

## Sheri Merrell

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**From:** Buford, Royce <Royce.Buford@bsee.gov>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, December 13, 2011 11:31 AM  
**To:** Sheri Merrell  
**Cc:** Meaux, Wayne; Moore, David C; Williamson, Larry  
**Subject:** RE: [WARNING : MESSAGE ENCRYPTED] FW: EC 111 #2 well 9 5/8" Cement Job

Approval is hereby granted to reduce the cement volume for the 9-5/8" csg to 622 cf as requested. Please attach this email to an RPD as documentation. Thanks.

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**From:** Sheri Merrell [<mailto:smerrrell@eplweb.com>]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, December 13, 2011 10:28 AM  
**To:** Buford, Royce  
**Cc:** Meaux, Wayne  
**Subject:** [WARNING : MESSAGE ENCRYPTED] FW: EC 111 #2 well 9 5/8" Cement Job  
**Importance:** High

Royce, I received Dave's out of office reply. Please see below and advise.

Thank you,

**Sheri**  
(504) 799-4863

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**From:** Sheri Merrell  
**Sent:** Tuesday, December 13, 2011 10:28 AM  
**To:** Moore, Dave ([Dave.Moore@bsee.gov](mailto:Dave.Moore@bsee.gov))  
**Cc:** Alex Obvintsev  
**Subject:** FW: EC 111 #2 well 9 5/8" Cement Job  
**Importance:** High

Dave,

Please see below and advise if you agree with proposed. If so, I will file the RPM.

Thanks,

**Sheri**  
(504) 799-4863

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**From:** Alex Obvintsev  
**Sent:** Tuesday, December 13, 2011 10:25 AM  
**To:** Sheri Merrell; Offshore Laptop #3; Jerry Rodriguez; Joe Broussard Home; Jay Belden  
**Cc:** Chad Williams

**Subject:** EC 111 #2 well 9 5/8" Cement Job

**Importance:** High

Sheri,

Can you call Lake Charles district and see if we can reduce cement volume for 9 5/8" intermediate casing from 1,879 ft<sup>3</sup> – 5,885 ft of fill as approved in APD to 662 ft<sup>3</sup> – 2,000 ft of fill.

The reason we are asking for a change is because there are no hydrocarbon bearing zones in this hole section to be isolated and a sole purpose of this cement job is to provide adequate casing shoe for 9 5/8" intermediate casing. By reducing volume of cement we are greatly reducing risk of loss returns and ultimately poor primary cement job.

Proposed well schematic and a log section are attached.

Thanks you!

Alex

**Alex Obvintsev**

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