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**Fwd: COGCC FIELD INSPECTION REPORT [Doc#673402069]**

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**Fischer - DNR, Alex** <alex.fischer@state.co.us>

Fri, May 1, 2015 at 12:42 PM

To: OGCC EnviroScan - DNR &lt;dnr\_ogcc.enviroscan@state.co.us&gt;

Cc: Kris Neidel - DNR &lt;kris.neidel@state.co.us&gt;, Emily Waldron - DNR &lt;emily.waldron@state.co.us&gt;

Please upload the email with the following information:

Unique identifier (REM/Spill/NOAV #, etc.): Location ID 316782 and API # 05-107-06222

Document number (leave blank if one needs to be assigned):

Date received: 5/1/2015

Is data entry needed (Y/N): N

Notes: COGCC email correspondence to Operator 5/1/2015

Thanks!

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From: **Fischer - DNR, Alex** <[alex.fischer@state.co.us](mailto:alex.fischer@state.co.us)>

Date: Fri, May 1, 2015 at 12:38 PM

Subject: Re: COGCC FIELD INSPECTION REPORT [Doc#673402069]

To: "Neidel - DNR, Kris" <[kris.neidel@state.co.us](mailto:kris.neidel@state.co.us)>Cc: Dan Hall <[dan@energyop.com](mailto:dan@energyop.com)>, COGCC Field Inspection Report <[dnr\\_eforms.helpdesk@state.co.us](mailto:dnr_eforms.helpdesk@state.co.us)>,Shaun Kellerby - DNR <[shaun.kellerby@state.co.us](mailto:shaun.kellerby@state.co.us)>, Emily Waldron - DNR <[emily.waldron@state.co.us](mailto:emily.waldron@state.co.us)>,RANDY BOOCO <[boocosinc@aol.com](mailto:boocosinc@aol.com)>, Stephen Chamberlain <[energyinv@msn.com](mailto:energyinv@msn.com)>

Kris and Emily Thanks. The COGCC will be requiring all manifest documentation and disposal tickets relating to this incident and Inspection. Additionally, confirmation samples shall be collected by the Operator to ensure that

all impacted material has been remediated.

Please work with the Operator on completing the eForm 19 Spill/Release Incident Report and subsequent follow up. As I reviewed the Inspection Report and photographs, it is apparent that there are inappropriate practices and activities that have taken place. This may include reporting of incident. This spill incident should have immediately been address by the Operator, but was observed during a routine site inspection by COGCC staff. The activities and actions taken at the Location are unacceptable and will not be tolerated.

Has the surface owner been notified?

Alex

On Fri, May 1, 2015 at 12:07 PM, Neidel - DNR, Kris <[kris.neidel@state.co.us](mailto:kris.neidel@state.co.us)> wrote:

Dan,

Transportation of waste to a non-authorized facility is prohibited.

See rule 907.b(1)

b. Waste transportation.

(1) E&P waste, when transported off-site within Colorado for treatment or disposal, shall be transported to facilities authorized by the Director or waste disposal facilities approved to receive E&P waste by the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment. When transported to facilities outside of Colorado for treatment or disposal, E&P waste shall be transported to facilities authorized and permitted by the appropriate regulatory agency in the receiving state.

It would be acceptable to store the soil on the location where the spill occurred, assuming it is stored in a way that prevented further contamination or migration, until final disposal or treatment.

The COGCC is open to the operator presenting options of land treatment of contaminated materials (with surface owner approval).

My contact information is below.

Thanks for your response, we can work together to take care of this.

Kris Neidel  
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Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission  
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On Thu, Apr 30, 2015 at 3:28 PM, Dan Hall <[dan@energyop.com](mailto:dan@energyop.com)> wrote:

Hi Emily,

As per our conversation yesterday, Randy Booco (and/or his employee) went to the Wolf Mountain #15-2 location to remediate the 'spill'. Randy estimates that between 3 and 5 gallons of oil were discharged when hot-oiling operations occurred on 4-23-15. He placed sorbent pads on the area in question and this morning, removed the oil-stained dirt. He placed the material in three plastic bags (totaling an estimated 60 lbs) and will store it at his yard until enough material is collected to constitute a full load to an approved disposal facility. In the past, he has taken the material to Utah. Do you have Kris's phone

number, as Randy will make the proper notification? We will order well signs and placards tomorrow and visit with the landowner as to storm water mitigation, as he has (in the past) been very adamant about not performing any operations that would result in further surface disturbance. Please feel free to call with any questions.

Dan

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**From:** COGCC Field Inspection Report [mailto:[dnr\\_efforms.helpdesk@state.co.us](mailto:dnr_efforms.helpdesk@state.co.us)]

**Sent:** Wednesday, April 29, 2015 4:07 PM

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### **COGCC Field Inspection Report**

ATTACHED REPORT HAS BEEN SUBMITTED TO COGCC DATABASE BASED ON FIELD INSPECTION RESULTS.

**PLEASE REVIEW ENTIRE REPORT. COMMENTS, ACTION REQUIRED AND ALLEGED VIOLATIONS ITEMS ARE HIGHLIGHTED IN RED.**

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