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O. C. D. ARTESIA, OFFICE

Subject: State 14A Comm No. 1 1375' FNL 2303' FEL Sec. 14, T-19-S, R-29-E Eddy County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

As has been discussed previously, there has been some discrepancy in the geological tops as picked by Southland Royalty Company as opposed to those on the NMOCD cross sections. In order to resolve this problem and the associated problem of downhole commingling the Atoka and Morrow, we respectfully request permission to produce the well on a test basis as follows. We propose to produce the well into the pipeline for a period of 90 days with both zones commingled. During this time, two production logs will be run to determine the contribution of each zone. Based on the results of this production test, application will be formally made for permission to abandon the Morrow zone or for permission to dual complete.

We believe that approval of this special request is in the best interest of prevention of waste and protection of correlative rights.

Respectfully,

District Operations Engineer

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cc: Dick Stamets New Mexico Oil Conservation Division Sante Fe, New Mexico

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