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Mr. G. Smith

New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission
Hobbs
New Mexico

Gentlemen:

Re: Request for Exception to Rule 401
Merland C #1, Sec. 19-22S-27E,
Eddy County, New Mexico

This letter is to request exception to Rule 401-Method of Determining
Natural Gas Well Potential.

The well is now connected to Transwestern Pipeline. We plan to produce
the well for several weeks prior to running a four point test. The
four point test will be run within 60 days from the date of connection
to the pipeline.

Thank you.

Sincerely yours,

E. Y. Wilder

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Region Operation Manager

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