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RE: Bandit 15 Federal #1
N/2 Section 15, T-20-S, R-33-E
Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Jim:

This letter is to advise that Nearburg Exploration Company, L.L.C. ("NEC") has no objection to the unorthodox gas well by Samson Resources as captioned above.

Should you require additional information, please advise.

Very truly yours,



Bob Shelton
Land Manager

BS/dw

cc: Peggy Kerr
Samson Resources

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
CASE NUMBER
EXHIBIT NUMBER 3