Submit 1 Copy To Appropriate District State of New Mexico	Form C-103
<u>District I</u> – (575) 393-6161 Energy, Minerals and Natural Reso	ources Revised August 1, 201
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 8824() District II – (575) 748-1283	WELL API NO. 30-045-35386
811 S. First St., Artesia, NM 88210         OIL CONSERVATION DIVIS	SION 5 Indicate Type of Lease
1000 Rio Brazos Rd., Aztec, NM 87410	SIAIE SIAIE
District IV – (505) 476-3460 Salita Fe, INIVI 87505	6. State Oil & Gas Lease No. NM VO-8293-0000
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PROPOSALS.) 1. Type of Well: Oil Well 🔲 Gas Well 🔀 Other	8. Well Number 1
2. Name of Operator Koch Exploration Company, LLC	9. OGRID Number 12807
3. Address of Operator	10. Pool name or Wildcat
PO Box 489, Aztec, NM 87410	Fruitland coal
4. Well Location         Unit Letter       A       : 660 feet from the North line and 66         Section       2 Township 24N       Range 13W       NMPM         11. Elevation (Show whether DR, RKB, R	San Juan County
6296' GR	
12. Check Appropriate Box to Indicate Nature o	f Notice, Report or Other Data
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## **CERTIFIED MAIL – RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**

State of New Mexico **Energy Minerals and Natural Resources Oil Conservation Division** 1220 South Saint Francis Drive Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Dear Sir:

An administrative review has been conducted on the following proposed Application for Permit to Drill (APD) submitted by Koch Exploration Company, LLC.

Bisti 2-1, State Lease No: ST NM VO-8293-0000. The proposed well is described as 660'FNL/660'FEL, located in Section 2, T24N, R13W, San Juan County, New Mexico. Included in the approved disturbance is a well pad containing 1.05 acres, more or less. This location is on the Navajo Nation Trust Lands and within the Navajo Indian Irrigation Projects (NIIP) designated boundaries.

Amended Resolution of the Resources Committee of the Navajo Nation Council No: RDCJN-05-11 passed on June 14, 2011, authorized the Navajo Nation Land Department to issue consent letters for APD's and Construction of Associated Ancillary Facilities. Consent letter dated April 5, 2013, approves the enclosed Koch Exploration Company, LLC's APD. Please note that the Resources Committee set certain terms and conditions which must be followed. The Navajo Nation Environmental Protection Agency also set specific terms and conditions which must be followed. Other required clearances from the Navajo Nation have been obtained and are on file.

NOTE: Navajo Nation Department of Fish and Wildlife set out specific conditional approval regarding this project. Project construction must avoid the Burrowing Owl (athene cunicularis) breeding season of 1 MAR – 15 AUG or a preconstruction survey will be required. The survey must include a buffer of 0.4 km (1/4 mi) from the edge of disturbance; (2) Project construction must avoid the Mountain Plover (charadrius montanus) breeding season of 1 APR – 15 JUL or a pre-construction survey will be required. The survey must include a buffer of 0.2 km (1/8 mi) from the edge of the disturbance.

We concur with approval of the above referenced application, provided enclosed Bureau of Indian Affairs and the Navajo Nation stipulations are adhered to and made a part of the drilling plan.

Any questions regarding this application may be directed to Ms. Bertha Spencer, Supervisory Realty Specialist, Branch of Leases/Permits Section (Minerals) at (505) 863-8336.

Sincerely,

/S/ Sharon A. Pinto

Regional Director, Navajo

Enclosures

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cc: <u>Koch Exploration Company, LLC, P.O. Box 489, Aztec, NM\_87410</u> Navajo Nation, Attn: Minerals Department. P.O. Box 1910, Window Rock, AZ Navajo Nation, Division of Natural Resources, Attn: Project Review Office BLM, Farmington District Office, 6251 College Blvd., Ste A, Farmington, NM



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## BEN SHELLY PRESIDENT REX LEE JIM VICE PRESIDENT

April 5, 2013

Ms. Sharon Pinto, Regional Director Bureau of Indian Affairs Navajo Region Post Office Box 1060 Gallup, New Mexico 87305

RE: Application for Permit to Drill (APD) from Koch Exploration Company LLC on Navajo Nation Trust Land.

Dear Ms. Pinto:

Pursuant to Resolution RDCJN-05-11, approved by the Resources and Development Committee of the Navajo Nation Council, the Navajo Land Department hereby approves an Application for Permit to Drill (APD) to drill, construct, operate and maintain "Bisti 2-1" well and associated ancillary facilities submitted by Koch Exploration Company LLC on Lease No. NM VO-8293-0000 across Navajo Nation Trusts Lands, San Juan County, Navajo Nation (New Mexico), attached hereto as Exhibits "A through D".

The Navajo Nation hereby approves the APD to Koch Exploration Company LLC subject to, but not limited to, the terms and condition contained in Exhibit "D". Please be advised that the Navajo Nation's approval of this APD is also conditioned upon the Bureau of Indian Affairs ensuring that the oil and gas lessee or operator will properly plug and abandoned all oil, gas, injection, disposal, and dry hole wells and that their associated ancillary equipment and facilities are removed from the affected Navajo Nation land and that the land will be properly reclaimed when exploration and/or production ceases. If you have questions please call (928) 871-6447.

Sincerely, THE NA

W. Mike Haona, Program Director Navajo Land Department, DNR

ENCLOSURES cc: Akhtar Zaman, Director, Minerals Department

