## NHDES

## The State of New Hampshire

## DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES



## Robert R. Scott, Commissioner

REGULAR MAIL

December 18, 2018

Lauren Simons Falcon Petroleum, LLC PO Box 522 Millerton, NY 12546

Subject Site: Canterbury – Singh Mart, 125 West Road

NHDES Site #199306030, UST Facility #0110079

Reference: Administrative Order No. 18-013 WMD

Dear Ms. Simons:

NHDES has received your letter dated September 12, 2018 regarding Administrative Order No. 18-013 WMD (the "Order"). NHDES has reviewed the information enclosed in the letter and has the following comments:

- 1) NHDES does not accept Underground Storage Tank ("UST") certification training conducted in states outside of New Hampshire. A list of approved UST operator training classes can be found at <a href="https://www.des.nh.gov/organization/divisions/waste/orcb/ocs/ustp/operator-training/training-classes.htm">https://www.des.nh.gov/organization/divisions/waste/orcb/ocs/ustp/operator-training/training-classes.htm</a>. To achieve compliance with item E.3.a and b in the Order, an individual must attend an <a href="https://www.des.nh.gov/organization/divisions/waste/orcb/ocs/ustp/operator-training/training-classes.htm">https://www.des.nh.gov/organization/divisions/waste/orcb/ocs/ustp/operator-training/training-classes.htm</a>. To achieve compliance with item E.3.a and b in the Order, an individual must attend an <a href="https://www.des.nh.gov/organization/divisions/waste/orcb/ocs/ustp/operator-training/training-classes.htm">https://www.des.nh.gov/organization/divisions/waste/orcb/ocs/ustp/operator-training/training-classes.htm</a>. To achieve compliance with item E.3.a and b in the Order, an individual must attend an <a href="https://www.des.nh.gov/organization/divisions/waste/orcb/ocs/ustp/operator-training/training-classes.htm">https://www.des.nh.gov/organization/divisions/waste/orcb/ocs/ustp/operator-training/training-classes.htm</a>. To achieve compliance with item E.3.a and b in the Order, an individual must attend an <a href="https://www.des.nh.gov/organization/divisions/waste/orcb/ocs/ustp/operator-training-training-classes.htm">https://www.des.nh.gov/organization/divisions/waste/orcb/ocs/ustp/operator-training-training-classes.htm</a>.
- 2) The designated class A or B operator, or an individual under the direction of the class A or B operator must conduct monthly visual inspections at the subject site. To achieve compliance with item E.3.c in the Order, conduct monthly visual inspections by or under the direction of the class A or B operator, record the results of the inspection in a monthly inspection report, and submit a copy of the most recent inspection report to NHDES.
- 3) The UST owner is required to notify NHDES at least 14 days prior to any UST system permanent closure. To achieve compliance with item E.2 in the Order, complete the Underground/Aboveground Storage Tank Closure Notification Form (enclosed) and submit to NHDES at least 14 days before the scheduled permanent closure. Env-Or 408.06 through Env-Or 408.10 require that a certified tank remover must be present onsite during all closure activities; representative samples must be collected; and a closure report must be submitted to NHDES 30 days after the samples are collected.

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Please be aware that NHDES has recently adopted new regulations, effective October 10, 2018. As the Order was issued on August 27, 2018, the Order was issued under the previous UST rules, thus the citations above are in accordance with those rules unless otherwise noted.

If you have any questions please contact me or Matthew Jones in the Waste Management Division of NHDES. Matthew can be reached at (603) 271-3899 or by email at Matthew.Jones@des.nh.gov.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures: Statement of Training

**UST System Closure Notification Form** 

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