



UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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JAN 14 2015

Ref: 8P-W-UIC

CERTIFIED MAIL RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Mr. Bob Warneke
Natural Soda, Inc.
3200 RBC 31
Rifle, Colorado 81650

Re: Authorization to Inject
Natural Soda, Inc. Area Permit
Permit No: CO30358-10221
Well Name: 8H-I
Sec. 35 T1S-R98W
Rio Blanco County, Colorado

Dear Mr. Warneke:

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Region 8 Water Program has received your request for authorization to commence injection. Requirements of your UIC Permit required submittal of the following information to the Director:

1. Completed Well Completion Report (EPA Form No. 7520-9) and schematic diagram.
2. Summary of daily drilling activities.
3. Depth to the top of each formation or unit encountered and any water quality or other pertinent data that is collected.
4. Gamma Ray Log (GR), Caliper Log (CAL), Spontaneous Potential (SP)/Resistivity Log
5. Cement Bond Log (CBL) or Cement Evaluation Log
6. A successful Part I (internal) Mechanical Integrity Test (MIT)
7. Temperature Survey
8. Well completion report and CBL for AOR wells:
 - a. 8H-R
 - b. DS-7

All required information has been submitted, and has been reviewed and approved by the EPA. Therefore, effective upon your receipt of this letter, administrative approval hereby is granted for injection under the conditions of your UIC Permit.

As of this approval, responsibility for permit compliance and enforcement is transferred to the Region 8 UIC Technical Enforcement Program office. Please direct all future notification, reporting, monitoring and compliance correspondence to the following address, referencing your UIC Permit number and well name.

US EPA Region 8
UIC Technical Enforcement Program
Mail Code: 8ENF-UFO
1595 Wynkoop Street
Denver, Colorado 80202-1129

If you have questions or concerns, please contact Wendy Cheung of my staff at (303) 312-6242. For questions regarding notification, testing, monitoring, reporting or other Permit requirements, please contact Don Breffle of the UIC Technical Enforcement Program at (303) 312-6198.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Callie A. Videtich".

Callie A. Videtich
Acting Assistant Regional Administrator
Office of Partnerships and Regulatory Assistance

cc: Paul Daggett, Bureau of Land Management
Travis Marshall, Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety
Jerry Daub, Daub & Associates