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regulations

Approval: Printed Name/Title

District III 1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410 District IV 1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

State of New Mexico **Energy Minerals and Natural Resources**

Oil Conservation Division

For drilling and production facilities, submit to appropriate NMOCD District Office.

For downstream facilities, submit to Santa Fe office

1220 South St. Francis Dr. Santa Fe, NM 87505 Pit or Below-Grade Tank Registration or Closure

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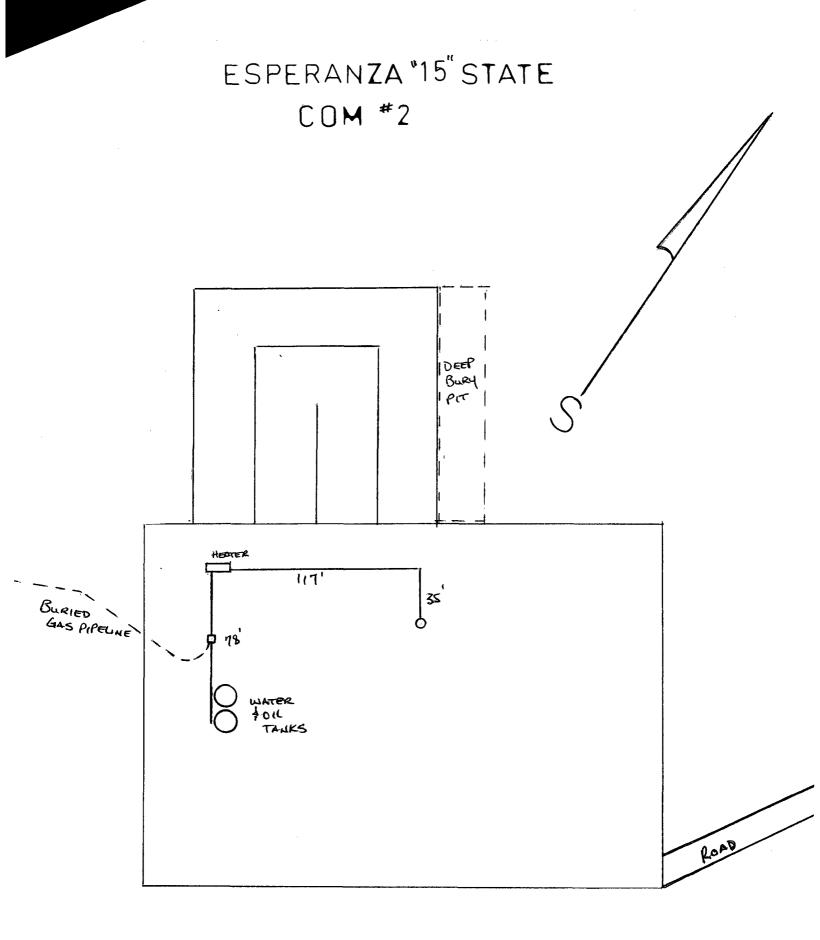
June 1, 2004

Is pit or below-grade tank covered by a "general plan"? Yes \(\subseteq \) No \(\subseteq \) Type of action: Registration of a pit or below-grade tank \(\subseteq \) Closure of a pit or below-grade tank \(\subseteq \) APR 28 2005									
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Operator: Mewbourne Oil Company Telephone:	505-393-5905 e-mail address: hobe	ng@mewbourne.com							
Address: P.O. Box 5270, Hobbs, New Mexico 88241									
Facility or well name: <u>Esperanza "15" State Com #2</u> API #: <u>30-0</u>	Facility or well name: <u>Esperanza "15" State Com #2</u> API #: <u>30-015-32718</u> <u>U/L or Qtr/Qtr B</u> <u>Sec 15 T 21S R 27E</u>								
County: <u>Eddy</u> <u>Latitude 32-29-08.2 N</u> <u>Longitude 104-10-31.9 W</u> NAD: 1927 1983									
Surface Owner: Federal X State Private Indian									
<u>Pit</u>	Below-grade tank								
Type: Drilling Production Disposal X	Volume:bbl Type of fluid:								
Workover Emergency	Construction material:								
Lined X Unlined	Double-walled, with leak detection? Yes If not, explain why not.								
Liner type: Synthetic X Thickness 12 mil Clay									
Pit Volume 4800 bbl									
Depth to ground water (vertical distance from bottom of pit to seasonal	Less than 50 feet	(20 points)							
high water elevation of ground water.)	50 feet or more, but less than 100 feet	(10 points) X							
ingh water elevation of ground water.)	100 feet or more (92' avg)	(0 points)							
Watth and material annual (Lorenthern 200 fort from a private demonstra	Yes	(20 points)							
Wellhead protection area: (Less than 200 feet from a private domestic water source, or less than 1000 feet from all other water sources.)	No (1 mile+)	(0 points) X							
water source, or less man 1000 feet from an other water sources.)	7 4 000 5 4								
Distance to surface water: (horizontal distance to all wetlands, playas,	Less than 200 feet	(20 points)							
irrigation canals, ditches, and perennial and ephemeral watercourses.)	200 feet or more, but less than 1000 feet	(10 points)							
	1000 feet or more (1 mile+)	(0 points) X							
	Ranking Score (Total Points)	10 points							
If this is a pit closure: (1) Attach a diagram of the facility showing the pit's	relationship to other equipment and tanks. (2) Indicate	te disposal location: (check the onsite box if							
your are burying in place) onsite 🛛 offsite 🔲 If offsite, name of facility									
remediation start date and end date. (4) Groundwater encountered: No 🗓 Yes 🔲 If yes, show depth below ground surfaceft. and attach sample results.									
(5) Attach soil sample results and a diagram of sample locations and excavat	ions.								
Additional Comments: Mewbourne Oil Company proposes to dig a "deep b	oury" pit to dispose of the reserve pit from this location	. Enclosed is a diagram of the location							
with an approximate location of the "deep bury" pit. Both pits will be close	d during the operation. We will start the "clean up" as	soon as possible following NMOCD approval.							
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I hereby certify that the information above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. I further certify that the above-described pit or below-grade tank has been/will be constructed or closed according to NMOCD guidelines X, a general permit , or an (attached) alternative OCD-approved plan .									
Date: <u>04/27/2005</u>	\mathcal{A}								
	Signature L. Keetha-								
Your certification and NMOCD approval of this application/closure does n	ot relieve the operator of liability should the contents of	of the pit or tank contaminate ground water or							

otherwise endanger public health or the environment. Nor does it relieve the operator of its responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, or local laws and/or

Signature

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SCALE: 1"=60'

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NAD27 X: Y: Zone: Search Radius:							
County: Basin: Number: Suffix:							
Owner Name: (First) (Last) C Non-Domestic C Domestic							
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Bsn	Tws	Rng	Sec	Zone	x	Y	Wells	Min	Max	Avg
С	21S	27E	09				2	80	120	100
С	21S	27E	21				1	75	75	75

Record Count: 3

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NAD27 X: Y: Zone: Search Radius:							
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