



State of New Mexico

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July 22, 1991

Transwestern Pipeline Co.
Attention: Rick Jolly
P.O. Box 1718
Roswell, New Mexico 88201

RE: Investigation of Contaminated Soils
(SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 21 and NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 28,
Township 9 South, Range 24 East)

Dear Mr. Jolly:

In response to your request dated July 17, 1991, please consider this correspondence as granting you permission to initiate the following: drill approximately 15 8" holes to a maximum depth of 45 feet for the purpose of obtaining soil samples which would be tested for contamination. The time period that the drilling will be allowed is from July 24, 1991 to August 2, 1991. If additional time is needed, please contact us accordingly.

Please be advised that the State Land Office and its employees are held harmless from any incident that might arise as a result of Transwestern's activities. If Transwestern is in agreement with holding the State Land Office harmless, then signify same by executing the signature block located at the bottom of this letter.

Please execute both copies and send us the one with the original signature. If you have any questions, please contact us.

Sincerely

E. Dwain Glidewell, Director
Surface Resources Division

WE UNDERSTAND AND ACCEPT THE AGREEMENT SET OUT HEREIN.

AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE
Transwestern Pipeline Company

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME THIS 26th DAY OF July, 1991. MY
COMMISSION EXPIRES: February 17, 1995.

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