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February 3, 2005
Bureau of Land Management
620 East Greene St.
Carlsbad, NM 88220-6292
Attn: Craig Cranston or To Whom It May Concern

RE: APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL IN POTASH AREA

OPERATOR: V-F Petroleum, Inc.
LEASE NAME: Sweet '16' State #1
LOCATION: SEC. 16 TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 30 EAST,
Surface location: 1695' FNL & 2570' FEL
Bottom hole location: 1605' FSL & 1650' FEL
EDDY COUNTY, NM, NMPM

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PROPOSED DEPTH: 12,800'

Dear Mr. Cranston or To Whom It May Concern,

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

Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

Bryan G. Arrant
PES, District II Artesia NMOCD

In LMR Yes ☒
In Buffer Zone Yes ☐

No ☐
No ☐

Comments:

2,380 ft From OPEN MINE WORKINGS
Craig Cranston BLM 3-12-05