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March 3, 2016

Rangeview Farms Ltd.
c/o Glen and Susan Williams**APPLICATION NO. 00366801-001 FROM ADVANTAGE OIL & GAS LTD.
(ADVANTAGE)
APPLICATION FOR RECLAMATION CERTIFICATE
STATEMENT OF CONCERN NO. 29776**

Dear Mr. & Mrs. Williams:

You are receiving this letter because you filed a statement of concern about reclamation Application No. 00366801-001. The Alberta Energy Regulator (AER) has reviewed your statement of concern, along with the application, the applicable requirements, and other submissions or information about the application and has decided that a hearing is not required under an enactment or otherwise necessary to consider the concerns outlined in your statement of concern.

In its review of your concerns, the AER considered the following:

- In May of 2013, erosion was observed along the access road and found to be caused by reclamation work done to address compacted subsoil.
- In late May of 2013, eroded topsoil was distributed over the access road, the distributed soils were power tilled and rocks were picked from the wellsite and access road and hauled off-site for disposal.
- In the summer of 2013, a level 1 soils, vegetation and landscape assessment indicated that the site met the *2010 Reclamation Criteria for Wellsites and Associated Facilities for Cultivated Lands* (Reclamation Criteria).
- A site visit conducted by AER staff on October 15, 2015, concluded the wellsite and access road met the Reclamation Criteria.
- The concerns raised in the statement of concern have been addressed by Advantage to the satisfaction of the AER.

The AER has issued the applied-for reclamation certificate and this is your notice of that decision. A copy of the reclamation certificate is attached. Under the *Responsible Energy Development Act* an eligible person may file a request for a regulatory appeal on an appealable decision. Eligible persons and appealable decisions are defined in section 36 of the *Responsible Energy Development Act* and section 3.1 of the *Responsible Energy Development Act General Regulation*. If you wish to file a request for regulatory appeal, you must submit your request in the form and manner and within the timeframe required by the AER. You can find filing requirements and forms on the AER website www.aer.ca under Applications & Notices: Appeals.

inquiries 1-855-297-8311
24-hour
emergency 1-800-222-6514

If you have any questions, contact Steve Demkiw at XXX or Melinda Gonie at XXX.

Sincerely,

Kevan van Velzen
Acting Director (In Situ), Closure & Liability Branch

Enclosure (1): **(Reclamation Certificate)**

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RECLAMATION CERTIFICATE NO. 00366801-00-00
LICENSE NO. 0356266

This reclamation certificate is issued pursuant to Section 138 of the Environmental Protection and Enhancement Act (the "Act"), following a review of the information provided in the application. No reclamation inquiry has been held.

This certifies that the surface of the land held by Advantage Oil & Gas Ltd.

within SE Sec. 17 Tp. 020 Rge. 22 W4M

in connection with or incidental to AVN SHOULDICE 8-17-20-22 WELL, as shown outlined in yellow on the attached plan(s), complies with the conservation and reclamation requirements of Part 6 of the Act.

Issued this 3 day of March, 2016


Designated Inspector under the Act

Operator/Agent:

Advantage Oil & Gas Ltd.
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Calgary, Alberta
T2P 4H2

The AER may cancel this reclamation certificate pursuant to Section 139 of the Act where the AER is of the opinion that further work may be necessary to conserve and reclaim the above specified land to which this certificate relates.

The Responsible Energy Development Act (REDA) permits the filing of a request for a regulatory appeal by an eligible person in regards to the appealable decision as defined in Section 36 of REDA.

If you are eligible to file a request for a regulatory appeal and you wish to do so, you must submit your request in the form and manner and within the timeframe required by the AER. Filing requirements are set out in section 30 of the Alberta Energy Regulator Rules of Practice available on the AER website, www.aer.ca, under Rules & Directives > Acts, Regulations and Rule. Regulatory appeal requests should be e-mailed to RegulatoryAppeal@aer.ca.