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FIR RESOLUTION FORM

CA Summary:
2 of 2 CAs from the FIR responded to on this Form
2 CA Completed
0 Factual Review Request

OPERATOR INFORMATION

OGCC Operator Number: 10412
Name of Operator: AUS-TEX EXPLORATION INC
Address: 113 N SANTA FE
City: FLORENCE State: CO Zip: 81226
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COGCC INSPECTION SUMMARY:

FIR Document Number: 682600234
Inspection Date: 11/08/2016 FIR Submit Date: 11/09/2016 FIR Status:

Inspected Operator Information:

Company Name: AUS-TEX EXPLORATION INC Company Number: 10412
Address: 113 N SANTA FE
City: FLORENCE State: CO Zip: 81226

LOCATION - Location ID: 439367

Location Name: Pathfinder C-18 Number: #8 County: FREMONT
Qtrqtr: NWNE Sec: 18 Twp: 20S Range: 69W Meridian: 6
Latitude: 38.314773 Longitude: -105.150555

FACILITY - API Number: 05-043-00 Facility ID: 439366

Facility Name: Columbus Number: 1
Qtrqtr: NWNE Sec: 18 Twp: 20S Range: 69W Meridian: 6
Latitude: 38.314773 Longitude: -105.150555

CORRECTIVE ACTIONS:

1 CA# 53991

Corrective Action: Install or repair required BMPs per Rule 1002.f. Refer to the 1002.f guidance document for further details. Date: 12/08/2016

Response: CA COMPLETED Date of Completion: 03/21/2017

Operator Comment: Wattles for stormwater erosion control were ordered up on 1/27/17. Due to austerity measures, manpower was unavailable for immediate response to the required BMPs per Rule 1002.f.

BMPs were completed on 3/21/17. Erosion wattles were placed around soil stockpiles for stormwater

management per Rule 1002.f.

COGCC Decision: Approved pending re-inspection

COGCC Representative:

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2 CA# 53992

Corrective Action: Net or fence pit to prevent access per rule 902.d.

Date: 11/10/2016

Response: CA COMPLETED

Date of Completion: 12/12/2016

Operator Comment:

Inspector indicated that "fencing on pit is inadequate, gap in fencing.
Pit fence consisted of cattle panels that were joined together. During inspector's visit, the operator had gapped open one of the panels to remove some debris (two small boxes) that had blown into pit. Upon inspector's comment, Operator closed panel and resecured it.

COGCC Decision: Approved

COGCC Representative:

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OPERATOR COMMENT AND SUBMITTAL

Comment: 1) Regarding stormwater management BMP's, operator was unable to complete corrective actions within the time allotted due to austerity measures and lack of manpower, however it did get corrected by 3/21/17; Rule 1002.f.
2) Operator closed gap in paneled-fence a few days following the inspector's visit; Rule 902.d.

I hereby certify that the statements made in this form are, to the best of my knowledge, true, correct, and complete.

Print Name: Aaron Goss

Signed: _____

Title: VP/GM Colorado

Date: 5/5/2017 12:05:42 PM

ATTACHMENT LIST

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401275758	Required BMP's, Rule 1002.f

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