

District I
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240
District II
1301 W. Grand Avenue, Artesia, NM 88210
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

Form C-144
June 1, 2004

Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Dr.
Santa Fe, NM 87505

For drilling and production facilities, submit to appropriate NMOCD District Office.
For downstream facilities, submit to Santa Fe office

Pit or Below-Grade Tank Registration or Closure

Is pit or below-grade tank covered by a "general plan"? Yes ☒ No ☐

Type of action: Registration of a pit or below-grade tank ☐ Closure of a pit or below-grade tank ☒

Operator: David H. Arrington Oil & Gas Telephone: 432-682-6685 e-mail address: ann.ritchie@wtor.net
Address: P. O. Box 953 Midland, TX 79702
Facility or well name: Double Hackle Drake #1 API #: 30-025-36704 U/L or Qtr/Qtr D Sec 36 T 16S R 35E
County: Lea Latitude N 32.88299 Longitude W 103.41600 NAD: 1927 ☐ 1983 ☐
Surface Owner: Federal ☐ State ☐ Private ☒ Indian ☐

Pit

Type: Drilling ☒ Production ☐ Disposal ☐
Workover ☐ Emergency ☐
Lined ☒ Unlined ☐
Liner type: Synthetic ☒ Thickness 20 mil Clay ☐
Pit Volume bbl

Below-grade tank

Volume: bbl Type of fluid:
Construction material:
Double-walled, with leak detection? Yes ☐ If not, explain why not.

Depth to ground water (vertical distance from bottom of pit to seasonal high water elevation of ground water.) **GW = 50'**

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| Less than 50 feet | (20 points) X |
| 50 feet or more, but less than 100 feet | (10 points) |
| 100 feet or more | (0 points) |

Wellhead protection area: (Less than 200 feet from a private domestic water source, or less than 1000 feet from all other water sources.)

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| Yes | (20 points) |
| No | (0 points) X |

Distance to surface water: (horizontal distance to all wetlands, playas, irrigation canals, ditches, and perennial and ephemeral watercourses.)

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| Less than 200 feet | (20 points) |
| 200 feet or more, but less than 1000 feet | (10 points) |
| 1000 feet or more | (0 points) X |

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| Ranking Score (Total Points) | 20 points |
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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 disposal location: (check the onsite box if you are burying in place) onsite ☒ offsite ☐ If offsite, name of facility . (3) Attach a general description of remedial action taken including remediation start date and end date. (4) Groundwater encountered: No ☐ Yes ☐ If yes, show depth below ground surface ft. and attach sample results. (5) Attach soil sample results and a diagram of sample locations and excavations.

Additional Comments: A burial pit will be constructed and lined with a 20mil impervious liner. The drilling pit contents will be mixed with Elke Environmental Solidification Product at a 20 mud to 1 ratio to solidify the contents. After all mixed contents are placed in the burial pit, the contents will be covered with a 20 mil impervious liner with a minimum of 3 ft. overlap on all sides and a minimum of 3 ft. below ground level. The burial pit will then be covered with clean native soil and domed to prevent pooling. 5 bottom sample points will be taken after the pit contents are removed and a final report will be given at the end of the job. Start of job is 11-1-06.

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 ☐, a general permit ☐, or an (attached) alternative OCD-approved plan ☒.

Date: 11-1-06

Printed Name/Title

Logan Anderson / Agent

Signature

[Signature]

Your certification and NMOCD approval of this application/closure does not relieve the operator of liability should the contents 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 regulations.

Approval:

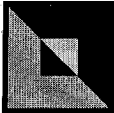
Printed Name/Title

L. Johnson - ENVIRO ENGR

Signature

[Signature]

Date: 11.1.06



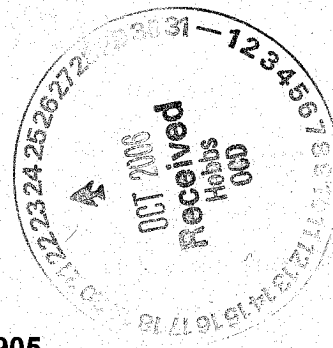
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October 20, 2006

Oil Conservation Division
1625 N. French Dr.
Hobbs, NM 88240
Attention: Larry Johnson



**RE: Big Stick Fee
Pit Closure
API: 30-041-20905**

Dear Larry:

As per our telephone conversation on October 11, with your verbal approval, Morexco will alter the procedure for pit closure on the above referenced well. Morexco plans to enclose the pits in place, cover with 12 mil plastic and bury with at least 3 feet of top soil, as per OCD rule 50 guidelines.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Very truly yours,

MOREXCO, INC.

Donald G. Becker, Jr. Byrab

Donald G. Becker, Jr.
President

DGB/mlm

PLEASE NOTE: COVER REQUIRED IS 20 MIL, CONVEX PLACEMENT
TO EXTEND A MINIMUM OF 3' PAST ANY EDGES. - LARRY
VERBAL APPROVAL CONFIRMED

FAX SENT 10.25.06
10:30 PM