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COG Operating LLC
One Concho Center
600 W. Illinois Avenue
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ATTN: Ms. Mona D. Ables, CPL

RE: Oil and Gas Leases on NM State Trust Lands

Dear Ms. Ables:

COG has invoked Paragraph 14 of Lease No. V0-8726-0 for the Warbler State #1H well. After further consideration, we have found that:

1. Paragraph 14 requires that the lessee conduct "bona fide drilling or reworking operations" on the wellbore.
2. Such operations must be "diligently prosecuted".
3. Use of a "spudder" rig and the intermittent rate of it's associated drilling, does not constitute diligent progress.

Therefore, absent any additional information showing an indication of lease operations which are required by Paragraph 14 of the leases, the following lease will be terminated on November 11, 2015:

V0-8726-0 Warbler State #1H

3D-025-41107

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Ed Martin at 505-827-5746 or emartin@slo.state.nm.us

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OCD REQUIREMENTS
IF LEASE IS TERMINATED, APD WILL BE CANCELLED
AND C-103 FOR P/A AND C-105 WILL BE REQUIRED.
THE WELLBORE WILL BE PROPERLY P/A AT THAT TIME.
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cc: Aaron Myers, COG Operating LLC
Gary Young, COG Operating LLC
Bureau of Land Management, ATTN: Ed Fernandez, Carlsbad District
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division, Hobbs and Artesia Districts

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