

Permit Comments

Operator: YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION , 25575

Well: MORTAR STATE UNIT #001

User Name	Comment	Comment Date
BASHER	30-003-63767 Lease No. V-5963 which is a part of the unit leases (Lacrosse State Unit #1) expires on 10-1-2005.	9/9/2005
BASHER	Sources at Yates Petroleum Corporation have relayed information to me that they believe there will not be enough H2S found from the surface through the Precambrian formation to meet the OCD's minimum requirements for the submission of a contingency plan per Rule 118.	9/9/2005
BASHER	Any pit or below-grade tank has been or will be constructed or closed according to NMOCD guidelines with approved general permit on file. The pits will have a synthetic liner with a 12 mil. thickness and an approximate volume of 20,000 bbls.	9/9/2005
BASHER	Sources available have been accessed for the captioned well. The depth to ground water is approximately 564', the distance from the nearest fresh water well is approximately 3,500' and the distance from the nearest surface water is approximately 8,500'. With this information obtained determines that the Site Ranking for this well is 0 points. With this ranking score deep trench burial and capping will take place at pit closure	9/9/2005