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X/20**State of Colorado
Oil and Gas Conservation Commission**1120 Lincoln Street, Suite 801, Denver, Colorado 80203
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Inspection Date:

09/28/2022

Submitted Date:

10/05/2022

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702800770**FIELD INSPECTION FORM**Loc ID 313130 Inspector Name: O'Malley, Anna On-Site Inspection ☐ 2A Doc Num: _____**Operator Information:**OGCC Operator Number: 3975Name of Operator: ARGALI EXPLORATION COMPANYAddress: PO BOX 416City: RANGELY State: CO Zip: 81648**Status Summary:**☐ THIS IS A FOLLOW UP INSPECTION☒ FOLLOW UP INSPECTION REQUIRED☐ NO FOLLOW UP INSPECTION REQUIRED**Findings:**8 Number of Comments1 Number of Corrective Actions☒ Corrective Action Response Requested**ANY CORRECTIVE ACTION(S) FROM
PREVIOUS INSPECTIONS THAT HAVE NOT
BEEN ADDRESSED ARE STILL APPLICABLE****Contact Information:**

Contact Name	Phone	Email	Comment
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General Comment:

On 09/28/2022, Reclamation Specialist O'Malley conducted a reclamation and stormwater inspection at Argali Exploration Company's Simpson-68N90W /23SENE Location #313130 in Moffat County, Colorado.

The following compliance issues were observed during this inspection:

- Tank label peeling

Refer to the "Location," "Reclamation," and "Stormwater" sections of this inspection report for additional details.

Refer to the photo-documentation of the observed compliance issues attached to this report.

Any corrective action(s) from previous inspections that have not been addressed are still applicable.

A follow up inspection on this site will be conducted to ensure the compliance issues have been corrected to comply with COGCC rules.

LocationOverall Good: ☐**Signs/Marker:**

Type	OTHER		
Comment:	Sign posted off County road 18N at access road lists contact contact numbers which are inaccurate. On 9/28/22 at 3:40 pm Inspector called the two numbers listed. One number was out of service. One number was answered by an individual who indicated they no longer work for the Operator.		
Corrective Action:		Date:	
Type	TANK LABELS/PLACARDS		
Comment:	Previous inspection #702000257 observed tank label peeling. Inspector required Operator to install sign to comply with Rule 605.h by 7/18/2022. It was observed in this inspection that the previously observed tank label is peeling. Original corrective action and date remain applicable.		
Corrective Action:	Install sign to comply with Rule 605.h.	Date:	07/18/2022

Emergency Contact Number:

Comment:	970-629-1906: Inspector called this number 10/5/2022 at 1:44 pm and reached the Operator who indicated this was the best number to call. 970-629-2614: Inspector called this number 10/5/2022 at 1:44 pm and left a voicemail. The call has not been returned. Operator must be reachable at all times at the emergency contact number.		
Corrective Action:		Date:	

Overall Good: ☐**Spills:**

Type	Area	Volume		
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In Containment: No

Comment: ☐ Multiple Spills and Releases?**Venting:**

Yes/No			
Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	

Flaring:

Type		
Comment:		
Corrective Action:		Date:

Reclamation - Storm Water - Pit**Interim Reclamation:**

Date Interim Reclamation Started: _____ Date Interim Reclamation Completed: _____

Land Use: _____

Comment: _____

1002 SITE PREPARATION AND STABILIZATION

1002a. FENCING _____

Comment _____

Corrective Action _____

Date _____

1002b. SOIL REMOVAL AND _____

Comment _____

Corrective Action _____

Date _____

1002c. PROTECTION OF SOILS _____

Comment _____

Corrective Action _____

Date _____

1002E. SURFACE DISTURBANCE MINIMIZATION _____

Comment _____

Corrective Action _____

Date _____

1003a. Waste and Debris removed? Pass

Comment _____

Corrective Action _____

Date _____

Unused or unneeded equipment onsite? Pass

Comment _____

Corrective Action _____

Date _____

Pit, cellars, rat holes and other bores closed? Pass

Comment _____

Corrective Action _____

Date _____

Guy line anchors marked? _____

Comment _____

Corrective Action _____

Date _____

1003b. Area no longer in use? PassProduction areas stabilized ? Pass

1003c. Compacted areas have been cross ripped? _____

1003d. Drilling pit closed? _____ Subsidence over on drill pit? _____

Cuttings management: _____

1003e. Areas no longer needed for drilling or subsequent operations for have been re-vegetated to 80% of pre-existing? InProduction areas have been stabilized? Pass

Segregated soils have been replaced? _____

RESTORATION AND REVEGETATIONCropland

Top soil replaced _____

Recontoured _____

Perennial forage re-established _____

Non-Cropland

Top soil replaced _____

Recontoured Pass80% Revegetation In

1003e. INTERIM VEGETATION TRANSECT

TRANSECT RESULTS OF DISTURBED AREA% _____

TRANSECT RESULTS OF REFERENCE AREA% _____

TOTAL % OF DESIRABLE VEGETATION COVER _____

VEGETATIVE COVER _____

1003 f. Weeds Noxious weeds? P

Comment Areas of the location not needed for production, or no longer in use have been reduced and reclaimed. Revegetation is in process and perennial grasses and shrubs are well established. At the time of this inspection no noxious weeds were observed.

Adjacent reference area is cropland. During final reclamation it may be necessary to convert entire location to cropland based on Surface Owner final land use.

Corrective Action

Date _____

Overall Interim Reclamation In Process**Final Reclamation/ Abandoned Location:**

Date Final Reclamation Started: _____

Date Final Reclamation Completed: _____

Final Land Use: _____

Reminder: _____

Comment: _____

Well plugged _____

Pit mouse/rat holes, cellars backfilled _____

Debris removed _____

No disturbance /Location never built _____

Access Roads Regraded _____

Contoured _____

Culverts removed _____

Gravel removed _____

Location and associated production facilities reclaimed _____

Locations, facilities, roads, recontoured _____

Compaction alleviation _____

Dust and erosion control _____

Non cropland: Revegetated 80% _____

Cropland: perennial forage _____

Weeds present _____

Subsidence _____

1004.d. FINAL VEGETATION TRANSECT

TRANSECT RESULTS OF DISTURBED AREA% _____

TRANSECT RESULTS OF REFERENCE AREA% _____

TOTAL % OF DESIRABLE VEGETATION COVER _____

VEGETATIVE COVER _____

Comment: _____

Corrective Action: <input style="width: 90%;" type="text"/>	Date <input style="width: 80%;" type="text"/>
Overall Final Reclamation <input style="width: 20%;" type="text"/>	Well Release on Active Location <input style="width: 20%;" type="checkbox"/>
	Multi-Well Location <input style="width: 20%;" type="checkbox"/>

Storm Water:

Loc Erosion BMPs	BMP Maintenance	Lease Road Erosion BMPs	Lease BMP Maintenance	Chemical BMPs	Chemical BMP Maintenance	Comment

Comment:

Corrective Action:

Date:

Pits: ☒ NO SURFACE INDICATION OF PIT

Attached Documents

You can go to COGCC Images (<https://cogcc.state.co.us/weblink/>) and search by document number:

Document Num	Description	URL
702800771	Inspection Photos	http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=5879199