

Statement Accepting Responsibility For Operations

Operator Name: EOG Resources, Inc.
Street or Box: P.O. Box 2267
City, State: Midland, TX
Zip Code: 79702

The undersigned accepts all applicable terms, conditions, stipulations, and restrictions concerning operations conducted on the leased land or portion thereof, as described below:

Lease No.: NM 17223

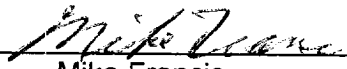
Legal Description of Land: Section 25, T17S, R29E, NMPM
Eddy Co., NM

Formation(s) (if applicable):

Bond Coverage: *(State if individually bonded or another's bond)* Individually

BLM Bond File No.: MT-0748 with endorsement to State of NM

Authorized Signature:


Mike Francis

Title: Agent

Date: 12/21/00