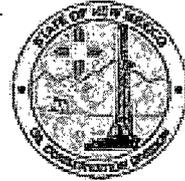


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Very truly yours,

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THREE YEAR MINE PLAN*

EL Gonzales  
Supervisor, District I

Response:

The above reference location is in the LMR 2012 (year) ----- Yes \_\_\_ NO

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

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date 1/28/2013

Printed Signature JAMES S. RUTLEY

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Signed Larry Rafael Date 25 Jan 13

Printed Signature Larry Rafael

Representing State Land Office