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Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection

P.O. Box 669
Knox, PA 16232-0669
September 10, 2009

Knox District Office

814-797-1191

[REDACTED]

Re: Act 223, Section 208 Determination
Complaint No. 265323
Elk Township, Clarion County

Dear [REDACTED]

The Department has investigated your August 5, 2009, complaint that the degradation of your water supply was caused by gas well drilling activities at the Exotic Oil and Gas, LLC, [REDACTED] gas well (DEP Permit No. [REDACTED]).

On August 14, 2009, I sampled your water supply, which was analyzed by our laboratory in Harrisburg. I have enclosed copies of the analysis reports for your samples. Also enclosed is a fact sheet explaining maximum contaminant levels and interpretations of sample results.

As a result of our investigation and review of the sample analyses, the Department has determined that the drilling, alteration, or operation of oil or gas wells affected your water supply. Exotic Oil and Gas, LLC will be in contact with you to set up arrangements for treatment of the water supply to your trailer, as they previously had with your primary residence.

If you have any questions, please contact me at the above listed number.

Sincerely,

Chad A. Meyer
Water Quality Specialist
Oil and Gas Management

Enclosures

cc: Tony Arone (Exotic Oil and Gas, LLC), w/Enc.
Tony Oprendek, w/Enc.
Don Cornell, w/Enc.
Chad Meyer, w/Enc.
NWRO File, w/Enc.

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P.O. Box 669
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November 3, 2009

Knox District Office

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Re: Act 223, Section 208 Determination
Complaint No. 265323
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Dear [REDACTED]

The Department has investigated your August 5, 2009, complaint that the degradation of your water supply was caused by gas well drilling activities at the Exotic Oil and Gas, LLC, [REDACTED] gas well (DEP Permit No. [REDACTED]).

On October 13, 2009, I sampled your water supply, which was analyzed by our laboratory in Harrisburg. I have enclosed copies of the analysis reports for your samples. Also enclosed is a fact sheet explaining maximum contaminant levels and interpretations of sample results.

As a result of our investigation and review of the sample analyses, the Department has determined that although the drilling, alteration, or operation of oil or gas wells affected your water supply, Exotic Oil and Gas, LLC has installed treatment on the water supply at both your primary residence and your trailer. Sample results indicate that these treatment systems have returned your water supplies to below drinking water standards.

If you have any questions, please contact me at the above listed number.

Sincerely,

Chad A. Meyer
Water Quality Specialist
Oil and Gas Management

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