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Dear Commissioner:

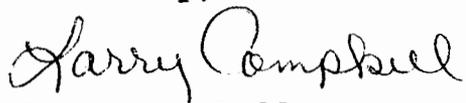
By this letter, Transwestern Pipeline Company is providing notification that remediation operations are currently in progress to formally close an "out of service" surface impoundment located at the Roswell Compressor Station. This impoundment facility is located in the following coordinates: SE 1/4 of section 21, T. 9 S., R. 24 E. This notification of remediation activity applies to all parties which have surface ownership on property or lands which exist within a one mile radius of the above legal description. As a point of reference, the location of this surface impoundment is contiguously surrounded on the west, north and east by lands under the administration of the State of New Mexico. Transwestern Pipeline owns section 28, which is the parcel immediately south of section 21.

Past operating practices by Transwestern at this surface impoundment has resulted in the presence offsite of very small concentrations of organic constituents in the water table aquifer. Although the "plume" of targeted constituents has not been precisely determined, sufficient data has been collected to conclude that the organics are very localized in extent and not widely distributed.

Transwestern is working closely with the Oil Conservation Division and the Hazardous and Radioactive Materials Bureau of the Environmental Department in New Mexico to remove the low levels of organic parameters present in the groundwater, and we expect closure of this site in a reasonably short time period. Our Company is voluntarily contacting all landowners and appropriate state agencies and apprising them of present environmental conditions.

Should you have any additional concerns or questions concerning this matter, contact our Roswell Technical Environmental Operations at (505) 625-8022.

Sincerely,



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