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Meadco Properties, Ltd. 407 West Wall Street Midland, Texas 79701

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Centlemen:

Your Notice of Intention to Drill well No. 2-Marris Bell in the $SE_h^{1}HW_h^{1}$ sec. 5, T. Cl S., R. 20 E., N.M.F.M., Eddy County, New Mexico, lease New Mexico D558004, to a depth of 11,000 feet to test the Strawn formation in the Potash Area, is bereby approved.

One copy of the Notice is returned herewith. Please notify the District Engineer, Seological Furvey, Post Office Drawer U, Artesia, New Mexico, 30210, in sufficient time for a representative to witness all cementing operations. The office phone number is Area Code 505-746-4841.

Sincerely yours,

CARL C. TRAYWICE Acting Area Oil & Gas Supervisor

Attachment

cc: Washington Mining Branch (2) NMOCC-Artesia (2) (w/2 cys Notice) Artesia (w/cy Notice) Roswell (2) (w/cy Notice) Roswell (Chrono.)