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**From:** Hansen, Edward J., EMNRD  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 24, 2010 4:58 PM  
**To:** Hack Conder  
**Cc:** Leking, Geoffrey R, EMNRD; 'Marvin Burrows'; 'Scott Curtis'; 'Katie Jones'; 'gil@trident-environmental.com'  
**Subject:** Remediation Plan (1R-27) Termination - ROC BD Jct A-27 Release Site

**RE: Corrective Action Report and Termination Request  
for the Rice Operating Company's  
BD Jct A-27 Release Site  
Unit Letter A, Section 27, T22S, R37E, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico  
Remediation Plan (1R-27) 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 20, 2010). The report is acceptable to the OCD.

The above-referenced report, submitted in accordance with 19.15.29 NMAC (Part 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 (1R-27) 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:** Thursday, May 27, 2010 4:17 PM  
**To:** Hack Conder  
**Cc:** Leking, Geoffrey R, EMNRD; Katie Jones; 'gil@trident-environmental.com'  
**Subject:** Corrective Action Plan (1R27) Approval - ROC BD A-27 Release Site

**RE: Corrective Action Plan  
for the Rice Operating Company's  
BD A-27 Release Site  
Unit Letter A, Section 27, T22S, R37E, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico  
Corrective Action Plan (1R27) Approval**

Dear Mr. Conder:

The New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (OCD) has received the Corrective Action Plan for the BD A-27 Release Site, dated May 24, 2006, and Addendum (dated May 27, 2010) and has conducted a review of the Corrective Action Plan (and Addendum). The Plan indicates that Rice Operating Company (ROC) has met the requirements of 19.15.29 NMAC (Part 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 within 90 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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