

## NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS and NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

GARY E. JOHNSON Governor Jennifer A. Salisbury Cabiset Secretary Lori Wrotenbery Director Oil Conservation Division

July 21, 2000 State Land Office P.O. Box 1148 Santa Fe, NM 87405 Attn: Joe Mraz

Re: APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL IN POTASH AREA

OPERATOR:	Pogo Producing Company	
LEASE NAME:	Lost Tank '35' State #4	
LOCATION:	SEC. 35, TWP. 21 S & RGE. 31 E	
FOOTAGE:	330' FSL /560'FWL	
PROP	OSED DEPTH: 8500'	

Dear Madam/Sir,

The application for permit to drill identified above has been filed with this office of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division. Pursuant to the provision of Oil Conservation Division Order R-111-P, please advise this office whether or not this location is within an established Life-of-Mine area filed with and approved by your office. If not, please advise whether it is within the buffer zone established by this order.

Yours truly,			
Bryan G. Arrant District Geologist-Artes	ia OCD		
IN LMR IN BUFFER ZONE	YES_X_ YES	NO NO	OCD - ARTESIA
COMMENTS			
Date Reviewed	7-25-00 JRM	)	Join Banly

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