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Featherstone State 001

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Operator,

This letter is to serve notice of requirement to properly remediate and close a production pit located at the above referenced well site. The pit is situated on the West side of location and was covered up at some point within the last 12 months. Pits containing materials produced from an oil or gas well and closed prior to April 15th 2004 were required to be closed per OCD guidelines in place at that time. A new rule regulating pits went into effect on April 15th 2004 with guidelines addressing proper closure of surface impoundments.

Your company has just completed a pit remediation and closure project at a site just North of this well. The workplan used for that pit closure will be accepted for closure of pit at this site. No paperwork is required on your part at this time. It is understood that CJR Remediation Service will be your agent for this project and will submit a "Final Report" form C-141 with analyticals for approval by OCD for final closure.

Please notify the District 2 NMOCD office 24 hours in advance of any sampling event.

If I can be of any assistance in this matter, my contact information is listed below.

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