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NMOCD District 2
1301 W. Grand Avenue
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Att: Mr. Bryan Arrant

Re: APD – Additional Information
Esperanza "13" #1
612' FSL & 2037' FEL, UL "M"
Section 13 - T22S - R26E
Eddy County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Arrant:

Pursuant to your request (via telephone with Mr. Alan Bohling) for additional information to be included with the APD already submitted for the above listed well, please consider the following statements and the attached Emergency Call List – Public Support as amendments to this APD:

- There are no residences in the area and the closest "public buildings" are Lafarge Corporation's (1) doghouse at its Hot Plant and (2) its office structure further east of the location. The doghouse is approximately 445' east and the office is approximately 1550' east of the proposed wellbore location. Typically, these structures are manned only during daylight hours and are not continuously occupied during those hours. The contact phone number for Lafarge is 505 / 885-2181.
- Following installation and pressure testing of the BOPE, the pipe rams will be function tested on a daily basis, the blind rams will be function tested on all trips and the annular preventer will be function tested on a weekly basis.

Regarding the attachment, please remove Page 11 of the "Contingency Plan – Drilling Operations" dated July 27, 2004, which was included with the original APD, and insert this revised Emergency Call List – Public Support into the Plan.

Your help in this matter is greatly appreciated. If you have questions regarding this information, please call me at 432 / 620-5602.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "A. M. Schelling".

Anna M. Schelling
Regulatory Agent