

March 29, 2019



Oil Conservation Division  
1625 N. French Drive  
Hobbs, NM 88240  
Attn: Paul Kautz, Hobbs District Geologist

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RE: T21S-R31E Sections 6 & 7  
Lea Co., New Mexico  
Adams State 15H

Dear Mr. Kautz,

Cimarex Energy Co. ("Cimarex") has submitted the application for permit to drill for the above referenced Adams State 15H well (the "Well") to the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission. Since the well is located within the Designated Pot Ash Area, Cimarex has researched the Bureau of Land Management and New Mexico State Land Office records and has not located any active potash lease(s) within 1 mile of the Well.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me at (432) 620-1966.

Very truly yours,

CIMAREX ENERGY CO.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Riley C. Morris".

Riley C. Morris  
Landman

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BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT  
ATT: James S. Rutley  
620 E Greene Street  
Carlsbad, NM 88220

STATE LAND OFFICE  
ATT: Stephen Wust  
PO BOX 1148  
Santa Fe, NM 87505

RE: APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL IN POTASH AREA

OPERATOR: CIMAREX ENERGY CO. OF COLORADO

LEASE NAME: ADAMS STATE COM #015H

PROPOSED LOCATION: U/L I Sec 6 T21S R33E 1996 FSL 1031 FEL

Lat: 32.506150

Long: -103.606537

PROPOSED DEPTH: 18379' MD

Gentleman:

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

Thank you for your assistance. Please Return as soon as possible.

Very truly yours,

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Paul Kautz

Hobbs District Geologist, District I

RESPONSE:

The above referenced location is in LMR (2019 year) -----Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No ☒

The above referenced location is within the Buffer Zone -----Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No ☒

Signed

Printed Signature Stephen Wust

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