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May 24, 1999

CERTIFIED MAIL

RETURN RECEIPT NO: Z-274-520-664

Mr. Ron Lechwar
Titan Exploration and Production, Inc.
500 West North Lorraine, Suite 500
Midland, Texas 79701

**RE: CLOSURE REPORT
WEST LOVINGTON UNIT ATB 33-1 PIT**

Dear Mr. Lechwar:

The New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (OCD) has reviewed Titan Exploration and Production, Inc.'s (Titan) April 5, 1999 "PIT CLOSURE REPORT, TITAN WEST LOVINGTON UNIT PIT ATB 33-1, SECTION 33, TOWNSHIP 16 SOUTH, RANGE 36 EAST, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO" which was submitted on behalf of Titan by their consultant Highlander Environmental Corporation. This document contains the results of Titan's capping of previously excavated unlined pit ATB 33-1 at the Titan Lovington Unit located in the SW/4, Section 33, Township 16 South, Range 36 East, Lea County, New Mexico. The document also contains the results of additional water quality sampling of the site monitor well and a request for final closure of the site.

The above referenced final closure request is approved. Please be advised that OCD approval does not relieve Titan of liability if remaining contaminants pose a future threat to ground water, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, OCD approval does not relieve Titan of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state or local laws and regulations.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (505) 827-7154.

Sincerely,

William C. Olson
Hydrologist
Environmental Bureau

xc: Chris Williams, OCD Hobbs District Office
Mark J. Larson, Highlander Environmental Corporation

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February 16, 1999

CERTIFIED MAIL
RETURN RECEIPT NO: Z-274-520-623

Mr. Ron Lechwar
Titan Exploration and Production, Inc.
500 West North Lorraine, Suite 500
Midland, Texas 79701

**RE: CLOSURE REPORT
WEST LOVINGTON UNIT PIT**

Dear Mr. Lechwar:

The New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (OCD) has completed a review of Titan Exploration and Production, Inc.'s (Titan) January 5, 1999 "SUBSURFACE INVESTIGATION REPORT, TITAN EXPLORATION AND PRODUCTION, INC., WEST LOVINGTON UNIT - PIT, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO" which was submitted on behalf of Titan by their consultant Highlander Environmental Corporation. This document contains the results of Titan's closure of unlined pit ATB 33-1 at the Titan Lovington Unit located in the SW/4, Section 33, Township 16 South, Range 36 East, Lea County, New Mexico. The document also recommends closing the site with a clay cap at the surface and additional water quality sampling of the site monitor well.

The above referenced recommendations are approved with the following conditions:

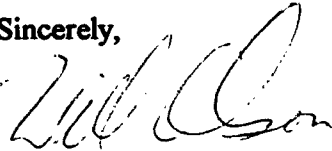
1. Titan will provide the OCD with a final closure report by April 16, 1999. The report will be submitted to the OCD Santa Fe Office with a copy provided to the OCD Hobbs District Office. The report will contain:
 - a. A description of all activities including conclusions and recommendations.
 - b. The final as built construction specifics of the clay cap.
 - c. The analytical results of the ground water sampling

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Please be advised that OCD approval does not relieve Titan of liability if the work plan fails to adequately control migration of contamination related to Titan's activities. In addition, OCD approval does not relieve Titan of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state or local laws and regulations.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (505) 827-7154.

Sincerely,



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Highlander Environmental Corp.

Midland, Texas

January 5, 1999

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Mr. William C. Olson
Hydrogeologist
State of New Mexico
Oil Conservation Division
2040 S. Pacheco
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Re: Subsurface Investigation Report, Titan Exploration and Production, Inc., West Lovington Unit - Pit, Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Olson:

On behalf of Titan Exploration and Production, Inc. (Titan), please find enclosed one (1) copy of the report titled, "Subsurface Investigation Report, Titan Exploration and Production, Inc., West Lovington Unit - Pit, Lea County, New Mexico, December 1998". The report was prepared by Highlander Environmental Corp. (Highlander) and details the results subsurface investigation activities conducted at the Site.

Please call if you have questions.

Sincerely,
Highlander Environmental Corp.

Mark J. Larson
Senior Project Manager

Encl.

cc: Mr. Ron Lechwar, Titan
Mr. Wayne Price, OCD - Hobbs Office