

STATE OF COLORADO  
**OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION COMMISSION**

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES  
SUITE 380 LOGAN TOWER BUILDING  
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Robert L. Hoss  
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Dear Sir:

In April I inspected the tank battery serving your Carey B #1 well in SWSE29-9N-53W of Logan County. A sign needs to be installed with proper emergency numbers as required by Rule 604.c(4). Install a temporary sign now and a permanent sign as soon as one can be secured from the manufacturer.

A much more serious matter is the discharge of water from the last pit into a nearby draw by use of a siphon. This practice is expressly prohibited by Rule 325 and you are hereby directed to cease this practice immediately and until such time as you can provide the Commission with an approved discharge permit from the Division of Water Quality. I realize that this may force premature abandonment of the Carey B #1 so it is not a step taken lightly. However, the quality of the water from this lease makes it unfit for consumption by people or animals of any kind.

If you have questions or comments please contact me at the above address or phone number.

Sincerely,

Robert J. Van Sickle  
Field Engineer

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