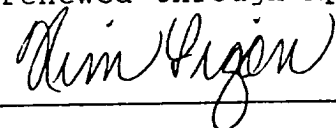


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STATEMENT ACCEPTING RESPONSIBILITY FOR OPERATIONS

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.:	USA NM-67103
LEGAL DESCRIPTION:	LAGUNA GRANDE UNIT NO. 1 1380' FSL & 990' FEL Sec. 28, T23S, R29E
FORMATION(S):	To be plugged back and recompleted in the Delaware
BOND COVERAGE:	Blanket
BLM BOND FILE NO.	STATEWIDE BOND 3104 LOC NO. 108 renewed through April 1, 1995
AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE:	 _____
TITLE:	Regulatory Analyst
DATE:	June 21, 1994