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Roswell, New Mexico 88202

IN REPLY REFER TO:

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CERTIFIED-RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

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Pogo Producing Company
Attn: Richard L. Wright
P.O. Box 10340
Midland, TX 79702-7340

Re: Sterling Silver "3" Fed. No.8, Lease NM-55142
Sterling Silver "33" Fed. No. 12, Lease NM-45236
Sterling Silver "34" Fed. No. 7, Lease NM-43744
Getty "24" Federal No. 11, Lease NM-25876



Gentlemen:

As per our telephone conversation of September 7, 2000 you were advised that the Conditions of Approval - Drilling Stipulation II Casing: No.3 attached to the subject wells was being amended .

In order that the stipulation is in compliance with Potash Order R-111P we hereby amend the stipulation to read as follows:

3. The minimum required fill of cement behind the 5 ½ inch production casing is to be sufficient to circulate to the surface.

Please note your well records accordingly. If you have any questions concerning this requirement please call Armando Lopez at (505) 627-0248.

Sincerely,

(ORIG. SGN) ARMANDO A. LOPEZ

Larry D. Bray
Assistant Field Manager,
Lands and Minerals Division

cc:

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