing oil field service work anymore; however, based on his description of work, the OCD requested the application again. He appeared to be considering the option to go back into the oil field business in the future and is aware that he may continue to use his C-133 listing if he decides to continue providing oil field services. In order to help him respond to the OCD letter, Mr. Chacon requested a fax of the previous OCD letter dated July 31, 2008 letter and prior e-mail dated July 16, 2008, sent to him (linochacon@valornet.com) by Carl Chavez with links to information on the discharge permit process, regulations, etc. requesting an application. Carl Chavez agreed to fax the information today.

Mr. Chacon was given 2-weeks to respond to the OCD letter or by Friday, October 17, 2008. He verbally stated that he would respond on/or before this date. Ok.

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COVER LETTER

Wednesday, September 20, 2006

Carl Chavez
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
1625 N. French Dr
Hobbs, NM 88240

TEL: (505) 393-6161
FAX (505) 393-0720

RE: Majority Trucking

Order No.: 0609075

Dear Carl Chavez:

Hall Environmental Analysis Laboratory, Inc. received 2 sample(s) on 9/8/2006 for the analyses presented in the following report.

These were analyzed according to EPA procedures or equivalent.

Reporting limits are determined by EPA methodology. No determination of compounds below these (denoted by the ND or < sign) has been made.

Please don't hesitate to contact HEAL for any additional information or clarifications.

Sincerely,



Andy Freeman, Business Manager
Nancy McDuffie, Laboratory Manager

AZ license # AZ0682
ORELAP Lab # NM100001



Hall Environmental Analysis Laboratory, Inc.

Date: 20-Sep-06

CLIENT:	New Mexico Oil Conservation Division	Client Sample ID:	MT 06-08-29-001
Lab Order:	0609075	Collection Date:	8/29/2006 9:34:00 AM
Project:	Majority Trucking	Date Received:	9/8/2006
Lab ID:	0609075-01	Matrix:	SOIL

Analyses	Result	PQL	Qual	Units	DF	Date Analyzed
EPA METHOD 9056A: ANIONS						
Chloride	22000	60		mg/Kg	200	9/14/2006 8:04:56 PM
EPA METHOD 7471: MERCURY						
Mercury	ND	0.033		mg/Kg	1	9/12/2006
EPA METHOD 6010B: SOIL METALS						
Arsenic	11	2.5		mg/Kg	1	9/14/2006 10:06:32 AM
Barium	720	10		mg/Kg	100	9/14/2006 9:59:21 AM
Cadmium	1.1	0.10		mg/Kg	1	9/14/2006 10:06:32 AM
Chromium	16	0.30		mg/Kg	1	9/14/2006 10:06:32 AM
Lead	99	2.5		mg/Kg	10	9/14/2006 10:01:21 AM
Selenium	ND	25		mg/Kg	10	9/14/2006 10:01:21 AM
Silver	ND	0.25		mg/Kg	1	9/19/2006 9:54:36 AM

Qualifiers:	* Value exceeds Maximum Contaminant Level	B Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank
	E Value above quantitation range	H Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded
	J Analyte detected below quantitation limits	ND Not Detected at the Reporting Limit
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Hall Environmental Analysis Laboratory, Inc.

Date: 20-Sep-06

CLIENT:	New Mexico Oil Conservation Division	Client Sample ID:	MT 06-08-29-002
Lab Order:	0609075	Collection Date:	8/29/2006 9:35:00 AM
Project:	Majority Trucking	Date Received:	9/8/2006
Lab ID:	0609075-02	Matrix:	SOIL

Analyses	Result	PQL	Qual	Units	DF	Date Analyzed
EPA METHOD 9056A: ANIONS						
Chloride	7600	60		mg/Kg	200	9/14/2006 8:39:45 PM
EPA METHOD 7471: MERCURY						
Mercury	0.071	0.033		mg/Kg	1	9/12/2006
EPA METHOD 6010B: SOIL METALS						
Arsenic	15	2.5		mg/Kg	1	9/14/2006 10:08:08 AM
Barium	700	10		mg/Kg	100	9/14/2006 10:03:12 AM
Cadmium	0.51	0.10		mg/Kg	1	9/14/2006 10:08:08 AM
Chromium	14	0.30		mg/Kg	1	9/14/2006 10:08:08 AM
Lead	130	2.5		mg/Kg	10	9/14/2006 10:04:49 AM
Selenium	ND	25		mg/Kg	10	9/14/2006 10:04:49 AM
Silver	ND	0.25		mg/Kg	1	9/19/2006 9:57:03 AM

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QA/QC SUMMARY REPORT

Client: New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
 Project: Majority Trucking

Work Order: 0609075

Analyte	Result	Units	PQL	%Rec	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
Method: SW9056A									
Sample ID: MB-11264		MBLK							
Chloride	ND	mg/Kg	0.30						
Sample ID: LCS-11264		LCS							
Chloride	14.67	mg/Kg	0.30	97.8	90	110			
Method: SW7471									
Sample ID: MB-11248		MBLK							
Mercury	ND	mg/Kg	0.033						
Sample ID: LCS-11248		LCS							
Mercury	0.1573	mg/Kg	0.033	94.4	80	120			
Method: SW6010A									
Sample ID: 0609075-02A MSD		MSD							
Arsenic	40.43	mg/Kg	2.5	103	75	125	1.85	30	
Cadmium	26.03	mg/Kg	0.10	103	75	125	0.501	30	
Chromium	33.22	mg/Kg	0.30	76.2	75	125	6.86	30	
Sample ID: 0609075-02A MSD		MSD							
Silver	27.11	mg/Kg	0.25	109	75	125	1.86	30	
Sample ID: MB-11236		MBLK							
Arsenic	ND	mg/Kg	2.5						
Barium	ND	mg/Kg	0.10						
Cadmium	ND	mg/Kg	0.10						
Chromium	ND	mg/Kg	0.30						
Lead	ND	mg/Kg	0.25						
Selenium	ND	mg/Kg	2.5						
Sample ID: MB-11236		MBLK							
Silver	ND	mg/Kg	0.25						
Sample ID: LCS-11236		LCS							
Arsenic	25.90	mg/Kg	2.5	104	80	120			
Barium	24.49	mg/Kg	0.10	98.0	80	120			
Cadmium	25.23	mg/Kg	0.10	101	80	120			
Chromium	25.46	mg/Kg	0.30	102	80	120			
Lead	24.90	mg/Kg	0.25	99.6	80	120			
Selenium	22.55	mg/Kg	2.5	90.2	80	120			
Sample ID: LCS-11236		LCS							
Silver	26.34	mg/Kg	0.25	105	80	120			
Sample ID: 0609075-02A MS		MS							
Arsenic	41.19	mg/Kg	2.5	106	75	125			
Cadmium	25.90	mg/Kg	0.10	102	75	125			
Chromium	35.58	mg/Kg	0.30	85.7	75	125			
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Sample Receipt Checklist

Client Name NMOCD HOBBS

Date and Time Received:

9/8/2006

Work Order Number 0609075

Received by AT

Checklist completed by

[Handwritten Signature]

9/8/06

Signature

Date

Matrix

Carrier name Greyhound

Shipping container/cooler in good condition?

Yes

No

Not Present

Custody seals intact on shipping container/cooler?

Yes

No

Not Present

Not Shipped

Custody seals intact on sample bottles?

Yes

No

N/A

Chain of custody present?

Yes

No

Chain of custody signed when relinquished and received?

Yes

No

Chain of custody agrees with sample labels?

Yes

No

Samples in proper container/bottle?

Yes

No

Sample containers intact?

Yes

No

Sufficient sample volume for indicated test?

Yes

No

All samples received within holding time?

Yes

No

Water - VOA vials have zero headspace?

No VOA vials submitted

Yes

No

Water - pH acceptable upon receipt?

Yes

No

N/A

Container/Temp Blank temperature?

7°

4° C ± 2 Acceptable

If given sufficient time to cool.

COMMENTS:

Client contacted _____ Date contacted: _____ Person contacted _____

Contacted by: _____ Regarding _____

Comments: _____

Corrective Action _____



COVER LETTER

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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Andy Freeman".

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Hall Environmental Analysis Laboratory, Inc.

Date: 19-Feb-07

CLIENT: New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
 Project: Majority Trucking

Lab Order: 0702029

Lab ID: 0702029-01
 Client Sample ID: AE 01-08-07-1400

Collection Date: 1/8/2007 2:00:00 PM
 Matrix: AQUEOUS

Analyses	Result	PQL	Qual	Units	DF	Date Analyzed
EPA METHOD 300.0: ANIONS						Analyst: TES
Chloride	320	2.0		mg/L	20	2/5/2007 11:56:16 AM

Lab ID: 0702029-02
 Client Sample ID: SP 01-08-07-1415

Collection Date: 1/8/2007 2:15:00 PM
 Matrix: AQUEOUS

Analyses	Result	PQL	Qual	Units	DF	Date Analyzed
EPA METHOD 300.0: ANIONS						Analyst: TES
Chloride	89000	500		mg/L	5000	2/5/2007 1:58:09 PM

Qualifiers: * Value exceeds Maximum Contaminant Level
 E Value above quantitation range
 J Analyte detected below quantitation limits
 ND Not Detected at the Reporting Limit
 S Spike recovery outside accepted recovery limits

B Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank
 H Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded
 MCL Maximum Contaminant Level
 RL Reporting Limit

QA/QC SUMMARY REPORT

Client: New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
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Analyte	Result	Units	PQL	%Rec	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
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Method: E300

Sample ID: MBLK		MBLK							Batch ID: R22380 Analysis Date: 2/5/2007 11:21:28 AM
Chloride	ND	mg/L	0.10						
Sample ID: MBLK		MBLK							Batch ID: R22383 Analysis Date: 2/2/2007 11:27:07 AM
Chloride	ND	mg/L	0.10						
Sample ID: MBLK		MBLK							Batch ID: R22477 Analysis Date: 2/14/2007 12:27:08 PM
Chloride	ND	mg/L	0.10						
Sample ID: LCS ST300-06026		LCS							Batch ID: R22380 Analysis Date: 2/5/2007 11:38:52 AM
Chloride	4.844	mg/L	0.10	96.9	90	110			
Sample ID: LCS ST300-06026		LCS							Batch ID: R22383 Analysis Date: 2/2/2007 11:44:31 AM
Chloride	5.025	mg/L	0.10	100	90	110			
Sample ID: LCS ST300-06026		LCS							Batch ID: R22477 Analysis Date: 2/14/2007 12:44:32 PM
Chloride	4.840	mg/L	0.10	96.8	90	110			

Qualifiers:

- E Value above quantitation range
- J Analyte detected below quantitation limits
- R RPD outside accepted recovery limits
- H Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded
- ND Not Detected at the Reporting Limit
- S Sample recovery outside accepted recovery limits

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Sample Receipt Checklist

Client Name NMOCD HOBBS

Date and Time Received:

2/2/2007

Work Order Number 0702029

Received by TLS

Checklist completed by

[Signature]
Signature

2-2-07
Date

Matrix

Carrier name Greyhound

- Shipping container/cooler in good condition? Yes No Not Present
- Custody seals intact on shipping container/cooler? Yes No Not Present Not Shipped
- Custody seals intact on sample bottles? Yes No N/A
- Chain of custody present? Yes No
- Chain of custody signed when relinquished and received? Yes No
- Chain of custody agrees with sample labels? Yes No
- Samples in proper container/bottle? Yes No
- Sample containers intact? Yes No
- Sufficient sample volume for indicated test? Yes No
- All samples received within holding time? Yes No
- Water - VOA vials have zero headspace? No VOA vials submitted Yes No
- Water - Preservation labels on bottle and cap match? Yes No N/A
- Water - pH acceptable upon receipt? Yes No N/A
- Container/Temp Blank temperature? 2° 4° C ± 2 Acceptable
If given sufficient time to cool.

COMMENTS:

Client contacted _____ Date contacted: _____ Person contacted _____

Contacted by: _____ Regarding _____

Comments: _____

Corrective Action _____



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P1X

829060 - FROM ABOVE YARD E FENCE, LOOKING NNE
INSTD MASTBATH YARD NORTH FENCELINE

829065 - FROM ABOVE YARD E FENCE, LOOKING NE ACROSS
FRONT OF FRNC TRUCKS w/ GROUND STRIPS

66 - FROM ABOVE YARD E FENCE - LOOKING N WHERE
SPILL CROSSED INTO ABOVE YARD (DEAD WEATS)

69 - PLASTIC BAG MARKS SAMPLE POINT # 1
18" INSIDE ABOVE E FENCE

70 - PLASTIC BAG MARKS SAMPLE # 2 @ DEEP OF TRUNK TREE



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