

BRISTOL
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Corporation

August 14, 1997

Chesapeake Operating, Inc.
Attention: Mike Hazlip, CPL
P.O. Box 18496
Oklahoma City, OK 73154-0496

(VIA FACSIMILE AND CERTIFIED MAIL)

Re: Kim #1-1 Well, S/2 SE/4 Section 1-T16S-R36E
Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Mike:

I have reviewed all of the information supplied to Bristol concerning the drilling of the proposed Kim #1-1 Well. Bristol has previously received an AFE and a well proposal/election letter from Chesapeake.

In light of the fact that Bristol may elect to participate with some or all of its 25% working interest in the proposed Kim #1-1 Well, Bristol hereby requests that Chesapeake supply to Bristol a copy of the Joint Operating Agreement governing the drilling, completion, and operation of the proposed Kim #1-1 Well.

Upon receipt and review of the aforementioned Joint Operating Agreement Bristol Resources Corporation will make an election as to Bristol's participation in the Kim #1-1.

Please feel free to contact me should you have any questions.

Yours very truly,
Bristol Resources Corporation



Ed Watts
Landman

BEFORE THE
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
Case No. 11836 Exhibit No. 10
Submitted By:
Chesapeake Inc.
Hearing Date: August 21, 1997