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Department of Natural Resources

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WARNING LETTER #2193227

February 11, 2016

Fram Operating LLC
Attn: David Cook
6 South Tejon Street #400
Colorado Springs, CO 80903

Well: Siminoe #32-2-I
API #: 05-077-09325

This Warning Letter is to inform you that the oil and gas facility or the oil and gas operations listed above may be in violation of the rules and regulations of the Colorado Oil and Conservation Commission ("COGCC") and corrective action is required.

Rule(s) Citation:

A review of COGCC records indicates that Fram Operating LLC (Fram) has not met the groundwater sampling requirements under COGCC Rule 609. The Applications for Permit to Drill (APD(s)) for the well(s) in the table below were submitted after May 1, 2013 and are subject to COGCC Rule 609 sampling requirements.

Operator	Operator #	API #	Well Name	Form 2 Submit Date	Spud Date	Completion Date	Days Past Due
FRAM OPERATING LLC	10310	05-077-09325	Siminoe #32-2-I	2013-06-26	2014-07-22	2014-09-19	145

In order to comply with Rule 609.d.(2) Fram was required to collect subsequent samples between 6 and 12 months after the well was complete.

At this time, COGCC records do not indicate that samples have been submitted within the time specified by Rule 609.d.(2). Failure to provide the required information is a violation of COGCC Rules and will result in enforcement action if not addressed.

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How to Comply with this Warning Letter:

The COGCC requires Fram to implement the following corrective action(s):

- Submit analytical data from groundwater samples collected pursuant to the requirements of Rule 609.e.

Corrective Action Deadline: March 11, 2016.

Failure to Comply with Warning Letter:

If Fram fails to perform the required corrective actions or cannot provide documentation of a good faith effort to comply with Rule 609 prior to spud, the COGCC will issue a Notice of Alleged Violation and seek penalties pursuant to § 34-60-121, C.R.S. and Rule 523, COGCC Rules of Practice and Procedure, 2 CCR 404-1. (Please note that the COGCC's penalty authority was recently increased to a maximum of \$15,000 per day and penalties are no longer capped at a maximum of \$10,000 per violation.)

If you have any procedural questions about this Warning Letter, please contact Steven Mah, Enforcement Team NOAV Specialist, at 303-894-2100 x5172. If you have any technical questions about this Warning Letter, please contact Arthur Koepsell at 303-894-2100 x5148.

Sincerely,



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