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In compliance with House Bill 07-1341, Section 34-60-104 Paragraph III (A), the Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission is submitting its quarterly report to the General Assembly concerning the number of complaints received by the Commission.

The attached report contains three sections. The first section is a summary report of the number of complaints for the second quarter of Fiscal Year 2007-2008 sorted by city of the person submitting the complaint and the number of complaints associated to that city. The second section is a summary of the number of complaints associated to each type of complaint.

The third section contains the detailed information on each complaint submitted during this reporting period, along with the action taken by the Commission and the name and address of the individual who submitted the complaint if it was provided. The section is sorted first by city and then by each type of complaint.



COGCC Complaint Report - Complaints by Resident City Summary Information
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AGUILAR	<u>3</u>
DEBEQUE	<u>1</u>
EADS	<u>1</u>
GALETON	<u>1</u>
GRAND JUNCTION	<u>1</u>
HESPERUS	<u>1</u>
IGNACIO	<u>1</u>
MARVEL	<u>2</u>
MESA	<u>4</u>
NEW RAYMER	<u>2</u>
PARACHUTE	<u>1</u>
PLATTE VALLEY	<u>2</u>



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RIFLE	<u>2</u>
ROGGEN	<u>1</u>
SEDONA	<u>1</u>
SILT	<u>12</u>
TRENTON	<u>1</u>
TRINIDAD	<u>2</u>
UNKNOWN	<u>4</u>
WALSENBURG	<u>4</u>
Grand Total:	<u><u>47</u></u>



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AIR QUALITY	<u>1</u>
BASELINE WATER	<u>5</u>
CHEMICAL HAZARD	<u>1</u>
DUST	<u>1</u>
ENVIRONMENTAL DAMAGE	<u>5</u>
FUMES/ODOR	<u>1</u>
HEALTH/SAFETY	<u>1</u>
ILLNESS	<u>1</u>
MISCELLANEOUS	<u>1</u>
NOISE	<u>3</u>
NOTICE	<u>1</u>
ODOR	<u>9</u>



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PRODUCITON	<u>1</u>
RECLAMATION	<u>1</u>
ROADS	<u>1</u>
SAFETY	<u>1</u>
SETBACKS	<u>1</u>
SITE MAINTENANCE	<u>3</u>
SOIL	<u>2</u>
SOIL CONTAMINATION	<u>1</u>
SPILL	<u>1</u>
STORM WATER	<u>1</u>
SURFACE WATER	<u>1</u>
WATER WELL	<u>3</u>
Grand Total:	<u><u>47</u></u>

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COGCC Response

BASELINE WATER

1841040

TOM PARISE

CC

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED BASELINE MONITORING DUE TO PROPOSED WELL LOCATIONS UP STREAM OF MR. PARISE'S WELL. COMPLAINT 1393102 OF 2006 PRIOR SAMPLING

VISITED MR. PARISE'S PROPERTY AND WENT TO WATER WELL IN VALLEY. COLLECTED SAMPLES FROM HYDRANT IN HILLSIDE. SAMPLES COLLECTED FOR GENERAL INORGANIC WATER QUALITY PARAMETERS, BART AND DISSOLVED METHANE ANALYSES.

ENVIRONMENTAL DAMAGE

200122688

(ANONYMOUS)

FORWARDED BY JIM RADA (GAR CO) TO J. ADKINS -- THE COMPLAINTANT CONTACTED JIM RADA RE: ENVIRONMENTAL CONCERN. THE INFORMANT HAS OBSERVED A RESIDENT OF THE UPPER GARFIELD CREEK AREA WHO DRIVES A WATER TRUCK FOR TLT TRUCKING. THE DRIVER WAS SUSPECTED OF HAULING PRODUCED WATER FROM A MARALEX WELL AND NOT GOING TO THE DISPOSAL FACILITY BUT DUMPING THE FLUID IN A FIELD OR AREA NEAR HIS HOUSE. J RADA CONTACTED THE TRUCK CO. OWNER AND ASKED FOR TRIP TICKETS AND TOLD THE COGCC ABOUT THIS.

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I WENT TO THE TRUCK DRIVER'S HOUSE 11/29 AND TALKED WITH AJ WELLER. I MENTIONED THAT I WAS INVESTIGATING A RUMOR THAT "SOMEONE" MIGHT HAVE BEEN DUMPING GAS-WELL PRODUCED WATER IN AN UNAPPROVED MANNER AND AREA. MR. WELLER SAID THAT HE "HAD NOTHING TO HIDE" -- THAT HE HAD BEEN DOING EVERYTHING BY CORRECT PROCEDURE, ETC. HE MENTIONED THAT IT MAY HAVE LOOKED SUSPICIOUS THAT HE LEFT THE TRUCK AT HIS HOUSE FOR A WHILE. THE MARALEX WELL IS SHUT IN FOR THE WINTER AND NEXT SPRING (WHEN PRODUCTION RE-COMMENCES) WE SHOULD BE WATCHING TO SEE IF SUCH ALLEGATIONS MIGHT BE HAPPENING. I WAS ABLE TO SCAN THE VALLEY TO THE SOUTH/SOUTHEAST (GENERAL LOCATION OF ALLEGED DUMPING) -- DID NOT NOTE ANYTHING "AMISS" NOR LOOKING LIKE A SPILL. ALSO OBSERVED A SMALL POND NEXT TO PROPERTY GATE, THE ICE OF WHICH WAS CLEAR (AND NOT DISCOLORED).

J K WILL CONTACT MARALEX (12/13) TO OBTAIN TRUCK TICKETS. A CALL TO (AN OBSOLETE?) GJ MARALEX NUMBER HAS NOT BEEN RETURNED (12/13).

THE COMPLAINANT PROVIDED SOME SPECIFIC OBSERVATIONS IN A 12/05/07 EMAIL: THE FOLLOWING TIMES ARE APPROXIMATE AND ARE WITHIN AROUND 10 MINUTES OF THE ACTUAL TIMES. AT AROUND 1:30 PM ON MONDAY, NOVEMBER 19TH, 2007, I OBSERVED THE TLT TRUCK IN QUESTION GO UP THE BALDY CREEK ROAD (THE ROAD WHERE THE MARALAX SITE IS). AT AROUND 2:35 PM I OBSERVED THIS TRUCK COME UP THE SMALL LANE (OFF OF GARFIELD CREEK ROAD) AND THEN PROCEED UP TO THE AREA THAT I POINTED OUT TO YOU ON YOUR VISIT.

I THEN SAW THE TRUCK ABOUT 30 MINUTES LATER LEAVE THIS AREA AND GO BACK UP THE BALDY CREEK ROAD, ABOUT 3:05 PM. I THEN SAW THE TRUCK COME BACK UP THE SAME ROAD AND TO THE AREA IN QUESTION AT A LITTLE AFTER 4:00 PM. AT 4:30 PM THE TRUCK CAME OUT OF THAT AREA AND WENT TO THE HOUSE YOU VISITED, AND WAS THERE FOR THE NIGHT.

AT 7:45 AM THE FOLLOWING MORNING, NOV. 20TH, 2007, I OBSERVED THE TRUCK GO UP THE BALDY CREEK ROAD. BETWEEN 8:45 AND 9:00 AM, MY WIFE OBSERVED THE TRUCK GO BACK UP TO THE AREA IN QUESTION. THAT IS THE LAST TIME I SAW THIS VEHICLE. I THEN REPORTED THIS TO JAKE MAUL AND JIM RADA WHO WORK FOR GARFIELD COUNTY.

I ALSO OBSERVED A SIMILAR TRUCK A FEW WEEKS BEFORE GO TO THE SAME AREA BUT I HAVE NO SPECIFICS ON THE DATE AND TIME.

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AGUILAR

SPILL

1841055

KEN VALENTINE

23160 CR 43.7

AGUILAR

CC

81020

MR. VALENTINE REPORTED THAT HE OBSERVED A POSSIBLE SPILL OR PRODUCED WATER FROM THE PIT AT THE SUPER SPORT 44-26. HE REPORTED THAT HE OBSERVED WATER SEEPING OUT OF THE GROUND APPROXIMATELY 100 FEET EAST OF THE PIT AND PAD NEAR TO AN UNNAMED DRAINAGE HE REFERS TO AS SAWMILL CREEK.

VERBAL NOTIFICATION OF COMPLAINT

INFORMED MR. ALDER OF THE COMPLAINT AND POSSIBLE SPILL OF PRODUCED WATER FROM THE PIT. HE SAID HE WOULD VISIT THE SITE

FIELD INSPECTION 200122360. WALKED PROPERTY DOWNHILL AND TO EAST OF PIT TO CHECK FOR SPILL. SAMPLED PRODUCED WATER FROM PIPE ENTERING PIT AND ALSO COLLECTED WATER SAMPLE FROM LIVESTOCK IMPOUNDMENT THAT IS APPROXIMATELY WHERE MR. VALENTINE REPORTED THE SPILL.

SURFACE WATER

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1841054

KEN VALENTINE

23160 CR 43.7

AGUILAR

CC 81020-970

CDPHE PERMITTED SURFACE WATER DISCHARGES IMPACTING WATER QUALITY IN UPPER APISHIPA RIVER DRAINAGE

SAMPLED SIX SURFACE WATER LOCATIONS IN THE UPPER APISHIPA RIVER DRAINAGE BASIN AT `BASE FLOW` CONDITIONS. PREVIOUS SAMPLES IN PROJECT 1950

VERBAL

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COGCC Response

EADS

ENVIRONMENTAL DAMAGE

2073058

LAURA NEGLEY

EADS

OH

150 FOOT DIAMETER SPOT HAS FORMED IN PASTURE. APPEARS TO BE PIPELINE LEAK. VEGETATION DEAD AND DISCOLORED.

SPOKE WITH MS. NEGLEY ABOUT REMEDIATION.

MIKE LEONARD DISCUSSED SATURDAY 10-20-07 VISIT TO SITE ALONG WITH NCRS AND L. NEGLEY. M . ASH AND MR. LEONARD DISCUSSED OWNERSHIP OF PIPELINE AND WHOTO SEND CORRECTIVE ACTION NOTICE TO.

CONDUCTED SOIL PROBES

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GALETON

ROADS

200120879

WITHAM, DAN AND TAMI

37125 COUNTY ROAD 63

GALETON

CC

80622

DAVID ANDREWS (COGCC STAFF) RECEIVED A LETTER FROM THE COMPLAINANT, DATED OCTOBER 21, 2007, REQUESTING RELIEF FOR ACCESS ROAD MAINTENANCE ON THEIR PROPERTY. THE COMPLAINANT CONTENDS THAT WELD COUNTY IS A MINERAL OWNER OF THE WELLS THAT ARE BEING ACCESSED AND BELIEVES THAT WELD COUNTY SHOULD BE RESPONSIBLE FOR UPGRADING COUNTY ROAD 63 SUCH THAT IT IS MAINTAINED BY THE COUNTY AS A COUNTY ROAD. CURRENTLY, COUNTY ROAD 63 IS A PRIVATE ROAD THAT IS MAINTAINED BY THE RESIDENTS THAT LIVE ALONG COUNTY ROAD 63.

INSPECTED NEW WELL SITE AT SENE 30-7N-63W A PETRO-CANADA WELL. THE TANK BATTERY WAS BUILT AND THE WELL IS WAITING COMPLETION. THE ROAD ROW IS IMPROVED WITH GRAVEL INTO THE BATTERY SITE AND WELLSITE FROM WCR 78 SOUTH ALONG WCR 63 ACCESS TO THE PROPERTY. LANDOWNERS TO SOUTH ALONG THE WCR 63 HAVE NOT INSTALLED GRAVEL IN THE PRIVATE ACCESS ROUTE TO THEIR HOMES. IT APPEARS TO ME THAT PETRO-CANADA IS BEING A GOOD NEIGHBOR BY IMPROVING THE WCR 63 WITH GRAVEL.

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GRAND JUNCTION

NOISE

200123250

MESA COUNTY HEALTH D

P. O. BOX 2000

GRAND JUNCTION

CC 81502

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DECEMBER 10, 2007

BEN MILLER, REGULATORY MANAGER ASPEN WELL OPERATING, LLC 2040 WEST HAMILTON PLACE
SHERIDAN, CO 80110

NATURAL GAS EMISSIONS & EXPLOSION AT KANNAH CREEK FACILITIES

DEAR MR. MILLER:

IN THE EARLY MORNING HOURS OF DECEMBER 7TH, 2007 FOLLOWING EXTREMELY LOUD NATURAL GAS VENTING EMISSION A TREMENDOUS EXPLOSION ROCKED THE UPPER KANNAH CREEK ROAD VICINITY, SOUTH EAST OF PURDY MESA, MESA COUNTY, COLORADO. THIS BLAST OCCURRED AT APPROXIMATELY 0005 HRS MST AND IS PRESUMED TO BE DIRECTLY RELATED TO ASPEN WELL OPERATING COMPANY'S GAS WELL DRILLING OPERATIONS. THIS BLAST WAS EXTREMELY DISTURBING TO NEARBY PROPERTY OWNERS AND WAS FOLLOWED BY CONTINUED GAS VENTING AND ANNOYING ALARM SOUNDS. IT HAS BEEN REPORTED BY NEARBY RESIDENTS THAT PETROLEUM AND HYDROGEN SULFIDE ODORS HAVE ACCOMPANIED SHRILL WHISTLING NOISES DURING THE WEEKS PRECEDING THE MIDNIGHT BLAST.

THIS DEPARTMENT WOULD APPRECIATE AN EXPLANATION FROM ASPEN WELL OPERATING, LLC REGARDING THE CAUSE OF THE ABOVE REPORTED BLAST, EXCESSIVELY LOUD WELLHEAD EMISSIONS, AND RELATED ODORS. IT IS NECESSARY FOR THIS DEPARTMENT TO UNDERSTAND THE NATURE OF SUCH EVENTS, AND THE POTENTIAL FOR CONTINUATION OF SUCH DISTURBING NEIGHBORHOOD IMPACT ACTIVITY, IN ORDER TO RESPOND TO CITIZEN COMPLAINTS REGARDING SUCH ACTIVITY AND CONCERNS OF THE IMPACT TO THEIR HEALTH AND SAFETY.

SINCERELY, STEVEN L. DEFYTER DIRECTOR OF ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH MESA COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT PO BOX 20000 GRAND JUNCTION, CO 81502-5033 OFFICE: 970-248-6978 FAX: 970-248-6923 CELL: 970-260-2187 EMAIL: STEVE.DEFYTER@MESACOUNTY.US

CC: COGCC MESA COUNTY PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT APCD, CDPHE 12/11: J KRABACHER RECEIVED EMAIL FORWARDED BY J. ADKINS FROM C. CANFIELD (COGCC). I CALLED MR. DEFYTER WHO PROVIDED MORE DATA -- TWO NAMES OF NEARBY AFFECTED RESIDENTS (JOHN GARTZ & ___ DOTY); THAT THE EXPLOSION HAPPENED CLOSE TO MIDNIGHT (THURS 12/6 P.M. / FRI 12/7 A.M.). LOCAL RESIDENTS ALSO COMPLAINED ABOUT OTHER THINGS: THE HAPHAZARD WAY THE PIPELINE WAS BEING PUT IN (UTILITY LINES SEVERED); MUD TRACKED ONTO KANNAH CREEK ROAD



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DUE TO NO STORM-WATER BEST-MANAGEMENT PRACTICES; HISSING/VENTING FROM A WELL "NEAR THE CHURCH". I DROVE TO THE AREA LATER A.M. 12/11. I VISITED BOTH WELLS EITHER SIDE OF THE "COWBOY CHAPEL". THEY ARE BOTH SHUT-IN, AWAITING HOOKING-UP TO THE PIPELINE. BOTH SEEMED QUIET, NO HISSING, TANKS EMPTY OF FLUID, ETC. THERE WERE A FEW INCHES OF SNOW AND MORE WAS FALLING. THIS PRECLUDED ANY ASSESSMENT OF STORM-WATER BMPS. THE ASPEN RIG #10 WAS AT THE SHIPP LOCATION -- ABOUT A MILE SOUTH OF KANNAH CREEK UP ON THE MESA. NOBODY WAS THERE. THERE WAS NO EVIDENCE OF ANY BLOW-OUT NOR EXPLOSION (SNOW MAY HAVE PRECLUDED THIS) AND ACCORDING TO THE TOWER LOGS, IT SEEMED EVERYONE LEFT AT 6 A.M. FRIDAY 12/7. I LEFT A CARD AT EACH OF TWO TRAILERS WITH A NOTE TO CALL ME. TOWER LOGS NOTED SEEMINGLY MINOR PROBLEMS -- E.G., THEY PERIODICALLY HAD TO "BLOW OUT" THE HOLE (DUE TO, I THINK, AIR DRILLING SO THEY COULD BLOW OUT THE WATER?), "BOOSTER DIED 6 TIMES" RIG READ-OUT NOT WORKING, LOST CIRCULATION, OIL LEAK AT RIG, BUT ALSO "KELLY BLEW UP" -- WAIT ON NEW ONE.

STEVE DEFEYTER WROTE AN EMAIL 12/11: I DISCUSSED THE ORIGINAL COMPLAINT RECEIVED BY PERRY BUDA, AIR POLLUTION CONTROL SPECIALIST, MCHD, WHO REPORTED THAT THE COMPLAINANT AS PURDY MESA RESIDENT TOM STEINER (257-9160), WHO REPORTED THE LOUD HISSING AND OBJECTIONABLE ODORS, REPORTEDLY FROM THE JENSEN/COWBOY CHAPEL WELLSITE. I ADVISED TOM TO CONTACT JAY TO DISCUSS HIS CONCERNS. JON GARTZ (243-4454) LIVES CLOSER TO THE INDIAN CREEK MESA (SHIPP?) WELLSITE WHICH WE FEEL IS THE SOURCE OF THE MORE RECENT NOISE, AND WHERE THE ASPEN DRILL RIG IS CURRENTLY SITUATED. HE WAS VERY DISTURBED BY THE BLAST. I ADVISED HIM TO CONTACT JAY AS WELL. THE MIDNIGHT EXPLOSION WAS REPORTED BY ANOTHER INDIVIDUAL WHO I CONTACTED WHO LIVES SEVERAL MILES DOWN KANNAH CREEK FROM THE WELL SITE. SHE WAS WOKEN UP BY THE BLAST AND THOUGHT THAT IT WAS A SONIC BOOM. I ALSO LIVE IN THE GENERAL AREA, ALTHOUGH FURTHER DOWN PURDY MESA ROAD, AND CAN REPORT THAT I TOO WAS STARTLED AFTER MIDNIGHT BY THE BLAST. REGARDING MUD AND DIRT CARRYOUT, GARTZ REPORTED THAT A LARGE MUDBALL/CLOD WITH A LARGE ROCK WAS CARRIED FROM THE ASPEN COMPRESSOR STATION ROAD ONTO KANNAH CREEK ROAD NEAR WHITING ROAD. HE DODGED THE OBSTRUCTION, BUT OBSERVED ANOTHER VEHICLE HIT IT, POSSIBLY CAUSING DAMAGE. MUD AND DIRT CARRYOUT IS A BIG PROBLEM AT THIS LOCATION.

12/13: J K SPOKE BY PHONE WITH BEN MILLER (ASPEN REGULATORY COMPLAINEE MGR) WHO SAID THAT AT THE TIME OF THE 'EXPLOSION' THE COMPRESSOR LINE CRACKED. IT WAS RATED THREE TIMES ABOVE WHAT THE PRESSURE WAS. THIS CAUSED THE INCIDENT. LINES WERE TIED-DOWN, NO-ONE WAS HURT. THEY HAD BEEN DRILLING WITH AIR, AND HAD TO FLUSH OUT WATER FREQUENTLY. J K SAW THIS LINE DURING HIS INSPECTION TWO DAYS EARLIER -- A SECTION OF PIPE WITH FRAYED END. THEY (OPR) DECIDED THAT THE WELL WAS AT TD AND STOPPED DRILLING. ALSO RECOMMENDED WE (COGCC AND MESA COUNTY) CONTACT LOCAL ASPEN REP IN GRAND JUNCTION, CLAYTON BROWN.

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VISITED/INSPECTED ASPEN FACILITIES IN KANNAH/PURDY MESA AREAS. SEE FORM 18.

SEVERAL RESIDENTS IN KANNAH CREEK/PURDY MESA AREA HEARD A LOUD EXPLOSION AT MIDNIGHT (12/6-12/7). SOME OF THEM HAD OTHER COMMENTS AND CONCERNS -- E.G., HYDROGEN SULFIDE? ODORS/FUMES FROM JENSEN WELLS, MUD ON HIGHWAY. THESE COMMENTS WERE SENT TO MESA COUNTY HEALTH DEPT.

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IGNACIO

NOISE

200125108

WAYNE ANNALA

1215 MUDD LANE

IGNACIO

CC 81137

COMPLAINANT CALLED TO ADVISE THAT THIS WELL HAS A COMPRESSOR ASSOCIATED WITH IT AND THAT HE HAS MEASURED NOISE LEVELS AT 25' FROM HIS NEARBY RESIDENCE WHICH ARE ABOVE COGCC RULE 802 LIMITS OF 65 DBC. COMPLAINANT REQUESTED THAT SW FIELD INSPECTOR MAKE A FIELD VISIT AND RECORD SOUND MEASUREMENTS.

SW FIELD INSPECTOR ATTEMPTED TO CONTACT COMPLAINANT AND MAKE A VISIT TO TAKE SOUND MEASUREMENTS. COMPLAINANT WAS NOT HOME SO A VOICE MESSAGE WAS LEFT BY INSPECTOR REQUESTING COMPLAINANT CALL BACK TO RESCHEDULE VISIT.

COMPLAINANT LEFT A VOICE MESSAGE WITH FIELD INSPECTOR INDICATING THAT HE HAD SENT AN EMAIL REGARDING THE NOISE DIRECTLY TO OPERATOR IN TULSA IN REFERENCE TO THE NOISE PROBLEM

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SW FIELD INSPECTOR CONTACTED COMPLAINANT AND ARRANGED TO MEET TOMORROW NIGHT (1/24/08) AT 7:15 PM TO TAKE SOUND MEASUREMENTS AT HIS RESIDENCE. INSPECTOR REQUESTED THAT COMPLAINANT FORWARD A COPY OF THE EMAIL WHICH WAS SENT TO OPERATOR REGARDING NOISE LEVELS. EMAIL IS COPIED BELOW:

DEAR SIR,
YOUR WELL SITE HILL 33-9-12 #4 NOT ONLY HAS A REGULAR 67 DB ON THE C SCALE AT MY HOUSE, BUT YOUR MAINTENANCE AND WATER TRUCKS FORCE US TO SUBSERVIENCE ON OUR OWN PRIVATE ROAD. I HAVE MAINTAINED AND PLOWED OUR ROAD AND NOW IT APPEARS AS THOUGH I NEED TO DO THE MAINTENANCE FOR YOUR TRUCKS AS WELL AS OUR OWN USE.

DO YOU THINK IT IS FARE FOR YOU TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF ME AND MY NEIGHBORS IN THIS WAY? CAN YOU NOT AFFORD A SNOW PLOW? IF YOU CAN'T WHY ARE YOU USING ME AND MY NEIGHBORS FOR YOUR CORPORATE PROFIT?

I WOULD NORMALLY SIGN OFF WITH A ++ BUT THIS IS NOT A FAVORABLE MESSAGE, WAYNE C. ANNALA

SE FIELD INSPECTOR CONTACTED CONTACTED COMPLAINANT AND ARRANGED TO POSTPONE SCHEDULED NOISE MEASUREMENTS DUE TO INCLEMENT WEATHER CONDITIONS. COMPLAINANT AGREED THAT ROADS WERE TREACHEROUS AND IT WAS AGREED TO MEET AFTER THE WEATHER BROKE.

COMPLAINANT CALLED AND INFORMED LANDOWNER THAT OPERATOR HAD RESPONDED TO HIS EMAIL AND THAT THEY WERE SENDING SOMEONE OUT TO CHECK ON THE NOISY COMPRESSOR.

SW FIELD INSPECTOR SPOKE WITH FIELD SUPERVISOR WHO INFORMED THAT SAMSON HAD INSPECTED THE COMPRESSOR, DETERMINED THAT THERE WAS A MECHANICAL PROBLEM CAUSING IT TO BE EXCESSIVELY NOISY. SAMSON HAD ORDERED PART TO REPAIR COMPRESSOR AND WAS FIXING IT ON MONDAY 1/28/08. SAMSON SHUT DOWN THE COMPRESSOR OVER THE WEEKEND TO PROVIDE COMPLAINANT SOME RELIEF AND INDICATED THAT THEY WOULD NOT TURN IT ON AGAIN UNTIL REPAIRS WERE COMPLETE.

SW Field Inspector contacted Field Supervisor to check on repairs. Operator informed COGCC that sound walls had been installed and that a hospital grade muffler had also been installed. Operator indicated that these mufflers are required as part of their contract with compressor company but that this one had fallen through the cracks. Operator plans to have sound measurements taken again in the next couple of weeks and will forward a copy of results to SW Field Inspector. Operator indicated they had had no further contact with Complainant.

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SW Field Inspector called Complainant and left a voice mail relaying message that Operator had installed sound walls and a hospital grade muffler to reduce noise levels. Inspector requested that Complainant contact her if issues still remained with noise.

SW Field Inspector contacted Complainant to get an update on noise levels after sound mitigation efforts by Operator. Complainant indicated that noise levels are much lower. Complainant stepped outside and took measurements while on the phone. At approximately 25 feet from residence he indicated that levels were reading 52 dbC which is a great improvement. He also indicated that he still gets quite a bit of noise from the nearby Williams plant but realizes this is a different issue. Complainant was pleased and agreed that Complaint can be closed out. Inspector asked him to please call back with any further issues. Complaint is now resolved.

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MARVEL

PRODUCITON

200121338

MARSHALL HERRERA

MARVEL

CC 81329

COMPLAINANT CONTACTED ME TO ASK WHY THE PIPELINE TO THIS WELL HAS BEEN DISCONNECTED AND WHAT WILL HAPPEN WITH THE PIPELINE IN THE FUTURE.

COMPLAINANT WAS TOLD THAT THE WELL DOES NOT PRODUCE ENOUGH GAS TO BE VIABLE AT THIS POINT AND IS ONLY PRODUCING SMALL AMOUNTS OF OIL. COMPLAINANT WAS TOLD THAT THE OPERATOR INTENDS TO WORK THE WELL OVER IN THE NEAR FUTURE AND THE PIPELINE SHOULD BE PUT BACK IN SERVICE.

CONTACTED SUPERVISOR AND MADE ARRANGEMENTS TO MET WITH HIM TO DISCUSS.

CONTACTED SUPERVISOR AND ASKED HIM WHY THE PIPELINE HAS BEEN DISCONNECTED. HE INFORMED ME THAT THE WELL DOES NOT PRODUCE ENOUGH GAS TO BE VIABLE AT THIS POINT. HE INDICATED THAT THE WELL IS ONLY PRODUCING SMALL AMOUNTS OF OIL. PRODUCTION RECORDS INDICATE THAT IT IS ONLY PRODUCING ABOUT ONE (1) BARREL PER DAY. SUPERVISOR ALSO STATED THAT THEY INTEND TO WORK THE WELL OVER IN THE NEAR FUTURE.

SOIL CONTAMINATION

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200120922

SCOTT HERRERA

P.O. BOX 86

MARVEL

CC 81329

OIL SATURATED DIRT WAS REMOVED NEAR THE WELL HEAD AND SPREAD OVER THE RUTS IN THE LEASE ROAD ABOUT 1/4 MILE FROM THE WELL. HE DOES NOT WANT THE OPERATOR TO LANDFARM OIL SATURATED DIRT ON HIS PROPERTY.

WENT WITH KENT TO THE TURNER #3. FOLLOWING A STUFFING BOX LEAK, THE PUMPER COLLECTED AN OIL/DIRT MIXTURE AND PLACED IT ONTO THE ACCESS ROAD W/OUT SURFACE OWNER OK. WHEN COGCC ARRIVED, THE OIL/DIRT MIXTURE HAD MOSTLY BEEN SCRAPED UP AND REMOVED FROM THE ACCESS ROAD AND PLACED BACK ON THE ACTIVE PAD. WALKED THE ROAD AND ASKED KENT TO DO SOME FURTHER SOIL REMOVAL, FILL OUT A FORM 27 AND COLLECT A CONFIRMATION SAMPLE FROM THE ROAD FOLLOWING FINAL SOIL REMOVAL. SEND SAMPLE TO LAB AND ANALYZE FOR TPH. THEN FORWARD TO COGCC.

Please see inspection #200121137 dated 10/26/07 and NOAV issued 10/31/07 for resolution details.

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MESA

ENVIRONMENTAL DAMAGE

200122865

DOUG DOBOS

K E ROAD

MESA

CC

MR. DOBOS CALLED RE: "SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITIES" AT COMPRESSOR. HE THOUGHT THEY HAD DUG A DEEP TRENCH AND POSSIBLY PUT IN LIQUID WASTE/PRODUCED WATER/WHATEVER IN IT. J K WENT TO LOC AND NOTED NOTHING SUSPICIOUS: OPERATOR IS OBVIOUSLY CONSTRUCTING A NEW ADDITION. EXCAVATION NEXT TO MAIN COMPRESSOR BUILDING HAD BEEN DUG AND CEMENT SLAB/FOUNDATION RECENTLY POURED. SOME MUDDY SLUDGE (NO CONDENSATE NOR OTHER `SUSPICIOUS` SMELL) DUMPED IN FIELD NEARBY, ALSO SOME TOP SOIL. CALLED BRAD ANKRUM AND HE CONFIRMED OBSERVATION: THEY ARE ACTUALLY REPLACING OLDER COMPRESSOR UNIT WITH A NEWER (`QUIET`) ONE. THE BADGER TRUCK MR. DOBOS NOTED WAS PROVIDING WATER FOR CEMENT AND ALSO REMOVING EXCESS MOISTURE FROM THE SLAB AREA.

MR. ANKRUM CONFIRMED MY OBSERVATIONS. OLDER UNIT BEING REPLACED WITH NEW "CAT 3512" AND WHEN COUNTY BLDG PERMIT FINAL, WILL PUT IN `SOUNDPROOF` BLDG (ENVIRONOISE -- CONTRACTOR)

VISITED LOC. CEMENT SLAB/FNDTN HAD BEEN RECENTLY POURED FOR ADDITION TO BUILDING. TOPSOIL AND MUDDY SLUDGE (NOT OILFIELD `WASTE`) DUMPED NEARBY

MR. D CONCERNED ABOUT ACTIVITIES AT COMPRESSOR. THOUGHT THAT HAZARDOUS WASTE/CONDENSATE BEING BURIED.

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NEW RAYMER

SOIL

1237567

DALE GREEN

3500 WELD COUNTY ROAI

NEW RAYMER

CC

80742

WELL SITE WAS PLUGGED IN 2005, AND HTE GRASS GROWTH IS SPOTTY

SURFACE OWNER IS STATING THAT THERE IS NOTHING GROWING ON THE SITE WHERE THE WELL WAS AND THINKS THERE SHOULD BE AT THIS TIME

A FIELD VISIT TO THE SITE. GRASS GROWTH IS VERY SPOTTY, FEW WEEDS GROWING, AND THE FENCING IS IN DISREPAIR. THE GRASS GROWTH IS LESS THAN 20 PERCENT OF SURROUNDING AREA

DISCUSSED THE PROBLEM WITH TERRY, AND HE AGREED TO WORK THE SOIL AND THEN RESEED THE AFFECTED AREA

1237568

DALE GREEN

3500 WELD COUNTY ROAI

NEW RAYMER

CC

80742

SITE WAS CLEANED UP AND LEVELED OFF, BUT THERE IS NO GRASS GROWTH ON THE AFFECTED AREA

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SITE WAS CLEANED UP BUT THERE IS NO GRASS GROWTH ON THE SITE

OPERATOR DISCUSSED THE PROBLEM WITH THE SITE NOT GROWING ANY GRASS. HE AGREED TO REWORK THE SOIL AND RESEED THE AREA

FIELD VISIT SHOWS THAT THE AREA AROUND THE WELL SITE IS BARE, NOT GROWING ANY KIND OF VEGITATION. THERE AER NO FENCES OF ANY KIND IN THE AREA.

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PARACHUTE

NOISE

2082602

SID LINDAUER

PO BOX 626

PARACHUTE

CC 81635

THESE COMPRESSORS ARE IN VIOLATION OF THE NEW NOISE LAWS BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 2007. NIGHT TIME NOISE LEVELS PRESENTLY EXCEED THE 50 DB(A) ALLOWABLE LIMIT AT 350 FEET FROM THE FACILITIES. OFTEN, LOW FREQUENCY NOISE IS CLEAR AND AUDIBLE. THE COMPRESSORS AT THE CALLAHOAN SITE ARE NOT EQUIPPED WITH QUIET DESIGNED MUFFLERS. IN ADDITION, GAS LEAK ODORS ARE EXCESSIVE AND NEED INVESTIGATION AND CLEANUP.

JAY KRABACHER OFFERED TO TAKE "C" SCALE SOUND MEASUREMENTS AT SID'S RESIDENCE TO MEASURE IF LOW FREQUENCY NOISE WAS PRESENT. SID DECLINED THE MEASUREMENTS SAYING THAT HE WANTED TO WAIT UNTIL HE SAW WHAT JAY'S OTHER SOUND MEASUREMENTS 350' FROM THE COMPRESSORS WERE. JAY ALSO ASKED SID ABOUT HIS ODOR CONCERNS. SID SAID THAT IT HADN'T BEEN TOO NOTICEABLE RECENTLY BUT WHEN ODOR WAS NOTICIBLE THE WINDS WERE USUALLY FROM THE NORTHWEST.

JAY KRABACHER MET WITH STEVE SOYCHAK. STEVE EMPHASIZED THAT NOISE RULE 802 STATED NOISE MEASUREMENTS WILL BE TAKEN AT 350' OR THE PROPERTY LINE, WHICHEVER IS GREATER. JAY MEASURED NOISE LEVELS AT THE COMPRESSOR AS 350' SOUTH=50 DB(A). 325' WEST=51 DB(A). 350' WEST/SOUTHWEST=48 DB(A).

NOISE LEVELS AT THE SOLVAY PROPERTY LINE WERE MEASURED AT 46 DBA AND 65 DBC.

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ADDITIONAL CONVERSTATIONS WITH WILLIAMS PRODUCTION CO INDICATED THAT WILLIAMS OWNS THE LAND WHERE THE ROAN COMPRESSOR IS LOCATED. THE LAND IS OWNED BY SOLVAY, A SISTER COMPANY OF WILLIAMS PRODUCTION CO. BECAUSE THIS PROPERTY IS OWNED BY WILLIAMS, NOISE MEASUREMENTS WERE TAKEN AT THE SOLVAY PROPERTY LINE (PER RULE 802.C.(1) ON 11/7/07.. NOISE LEVELS AT THE PROPERTY LINE WERE MEASURED AT 46 DBA AND 65 DBC.

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PLATTE VALLEY

SITE MAINTENANCE

200122913

JOHN COX

16485 LEDYARD

PLATTE VALLEY

CC

COMPLAINANT ALLEDGES WIND EROSION ON WELLSITES NEAR HIS HOME. POOR RECLAMATION OF SITES. LACK OF GATES FOR HORSES TO ENTER PROPERTY.

JIM PRECUP INSPECTED WELL SITE. INSPECTION WAS UNSATISFACTORY FOR MINOR INFRACTIONS (WEEDS, BERMS, ECT). THE AREA IS BLOW SAND WITH PERIODIC CATTLE GRAZING. BASED ON INSPECTION THE OPERATOR IS REQUIRED TO REPAIR BERM, REMOVE WEEDS, REMEDIATE OIL STAINED SOIL, AND CONTINUE REMEDIATION PER COGCC RULE 1003.E.

JIM PRECUP REINSPECTED WELL SITE. INPSPECTION WAS SATISFACTORY. BERMS REPAIRED, WEEDS REMOVED, OIL STAINED SOIL REMEDIATED. WELL SITES HAVE BEEN LEVELED, PLANTED, AND IMBEDDED WITH STRAW.

200122914

JOHN COX

16485 LEDYARD

PLATTE VALLEY

CC

COMPLAINANT ALLEDGES WIND EROSION ON WELLSITES NEAR HIS HOME. POOR RECLAMATION OF SITES. LACK OF GATES FOR HORSES TO ENTER PROPERTY.

JIM PRECUP INSPECTED WELL SITE. INSPECTION WAS UNSATISFACTORY DUE TO WEEDS. BASED ON INSPECTION THE OPERATOR IS REQUIRED TO REMOVE WEEDS.

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JIM PRECUP INSPECTED WELL SITE. INSPECTION WAS SATISFACTORY. WEEDS WERE REMOVED.

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RIFLE

ILLNESS

200121473

RETHA ISLEY

COUNTY ROAD 325

RIFLE

CC

81650

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FORWARDED BY J. ADKINS: JAIME HAD BEEN CALLED BY MS. ISLEY EARLIER IN THE DAY. APPARENTLY, MS. ISLEY HAS BECOME ILL FROM THE UPSURGE IN DRILLING (AND OTHER?) GAS-PRODUCTION ACTIVITIES IN HER AREA. I WAS ASKED TO INVESTIGATE FOR DUST, CONDENSATE, ANYTHING WHICH MIGHT CONTRIBUTE TO HER BREATHING PROBLEMS. I NOTED THAT THE ENCANA RIG ENSIGN 11 ACCESS WAS NOT UP HER ROAD (PORCUPINE CREEK ROAD) BUT WAS ROUTED AROUND, UP BEAVER CREEK, AND COMING DOWN TO THE RIG FROM ABOVE. (NO RIG TRAFFIC WOULD GO PAST HER HOUSE). I ARRIVED AT ISLEY'S AT ABOUT 2 P.M., AFTER DRIVING FURTHER UP (SOUTH) TO LOOK FOR ANY NEARER (THAN THE DRILL RIG, PERHAPS 1.25 MI OR FURTHER AWAY) O&G-RELATED ACTIVITIES. I NOTED NONE. WHEN DRIVING UP THE ROAD TO ISLEY'S I NOTED A LARGE PLUME OF DUST ON THE ROAD -- WHICH I LATER DEDUCED MUST HAVE BEEN A TRUCK GOING TO A GAS-WELL ACCESS ROAD BEFORE (BELOW, NORTH) ISLEY'S. MS. ISLEY'S SISTER-IN-LAW (TINA) WAS ALSO THERE, VISITING FROM OUT OF THE AREA. MS. ISLEY WAS NOT ABLE TO SPEAK LOUDLY, BUT WE WERE ABLE TO TALK INSIDE. SHE SAID THAT JIM RADA (GARCO) SUGGESTED SHE LEAVE "NOW" -- OR REAL SOON, AT ANY RATE. SHE MIGHT GO TO HER SON'S IN RIFLE, BUT COULDN'T STAY THERE LONG (HE LIVES WITH HIS IN-LAWS). SHE MENTIONED THAT ENCANA HAD PREVIOUSLY PUT HER UP IN A MOTEL -- AND THAT SHAWN HELM WAS TO CALL SOON REGARDING THAT (SHAWN DID CALL WHILE I WAS THERE). MS. HELM WAS TO PUT THE MOTEL REQUEST TO D. GRISSO (THE ONLY ONE AT ENCANA WHO COULD APPROVE IT, OR NOT). ENCANA (*) WAS WORKING ON AN ACCESS ROAD FURTHER DOWN THE ROAD (NORTH) -- WHICH PROBABLY ACCOUNTED FOR SOME DUST. THEY WERE TO MAG-CHLOR IT ON 11/08, SAID MS. ISLEY. I MENTIONED ASKING OPERATOR TO MAG-CHLOR THE ROAD BY THE ISLEY'S WHICH RETHA SAID WOULD BE FINE -- EXCEPT THAT SHE GETS A LITTLE ILL FROM THAT, ALSO. ACCORDING TO MS. ISLEY, THE PRESENCE OF THE DRILLING RIG UPVALLEY IS THE PRIMARY CAUSE OF HER CONDITION. FUMES, CHEMICALS, DUST, EXHAUST FROM THE DRILLING ACTIVITY TAKES A WHILE TO MAKE IT'S WAY DOWN THE VALLEY, BUT WHEN IT REACHES HER, SHE GETS SICK. WED. A.M. (11/07) SHE THOUGHT SHE WAS GOING TO DIE. SHE WAS SOMEWHAT BETTER WHEN I WAS THERE FROM 2:15 P.M. UNTIL ABOUT 3. MS. ISLEY SAYS THAT THE DUST (AND WHATEVER) ACTIVATES THE FIRE (SMOKE, I THINK) ALARMS IN HER HOUSE. JK WILL CALL MS. ISLEY LATER 11/08 FOR AN UPDATE. 12/11/07: DRILLING RIG HAS LEFT AREA, ENCANA (& WILLIAMS?) HAD BEEN CONDUCTING DUST SUPPRESSION. DUST-CREATING SITUATION HAS DIMINISHED A LOT.

VISITED MS. ISLEY AT RESIDENCE. ENCANA HAD, IN PAST, PUT HER UP IN MOTEL. SHE SAYS SHE FEELS MUCH BETTER WHEN NOT AT HOME WHEN DRILLING/WORKOVER ACTIVITIES NEARBY.

DIST-INDUCING/CREATING CIRCUMSTANCES HAVE BEEN GREATLY REDUCED. DRILLING RIG ALSO NO LONGER IN AREA.

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ENCANA DID NOT PAY TO TEMPORARILY RE-LOCATE HER.

ODOR

200120255

JUDY MYER AND CRAIG B

CTY ROAD 321

RIFLE

CC

WELL COMPLETION IS OCCURRING AT THIS LOCATION. WELLS ARE STARTING TO MAKE GAS.

WELL COMPLETION OPERATION IS BEING SHUT DOWN FOR THE NIGHT (FLOW TO OPEN TOP TANK) AND WELL IS STARTING TO MAKE GAS. GAS WILL BE DIVERTED TO THE SALE LINE IN THE MORNING.

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ROGGEN

RECLAMATION

1237569

LOST CREEK RANCHES/ B

PO BOX 85

ROGGEN

CC

80652

WELL WAS PLUGGED OUT, WELL SITE AREA CLEANED UP, BUT THERE IS A GRAVEL BASE WHERE THE ROAD WAS. IT NEEDS TO BE REMOVED

FIELD VISIT FOR COMPLAINT. THE ROAD BASE WAS NOT PICKED UP LEADING INTO THE SITE. THE REST OF THE SITE WAS CLEANED UP, AND THERE WAS A CROP PLANTED OVER THE SITE. A NOAV WILL BE ISSUED FOR THE ROAD BASE PROBLEM

BRAD STATED THAT WHEN THEY CLEANED THE LOCATION UP, THEY LEFT THE GRAVEL ROAD BASE LEADING INTO THE WELLSITE.

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SILT

AIR QUALITY

200123504

CINNAMON HUGHES

6 LAZY K ROAD

SILT

CC

MS. H CALLED J. ADKINS RE: "BAD AIR QUALITY". J K CALLED MS. HUGHES ~ 5 P.M. AND SHE SAID THAT SHE THOUGHT SOURCE MIGHT BE GEISKE PAD. "LIGHTS ARE ON AND SOMEONE'S OVER THERE NOW." SHE ADDED THAT HER LAST COMMUNICATION W/D. GRAHAM THAT THE LOCATION WAS SHUT IN (?) OR NOT OPERATING. J K LEFT MESSAGE W/SHANE COLLETT REQUESTING A CALL AS IF ANYTHING EITHER IN OR OUT OF THE ORDINARY WAS GOING ON IN THAT AREA -- AND WHAT MIGHT BE A SOURCE OF BAD AIR QUALITY. SHANE RETURNED CALL 5:30 P.M. AND SAID THAT CONDENSATE/OIL HAD BEEN BEING STORED AT G LOCATION IN UNHEATED TANK. THEY HAD JUST TRANSFERRED THIS CONDENSATE/OIL FROM COLD TANK(S) TO HEATED ONE(S) -- SO AS TO BE BETTER ABLE TO TRANSFER IT OFF LOC. TO SELL SOON. ALSO, THEY WERE BEGINNING TO WORK ON A STUCK PIG IN A PIPELINE TO THE SOUTH. BOTH THESE CIRCUMSTANCES COULD EMIT SOME FUMES/VAPOR WHICH COULD DRIFT OVER TO THE HUGHES'.

CALLED J. ADKINS RE: POOR AIR QUALITY

ENVIRONMENTAL DAMAGE

200121001

LISA BRACKEN

6548 CR 331

SILT

CC

81652

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I RECEIVED A CALL FROM LISA BRACKEN TODAY REGARDING THE DIVIDE CREEK GAS SEEP. SHE INDICATED THAT BUBBLING HAS INCREASED IN SOME AREAS AND HAS EXPANDED TO OTHER AREAS SINCE DRILLING ON THE O2 (SCHWARTZ) PAD HAS RESUMED. SHE WANTED TO LET THE COGCC KNOW OF HER CONCERNS.

CCS COLLECTED FROM TWO LOCATIONS; SAMPLE ID EDC-1 WAS COLLECTED FROM WEST DIVIDE CREEK JUST SOUTH OF COGCC PREVIOUS BRACKEN POND SAMPLE (E/B POND 2) AND SAMPLE ID EDC-2 WAS COLLECTED FROM WEST DIVIDE CREEK JUST NORTH OF COGCC SAMPLE BRACKEN BEAVER POND. BOTH SAMPLE LOCATIONS WERE REQUESTED SAMPLE LOCATION BY L. BRACKEN. SAMPLE REPORT (RECEIVED FROM ECA ON 11/26/07) DETAILS SAMPLE PROCEDURES FOR COLLECTING BOTH WATER QUALITY AND GAS COMPOSITION AND ISOTOPIC SAMPLES.

SAMPLE REPORT RECIEVED FROM ECA REGARDING SAMPLING PERFORMED AT L. BRACKEN PROPERTY IN EARLY NOVEMBER. METHANE WAS OBSERVED IN BOTH SAMPLE LOCATIONS- 0.0041 MILLIGRAMS PER LITER (MG/L) AT EDC-1 AND 0.0089 MG/L AT EDC-2.

COMPOSITION SHOWS THAT THE GAS IN SAMPLE EDC-1 IS PREDOMINATELY METHANE (76.68 PERCENT) AND NITROGEN (18.26 PERCENT) WITH MINOR AMOUNTS OF OXYGEN (3.96 PERCENT), CARBON DIOXIDE (0.77 PERCENT), ARGON (0.326 PERCENT), AND ETHANE (0.0012 PERCENT). COMPOSITION ANALYSIS SHOWS THAT THE GAS SAMPLED AT EDC-2 CONSISTS MOSTLY OF METHANE (77.85 PERCENT) AND NITROGEN (15.12 PERCENT) WITH MINOR AMOUNTS OF OXYGEN (5.93 PERCENT), CARBON DIOXIDE (0.79 PERCENT) AND ARGON (0.308 PERCENT).

ISOTOPIC ANALYSIS SHOWS THAT BOTH METHANE GAS SAMPLES ARE OF BIOGNIC ORIGIN (SAMPLE EDC-1 DEL 13C - -53.35 PART PER MIL AND DEL D - -382.1 PART PER MIL) AND (SAMPLE EDC-2 - DEL 13C - -57.33 PART PER MIL AND DEL D - -382 PART PER MIL).

REPORT CONCLUSIONS ARE THAT BUBBLING ALONG PONDED AREAS OF THE CREEK IS DUE TO BIOGENIC METHANE GAS GENERATED BY DECAYING OF ORGANIC MATERIAL.

CALLED C. WILLIMAS ABOUT VISIT TO L. BRACKEN'S PROPERTY. ENCANVA VOLUNTEERED TO COLLECT SAMPLES FROM BOTH L. BRACKEN PONDS WITHIN NEXT FEW WEEKS. SAMPLES FOR BOTH GENERAL WATER QUALITY AND GAS COMPOSITION AND ISOTOPIC ANALYSIS.

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CHRIS WILLIMAS NO ABLE TO ATTEND FIELD VISIT AND BRETT PRESENT TO REPRESENT ECA.

ARRIVE AT DIVIDE CREEK AT 10:30 . NO UNUSUAL ACTIVITY, BUBBLIBNIG, ETC OBSERVED AT SEEP LOCATION. MEET WITH BRETT AND STEVE THOMPSON. STEVE THOMPSON ONLY PRESENT FOR A SHORT WHILE TO ESCORT US ACROSS HIS PROPERTY. HE REMARKED THAT HE HAD NOT NOTICED ANYTHING UNUSUAL WITH DIVIDE CREEK WHERE IT RAN THROUGH HIS PROPERTY. BRETT AND I MEET WITH LISA BRACKEN AND WALKED ALONG DIVIDE CREEK TO OBSERVE CREEK. NO UNUSUAL ACTIVITY NOTICED; HOWEVER, LISA BRACKEN WAS NOTING THAT SHE THOUGHT THAT SHE WAS OBSERVING SOME NEW BUBBLING ALONG A PORTION OF THE CREEK THAT HAD RECENTY BEEN PONDED DUE TO BEAVER ACTIVITY (NEW POND). I OBSERVED SOME OCCASIONAL BUBBLES IN THAT AREA ALTHOUGH THEY WERE NOT NUMERIOUS OR VIGOROUS. WE DISCUSSED THE OBERVATIONS AND ALSO DISCUSSED FURTHER INVESTIGATION ACTIONS. A GAS SAMPLE FROM THE NEW POND AREA WILL BE COLLECTED FOR COMPOSITIONAL AND ISOTOPIC ANALYSIS, AND IF LISA OBSERVES ANY CHANGES OF CONCERN, SHE WILL CONTACT THE COGCC ASAP. ONE OF OUR GARCO INSPECTORS WILL PERFORM A SITE VISIT ASAP.

ODOR

200120849

DEON ENLOW

4672 CR 311

SILT

CC

81652

DEON STATED THAT HIS WIFE WAS AWAKENED EARLY IN THE MORNING OF 10-21-07 BY A LOUD NOISE AND THE APPARENT SMELL OF GAS. DEON NOTICED A CONTINUOUS CLOUD OF GAS COMING FROM THE WILSON PAD. HE CALLED THE BBC PEOPLE AT THAT TIME. HE SAID THAT HIS WIFE HAS BEEN GETTING SICK FROM THESE TYPES OF RELEASES, SUCH AS EYES BURNING, SORES INSIDE HER NOSE AS WELL, AND JUST A SICKING AFFECT. I TOLD DEON THAT I WOULD DO AN INSPECTION AND GET BACK TO HIM WITH THE RESULTS.

JESSE SAID THAT A FLOW LINE AT THE SEPERATOR HAD WASHED OUT, AND THAT THE WELL WAS SHUT IN UNTIL REPAIRS CAN BE MADE LATER THAT DAY.

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I COMPLETED MY INSPECTION AT THE WILSON PAD AND FOUND THAT BBC HAD WASHED OUT A NIPPLE ON THE 33-4 WELL. REPAIRS HAVE BEEN MADE AND THERE IS NO ODOR AT THIS TIME.

THE WILSON PAD WAS SHUT IN AND HAD NO VENTING. WENT TO THE GIESKE PAD TO DO AN INSPECTION THERE AND FOUND THAT THEY HAD BEEN SELLING GAS TO THE SEPERATORS FROM THE FLOW BACK OPERATION. THE PIT HAD A SLIGHT ODOR BUT NOTHING VERY STRONG. SHANE COLLETTE SAID THEY WERE GOING TO PUMP THE PIT DOWN, OR PUT CHEMICALS IN IT.

SHANE SAID HE WOULD HAVE SOMEONE GO OUT AND DO AN INSPECTION ALSO. HE SAID THAT ALL WELLS ON THE GIESKE PAD ARE FLOWING TO THE SALES LINE AND THAT THEY ARE PLANNING ON PUTTING CHEMICALS IN THE PIT. OR THEY WOULD JUST PUMP IT DOWN.

SHANE SAID HE WOULD GET AN OPERATOR OUT THERE AND CHECK THINGS OUT.

I HAVE INSPECTED THE AREA AND HAVE ASKED BBC TO NOT DO ANY KIND OF VENTING AT ALL. ALSO TO KEEP OIL FROM PITS AND TO KEEP OIL PUMPED AWAY FROM FRAC TANKS. I DID NOT FIND ANY SOURCE OF ODOR AT ANY LOCATION. BBC WILL BE DONE WITH FLOWBACK OPERATION SOON. I COULD SMELL A DIESEL ODOR AT THE HUGHES RESIDENCE AT 9PM COMING FROM THE WATER PUMP AT THE GEISKE PAD. IT WILL SOON BE SHUT OFF.I

200121340

TERAN HUGHES

SILT

CC

81652

TERAN STATED THAT AGAIN HIS FAMILY IS BREATHING VAPORS FROM A NEARBY GAS WELL LOCATION, AND THAT THE ODOR IS VERY STRONG. STRONG ENOUGH TO GET THE ODOR INSIDE THERE HOUSE. IT IS CAUSING HIM AND HIS FAMILY HEALTH PROBLEMS SUCH AS HEADACHES AND BURNING EYES. VERY STRONG AND PUNGENT ODOR. I TOLD TERAN THAT I WILL DO AN INSPECTION AND GET THAT INFORMATION TO HIM.

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I DONT DETECT ANY ODOR AT THIS TIME, BUT HAVE ASKED BARRETT TO PUT CHEMICAL IN PIT TO HELP WITH THE COMPLAINTS. I HAVE ASKED FOR OPERATOR TO ELIMINATE THE USE OF OPEN TOP TANKS IN THIS AREA, AND TO KEEP OIL OFF OF THE PIT, AND TO CLEAN IT FROM TANKS.

FLOWBACK OPERATION GOING ON AT THE GEISKE LOCATION WAS PROBABLY THE CAUSE OF THE ODOR AT THE HOME OF THE HUGHES. FLOWBACK CREW HAS ALL FOUR WELLS GOING TO THE SALES LINE AT THIS TIME, BUT HAVE JUST RECENTLY CHANGED FROM THE FLOWBACK TANKS. STARTED GETTING MORE AND MORE GAS .

JESSE SAID THAT NOTHING HAS BEEN REPORTED TO HIM REGARDING ODOR COMPLAINTS OR MALFUNCTIONS IN THE FIELD. HE SAID HE WOULD GET BACK TO ME IF HE CAN FIND OUT ABOUT THE ODOR COMPLAINT.

I DID AN EARLY MORNING INSPECTION AT THE GEISKE LOCATION AND FOUND THE PITS TO BE ALMOST EMPTY AND FROZEN OVER. NOTHING WAS GOING ON AT THIS SITE THAT WOULD CAUSE VENTING ODORS. ALL WELLS ARE FLOWING THROUGH THE SEPERATORS AT THIS TIME. COMBUSTER IS FUNCTIONING PROPERLY AT THIS TIME. I WILL CHECK THE PIT AT THE MCLAUGHLIN LOCATION.

SITE MAINTENANCE

200122990

LYELL COX

SILT

CC

WITH CURRENT WET CONDITIONS OPERATOR IS NOT DOING ROAD MAINTENANCE AS FREQUENTLY AS IS NEEDED.

Jim will get some new gravel put on the road in the next day or two.

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TRINIDAD

CHEMICAL HAZARD

2073061

JOHN MARTINEZ

412 BENEDICTA AVENUE

TRINIDAD

CC

81082

MR. VINCENT MILOSEVICH CNTACTED SHERIFF JAMES CASIAS ABOUT PIONEER USING HYDROCHLORIC ACID TO HYDRO FRAC THREE CBM WELLS. SHERIFF CONTACTED LAC HEALTH AND MR. MARTINEZ CONTACTED MARGARET ASH WITH COGCC.

TRANSPORT OF A HAZARDOUS MATERIAL MAY REQUIRE A PERMIT UNDER DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION. TRANSPORTATION ROUTES ARE ALSO REGULATED. THERE IS NO PERMIT FOR PURCHASE OR USE. CSP=COLORADO STATE PATROL.

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UNA

DUST

200121361

DON THROM

1589 CR 300

UNA

CC

81635

DON THROM STATED THAT HE HAS A ROAD AGREEMENT WITH ENCANA THAT STATES THAT THE ROADS WILL BE MAINTAINED. DON SAID THAT THE DUST AT HIS RESIDENCE IS GETTING BAD EVERY DAY AND THAT HIS CALLS GO UNNOTICED WHEN HE COMPLAINS TO ENCANA. HE WOULD LIKE THE ROAD TO BE MAINTAINED DUST FREE, AND TO NOT HAVE TO PRACTICALLY BEG FOR COMPLIANCE. HE WILL START LOCKING THE GATE IF COMPLIANCE ISSUES ARE NOT MET IN A TIMELY MANNER. I TOLD DON THAT I WOULD MAKE AN INSPECTION.

I WITNESSED THE WATER TRUCKS SPREADING WATER ON THE ROADS AT DON THROMS PROPERTY. (WATER)

GERALD STATED TO ME THAT HE WILL TALK TO WHO EVER IS IN CHARGE OF THAT AREA AND START DUST CONTROL BY WETTING ROADS WITH WATER.

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WALSENBURG

BASELINE WATER

1841041

DICK GOODWIN

RIVER RIDGE LOT 150

WALSENBURG

CC

81092

REQUEST FOR BASELINE WATER QUALITY SAMPLING AFTER WELL STARTED TO VENT METHANE

SCREENING OF WELLHEAD FOR VENTING METHANE

VISITED SITE AND COLLECTED WATER SAMPLES FOR GENERAL INORGANIC WATER QUALITY PARAMETERS, BART AND DISSOLVED METHANE ANALYSES. SCREENED WELL HEAD FOR METHANE.

1841042

BRUCE HOPKE

RIVER RIDGE RANCH LOT

WALSENBURG

CC

81089

REQUEST FOR BASELINE WATER QUALITY TESTING AS PART OF PROJECT 1986

COLLECTED GAS SAMPLE FROM WELL CASING VENT HOLE AND WATER SAMPLE FOR BART.

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COLLECTED WATER SAMPLE WITH SUSAN WYMAN OF WHETSTONE ASSOCIATES FOR GENERAL INORGANIC WATER QUALITY PARAMETERS AS WELL AS DISSOLVED METHANE ANALYSES