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March 23, 2006
Bureau of Land Management
620 East Greene St.
Carlsbad, NM 88220-7292
Attn: Mr. Craig Cranston To Whom It May Concern

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RE: APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL IN POTASH AREA

OPERATOR: Chesapeake Operating, Inc.
LEASE NAME: IMC 21 # 1
LOCATION: SEC. 21, TOWNSHIP 23 SOUTH, RANGE 29 EAST,
330' FNL & 660' FEL
EDDY COUNTY, NM, NMPPM

PROPOSED DEPTH: 7000'

Dear Craig or To Whom It May Concern,

The application for permit to drill identified above has been filed with this office of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division. Pursuit to the provisions of Oil Conservation Division Order R-111-P, please advise this office whether or not this application is within an established Life-of-Mine Reserve area filed with and approved by your office. If not, please advise whether it is within the buffer zone established by this order.
Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

Bryan G. Arrant
PES, District II Artesia NMOCD

In LMR	Yes _____	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> _____
In Buffer Zone	Yes _____	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> _____

Comments:

Signature:

Date: 3-27-06



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John
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3-23-06

In LMR Yes _____
In Buffer Zone Yes _____

No ☒
No ☒

Comments:

Signature: _____

Date: 3/24/06