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From: Hansen, Edward J., EMNRD
Sent: Wednesday, November 02, 2011 3:23 PM
To: 'Jason Henry'
Cc: Leking, Geoffrey R, EMNRD; 'Jeffrey P Dann'
Subject: Anticipated Actions Approval (AP-96) - Plains Lovington Gathering WTI Release Site

**RE: Quarterly Monitoring Report (July – September 2011) for the Plains Marketing's
Lovington Gathering WTI Release Site (AP-96)
Unit H, Section 6, T17S, R37E, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico
Anticipated Actions Approval**

Dear Mr. Henry:

The New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (OCD) has received Plains' report (including proposed "Anticipated Actions") the above-referenced site (dated October 2011). The above-referenced report, submitted in partial fulfillment of 19.15.30.19 NMAC (Rule 30.19, formally, Rule 19.K), indicates that Plains has partially met the requirements of 19.15.30.9 NMAC for this site. Therefore, the OCD hereby approves the Anticipated Actions for the Lovington Gathering WTI Release Site.

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.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter. If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact at 505-476-3489.

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From: Hansen, Edward J., EMNRD
Sent: Monday, August 01, 2011 5:58 PM
To: 'Jason Henry'
Cc: Leking, Geoffrey R, EMNRD; 'Jeffrey P Dann'; 'bjarguijo@basinenv.com'
Subject: Anticipated Actions Approval (AP-96) - Plains Lovington Gathering WTI Release Site

**RE: Quarterly (2011 – 2nd) Monitoring Report for the Plains Marketing's
Lovington Gathering WTI Release Site (AP-96)
Unit Letter H of Section 6, T17S, R37E, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico
Anticipated Actions Approval**

Dear Mr. Henry:

The New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (OCD) has received Plains' report (including proposed "Anticipated Actions") the above-referenced site (dated July 2011). The above-referenced report, submitted in partial fulfillment of 19.15.30.19 NMAC (Part 30.19, formally, Rule 19.K), indicates that Plains has partially met the requirements of 19.15.30.9 NMAC for this site. Therefore, the OCD hereby approves the Anticipated Actions for the Lovington Gathering WTI Release Site:

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From: Hansen, Edward J., EMNRD
Sent: Tuesday, April 05, 2011 4:17 PM
To: 'Jason Henry'
Cc: Leking, Geoffrey R, EMNRD; Jeffrey P Dann
Subject: Amendment to Stage 2 Abatement Plan (AP-96) Approval - Plains Lovington Gathering WTI Release Site

**RE: Amendment to Stage 2 Abatement Plan (AP-96) Approval
for the Plains Marketing's
Lovington Gathering WTI Release Site
Unit Letter H, Section 6, T17S, R37E, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico**

Dear Mr. Henry:

The New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (OCD) has received Plains' report and request for amendment to the Abatement Plan (AP-96) at the above-referenced site (dated August 2010). The above-referenced report, submitted in partial fulfillment of 19.15.30.19 NMAC (Part 30.19, formally, Rule 19.K), indicate that Plains has partially met the requirements of 19.15.30.9 NMAC for this site. Therefore, the OCD hereby conditionally approves the Amendment to the Stage 2 Abatement Plan (AP-96) as proposed for the Lovington Gathering WTI Release Site:

1. Plains must initiate groundwater recovery from groundwater monitoring well, MW-10, in lieu of MW-9, within 5 days.
2. Plains must sample groundwater monitoring well, MW-4, and analyze for chromium and fluoride at the next quarterly sampling event.
3. Plains must include in the quarterly sample program the irrigation well approximately 100 feet to the SSW of MW-10 at the next quarterly sampling event.
4. Plains must submit to the OCD a quarterly groundwater monitoring report within 30 days after each respective quarter.

Please be advised that OCD approval of this amendment 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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