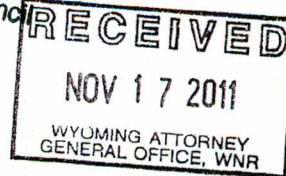


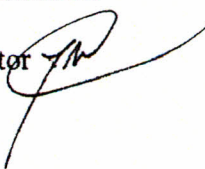
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MEMORANDUM  
Jim Ruby, Executive Secretary  
Environmental Quality Council



**TO** : Environmental Quality Council  
**FROM** : John Corra – DEQ Director   
**DATE** : November 16, 2011  
**RE** : Bond Forfeiture Recommendation – ORO Management, License to Explore 238LE

Attached is information relating to the failure of ORO Management to remove solid waste that has been allowed to accumulate by the operator at the above-referenced License to Explore. The volume of solid waste stored at the site led WDEQ/LQD to consider the site to be an unauthorized Solid Waste Disposal Facility (SWDF).

I have determined that the bond for this License to Explore should be forfeited. I therefore seek your approval to request that the Attorney General begin bond forfeiture proceedings.

Should you have any questions, please contact Nancy Nuttbrock.

xc: Nancy Nuttbrock – LQD Administrator (w/attachments)  
Mark Moxley – LQD District II Supervisor (w/o attachments)

Attachments: Notice of Violation, Docket No. 4907-11  
Inspection Memorandum dated September 28, 2011 (includes chronology and basis for NOV)

1/27/12  
Date

  
Approved  
Chairman, Environmental Quality Council