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Attn: Beth Bennington-Environmental Program Manager
& Harold Johnson

**Re: Arco Permian's Application to Drill the Barclay State #10 located in Lot # 3,
Section 2, Township 23 South, Range 31 East, Eddy County, NM, NMPM.**

Dear Ms. Bennington and Mr. Johnson,

An application to drill (APD) for the above referenced well is enclosed for your review. The Barclay State # 10 well lies within 1 mile of the WIPP withdraw area. Per terms of the Joint Powers Agreement between the Energy Minerals and Natural Resources Department, the DOE and other agencies, this application is provided so that you may have the opportunity to develop and submit any comments thereon. The OCD is expected to approve this permit by March 23rd, 2000 unless an objection is received in writing.

Please feel free to call me if you have any questions about this matter or if I can provide any further additional information.

Yours truly,

Bryan G. Arrant
District II Geologist

Please attach
to well
file
Box

Encl.

Cc:

New Mexico Energy Minerals and Natural Resources Department, Chris Wentz-
Coordinator of the N.M. Radioactive Waste Consultation Task Force
New Mexico State Land Office Oil & Minerals Division, Joe Mraz-Geologist
U.S. Department of Energy, Doug Lynn-Land Use Coordinator
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