Archived: Monday, April 3, 2023 3:37:08 PM From: David Carstens Sent: Monday, April 3, 2023 3:17:52 PM To: Terry Liu (adpce.ad) Cc: Jessica Sears (adpce.ad) Subject: RE: AR0053384 Pre-draft Review Importance: Normal

Thanks Terry. We will review the pre-draft permit and provide our administrative comments.

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Facility: Exploratory Ventures, LLC Permit Tracking No.: AR0053384 AFIN: 47-01073

Attached is the pre-draft NPDES permit for the above referenced facility. You may review the pre-draft for 5 business days. The purpose of this review is to allow the facility an opportunity to comment on typographical errors, mathematical errors, misinterpretations of process descriptions, and other factual errors relating to the application and draft permit. Most other substantial changes will need to be submitted during the official public comment period or in a separate permit application if not contained in the current record. Any comments on this pre-draft can be returned to me via email at terry.liu@adeq.state.ar.us

After the five day review period, a copy of the draft permit and the Fact Sheet will be sent to the EPA for 30-day review. Once it is approved by the EPA, the public notice will be published by DEQ in a newspaper of general circulation of your facility and a letter containing the public notice, a copy of the draft permit, and the Fact Sheet will be sent to the Responsible Official.

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