

July 8, 2003

Cabot Oil & Gas Corporation
ATTN: MS. Linda I. Wilkins
600 17th Street Suite 900 North
Denver, CO 80202

RE: Big Sandy Double Eagle Gas Plant – Facility ID: 268550
W/2 NW Section 28 T44N R16W
San Miguel County, Colorado

Dear Ms. Wilkins:

I apologize for the delay in providing you with a Facility ID for the above referenced gas plant. The facility ID is # 268550.

Condition of Approval - Please provide the Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission (COGCC) with the following:

- A final plot plan the shows the actual layout of the facility.
- A topographic map the shows the actual location of the facility.

Please be sure to include the Facility ID on both of these documents.

For your information, most of the large ground water and soil remediation projects that the COGCC staff is overseeing are associated with gas processing facilities. The environmental impacts were caused by spills and releases of produced water and liquid hydrocarbon that resulted primarily from:

- Insufficient pigging waste storage
- Insufficient tank capacity
- Dehydrator liquids dripping on to the ground surface rather than accumulating in a tank
- Leaking above and below ground tanks, vaults, vessels, and sumps that were used to store liquids
- Compressors dripping hydraulic fluid and oil directly onto the ground.

Most of these impacts were identified during due diligence site investigations associated with the sale of the facilities. Cleanup of impacts from these types of spills and releases can be very costly, so please ensure that your facility is designed to minimize the potential for these types of spills and releases to occur.

If you have any questions or would like to discuss this matter further, then please call me at 303-894-2100 ex 111 or email me at debbie.baldwin@state.co.us.

Sincerely,

Dorothy E. Baldwin, Environmental Supervisor

cc: R. Griebeling, COGCC-Director and M. Bell, COGCC-Operations Manager