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**From:** PUBCOMMENT-OCC  
**Sent:** Monday, August 15, 2022 9:00 AM  
**To:** PUBCOMMENT-OCC2; PUBCOMMENT-OPIC; PUBCOMMENT-ELD; PUBCOMMENT-WQ  
**Subject:** FW: Public comment on Permit Number WQ0005387000

**From:** harold.gervais@yahoo.com <harold.gervais@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, August 13, 2022 8:16 PM  
**To:** PUBCOMMENT-OCC <PUBCOMMENT-OCC@tceq.texas.gov>  
**Subject:** Public comment on Permit Number WQ0005387000

**REGULATED ENTY NAME** GOLDEN STAR DAIRY

**RN NUMBER:** RN102804879

**PERMIT NUMBER:** WQ0005387000

**DOCKET NUMBER:**

**COUNTY:** BOSQUE

**PRINCIPAL NAME:** SCHOUTEN, NOVA DARLENE,SCHOUTEN, PETER HENRY SR

**CN NUMBER:** CN601479520,CN601479512

**FROM**

**NAME:** MR Harold P Gervais

**EMAIL:** [harold.gervais@yahoo.com](mailto:harold.gervais@yahoo.com)

**COMPANY:** DDR Ranch

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**COMMENTS:** We operate a 75 acre cattle ranch south of the subject wastewater pits. Any overflow of the pits will feed into a series of normally dry ditches that eventually feed into our livestock tank which cattle drink from. With the sheer number of dairy heifers we are concerned about potential overflow that can contaminate our tank, as we have seen the ponds nearly full with the previous Liberty Farms 65 cow operation. What assurances, if any, do we have that every

precaution to prevent overflow has been taken? For what its worth, Mr. Schouten does not answer his phone. I can attest to that as I have tried to reach him many, many times in the past 8 years we have lived here.