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**NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION**  
 - Geological & Engineering Bureau -  
 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, NM 87505



Case 15983

**ADMINISTRATIVE APPLICATION CHECKLIST**

THIS CHECKLIST IS MANDATORY FOR ALL ADMINISTRATIVE APPLICATIONS FOR EXCEPTIONS TO DIVISION RULES AND  
 REGULATIONS WHICH REQUIRE PROCESSING AT THE DIVISION LEVEL IN SANTA FE

**Applicant:** EOG Resources**OGRID Number:** 7377**Well Name:** Date 14 State Corn No.602H Well**API:** \_\_\_\_\_**Pool:** Berry; Bone Spring, North Pool**Pool Code:** 5535

**SUBMIT ACCURATE AND COMPLETE INFORMATION REQUIRED TO PROCESS THE TYPE OF APPLICATION  
 INDICATED BELOW**

**1) TYPE OF APPLICATION:** Check those which apply for [A]A. Location ☒ Spacing Unit – Simultaneous Dedication☒ NSL☐ NSP (PROJECT AREA)☐ NSP (PRORATION UNIT)☐ SD

B. Check one only for [I] or [II]

[I] Commingling – Storage – Measurement

☐ DHC☐ CTB☐ PLC☐ PC☐ OLS☐ OLM

[II] Injection – Disposal – Pressure Increase – Enhanced Oil Recovery

☐ WFX☐ PMX☐ SWD☐ IPI☐ EOR☐ PPR**2) NOTIFICATION REQUIRED TO:** Check those which apply.A. ☒ Offset operators or lease holdersB. ☐ Royalty, overriding royalty owners, revenue ownersC. ☐ Application requires published noticeD. ☒ Notification and/or concurrent approval by SLOE. ☐ Notification and/or concurrent approval by BLMF. ☐ Surface ownerG. ☒ For all of the above, proof of notification or publication is attached, and/or,H. ☐ No notice required**FOR OCD ONLY**☐

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☐Application  
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- 3) CERTIFICATION:** I hereby certify that the information submitted with this application for administrative approval is **accurate** and **complete** to the best of my knowledge. I also understand that **no action** will be taken on this application until the required information and notifications are submitted to the Division.

**Note: Statement must be completed by an individual with managerial and/or supervisory capacity.**

Jordan L. Kessler

Print or Type Name

Signature

September 15, 2017

Date

505-988-4421

Phone Number

jlkessler@hollandhart.com

e-mail Address

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September 15, 2017

**VIA HAND DELIVERY**

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

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**Re: Application of EOG Resources, Inc. for administrative approval of an unorthodox well location for its Date 14 State Com No. 602H Well in the W/2 E/2 of Section 11 and Section 14, Township 21 South, Range 33 East, N.M.P.M., Lea County, New Mexico.**

API NO. 30-025-44072

Dear Mr. Catanach:

EOG Resources, Inc. (OGRID No. 7377) seeks administrative approval of an unorthodox well location for its **Date 14 State Com No. 602H Well** (API No. pending) to be completed within the Berry; Bone Spring, North Pool (5535) underlying Sections 11 and 14, Township 21 South, Range 33 East, N.M.P.M., Lea County, New Mexico. This well will be drilled from a surface location 230 feet from the South line and 1,370 feet from the East line (Unit O) of Section 14. The upper most perforation will be located 330 feet from South line and 1,370 feet from the East line (Unit O) of Section 14 and the lower most perforation will be 330 feet from the North line and 1,370 feet from the East line (Unit B) of Section 11. Since this acreage is governed by the Division's statewide rules which provides for wells to be located no closer than 330 feet to the outer boundary of the spacing unit, the completed interval for this well will be unorthodox because it is closer than 330 feet to the eastern, southeastern, and northeastern boundaries of the project area.

EOG is the operator of the Date BTB State Com #4H Well and the Date BTB State Com #8H Well in the E/2 E/2 of Section 14. EOG is the operator of the Cranberry BSU State Com #1H and the Cranberry BSU SC #5H in the E/2 E/2 of Section 11. Ownership is identical in the E/2 of Section 11 and the E/2 of Section 14. Approval of the unorthodox completed interval will allow EOG to use their preferred well spacing plan for horizontal wells in this area and thereby prevent waste.

**Holland & Hart<sup>LLP</sup>**

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**Exhibit A** is a draft Well Location and Acreage Dedication Plat (Form C-102), which shows that the completed interval of the proposed **Date 14 State Com No. 602H Well** encroaches on the spacing and proration units to the East, Northeast, and Southeast.

**Exhibit B** is a land plat for Sections 11 and 14 and the surrounding sections that shows the proposed **Date 14 State Com No. 602H Well** in relation to adjoining units and existing wells.

**Exhibit C** is a list of the parties affected by the encroachment to the Northeast and Southeast. As described above, EOG is the operator in the spacing proration unit comprised of the E/2 E/2 of Sections 11 and 14 and ownership is identical to the proposed spacing unit. Accordingly, there are no affected parties in the spacing units to the East of the proposed well. Each of the parties listed on Exhibit C have been provided notice of this application by certified mail. A copy of this application has been provided to the State Land Office.

Your attention to this matter is appreciated.

Sincerely,

for

Jordan L. Kessler

ATTORNEY FOR EOG RESOURCES, INC.

cc: State Land Office





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September 15, 2017

**VIA CERTIFIED MAIL**  
**RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**

**TO AFFECTED PARTIES**

**Re: Application of EOG Resources, Inc. for administrative approval of an unorthodox well location for its Date 14 State Com No. 602H Well in the W/2 E/2 of Section 11 and Section 14, Township 21 South, Range 33 East, N.M.P.M., Lea County, New Mexico.**

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Enclosed is a copy of the above-referenced application which was filed with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division on this date. Any objection to this application must be filed in writing within twenty days from this date with the applicant and the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division, 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, New Mexico, 87505. If no objection is received within this twenty-day period, this application may be approved administratively by the Division.

If you have any questions about this application, please contact the following:

Paul Boland  
EOG Resources, Inc.  
(432) 686-3666  
Paul\_Boland@eogresources.com

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "for J. Kessler".

Jordan L. Kessler  
**ATTORNEY FOR EOG RESOURCES, INC.**

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District IV  
1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505  
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State of New Mexico  
Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources  
Department  
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION  
1220 South St. Francis Dr.  
Santa Fe, NM 87505

FORM C-102

Revised August 1, 2011

Submit one copy to appropriate

District Office

☐ AMENDED REPORT

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

<sup>1</sup> API Number <b>30-025-44072</b>		<sup>2</sup> Pool Code	<sup>3</sup> Pool Name
<sup>4</sup> Property Code	<sup>5</sup> Property Name <b>DATE 14 STATE COM</b>		<sup>6</sup> Well Number <b>#602H</b>
<sup>7</sup> OGRID No.	<sup>8</sup> Operator Name <b>EOG RESOURCES, INC.</b>		<sup>9</sup> Elevation <b>3786'</b>

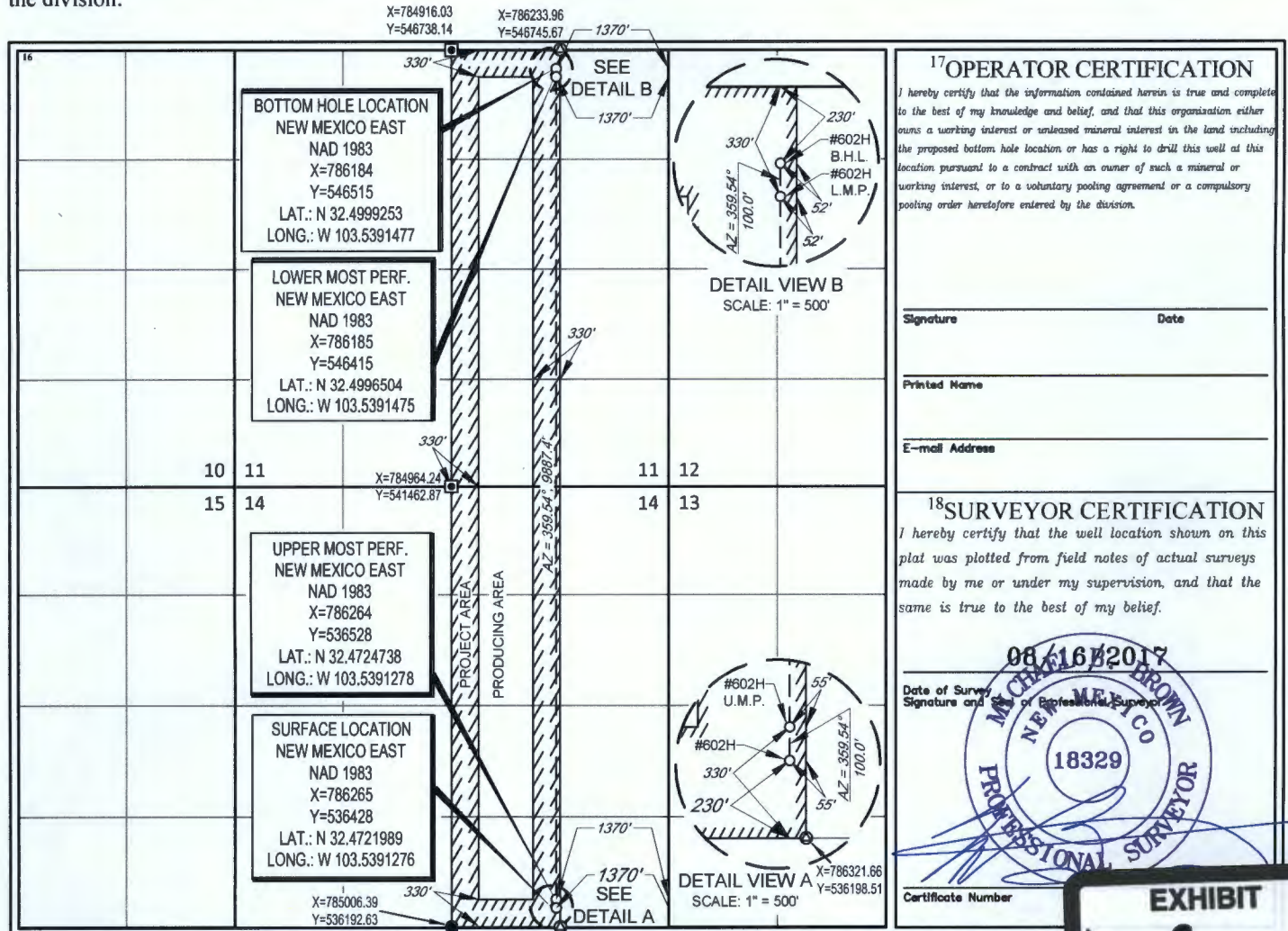
<sup>10</sup>Surface Location

UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
<b>0</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>21-S</b>	<b>33-E</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>230'</b>	<b>SOUTH</b>	<b>1370'</b>	<b>EAST</b>	<b>LEA</b>

UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
<b>B</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>21-S</b>	<b>33-E</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>230'</b>	<b>NORTH</b>	<b>1370'</b>	<b>EAST</b>	<b>LEA</b>

<sup>12</sup> Dedicated Acres <b>320.00</b>	<sup>13</sup> Joint or Infill	<sup>14</sup> Consolidation Code	<sup>15</sup> Order No.
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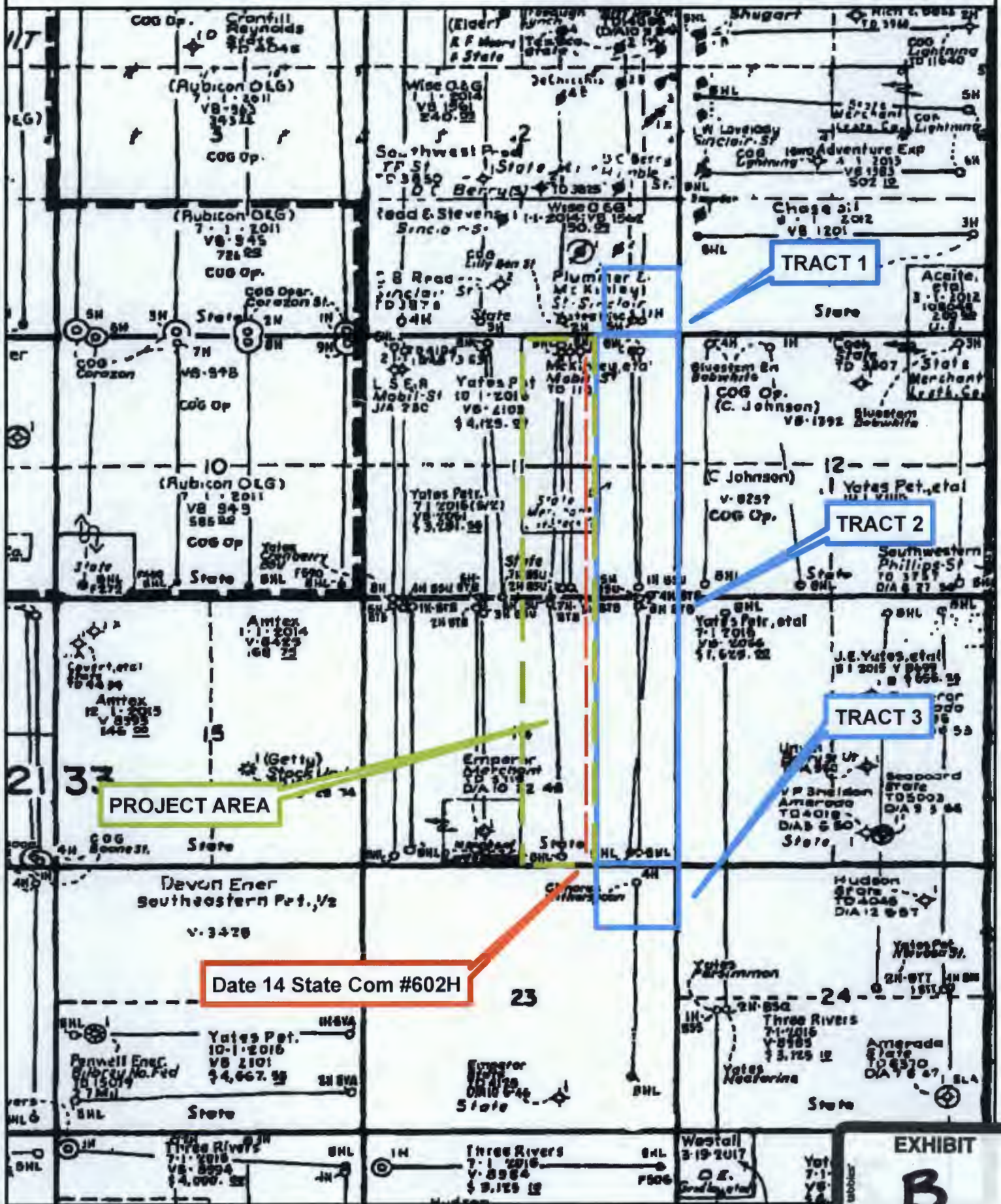
No allowable will be assigned to this completion until all interests have been consolidated or a non-standard unit has been approved by the division.





EOG RESOURCES, INC.

DATE 14 STATE COM #602H UNORTHODOX LOCATION NOTICE TRACT PLAT  
TOWNSHIP 21 SOUTH RANGE 33 EAST, LEA COUNTY, NM



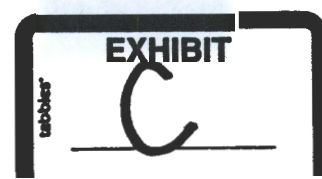
**Exhibit C**

**Tract 1:**

COG Operating, LLC  
One Concho Center  
600 W. Illinois Avenue  
Midland, TX 79701  
70171450000216967545

**Tract 3:**

Cimarex Energy Co.  
600 N. Marienfeld St #600  
Midland, Texas 79701  
70171450000216967552



**From:** [Lowe, Leonard, EMNRD](#)  
**To:** ["Jordan L. Kessler"](#)  
**Cc:** [Brown, Maxey G, EMNRD](#); [Kautz, Paul, EMNRD](#); [Sharp, Karen, EMNRD](#); [Jones, William V, EMNRD](#); [Goetze, Phillip, EMNRD](#); [McMillan, Michael, EMNRD](#); ["lisa@rwbyram.com"](#); [Holm, Anchor E.](#); [Martin, Ed](#)  
**Subject:** APPROVED NSL-7627\_EOG RESOURCES, INC.\_Date 14 State Com Well No. 602H\_SEC 14 21S 33E  
**Date:** Wednesday, February 7, 2018 3:52:00 PM  
**Importance:** High

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**Ms. Jordan L. Kessler,**

The following Administrative Order has been issued:

**NSL-7627**  
**EOG RESOURCES, INC.**  
**WELL: Date 14 State Com Well No. 602H**  
**API NO: 30-025-44072**  
**POOL: Berry; Bone Spring, North [No. 5535]**

The Order will soon be available on the Division's web site:  
<http://ocdimage.emnrd.state.nm.us/Imaging/Default.aspx>

Thank you!

**Leonard Lowe**  
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Oil Conservation Division  
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources Department  
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