

**BEFORE THE**  
**DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY**  
**STATE OF WYOMING**

**IN THE MATTER OF THE NOTICE OF  
VIOLATION & ORDER ISSUED TO:**

**Mr. T Greg Merrion  
Merrion Oil and Gas Corporation  
610 Reilly Avenue  
Farmington, NM 87401-2634**

**DOCKET NUMBER 4809-11**

**NOTICE OF COMPLIANCE**

The Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ), Water Quality Division (WQD) issued Notice of Violation (NOV) Docket Number **4809-11** on April 13, 2011 to Merrion Oil and Gas Corporation (Merrion). The NOV alleged that Merrion had failed to submit properly completed Discharge Monitoring Reports (DMRs) and failure to respond to Letters of Violation (LOV). Merrion therefore was in violation of the Wyoming Environmental Quality Act (Act) and applicable Wyoming Water Quality Rules and Regulations (WWQRR).

The Notice of Violation required Merrion to resubmit the DMRs and a plan of action to be taken to achieve compliance with permit requirements to the DEQ. Based on reviewed information submitted Merrion has complied with the conditions of NOV Docket Number **4809-11** and the DEQ finds that all terms have been satisfied.

The DEQ looks forward to working with Merrion in a proactive manner and is available for future quarterly or semi-annual meetings to discuss compliance issues or concerns regarding WYPDES permit requirements. It should be noted that future violations of this nature may result in elevated enforcement to include a penalty.

Dated this 8<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2011.

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