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Mr. Gerry Guye  
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division  
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Dear Mr. Guye,

Re: Fasken Oil and Ranch, Ltd.  
Form C-144 Unused Pit Closure Plan  
Howell "29" Com No. 1  
G, Sec. 29, T21S, R25E  
Eddy County

Fasken Oil and Ranch, Ltd. requested and received approval to dig a small workover pit for a potential cement squeeze on the Howell "29" Com No. 1. The squeeze job was not needed on the well, and no fluids were circulated into the pit.

Fasken proposes to close the pit by simply covering up the pit with the materials pulled during excavation.

Please let me know if you need any additional information.

Yours truly,

Jimmy D. Carille  
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Remove all liner and haul  
away;  
OK - Jimmy Guye