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September 19, 2016

Mr. William Carr, Senior Attorney  
COG Operating, LLC  
1048 Paseo De Peralta  
Santa Fe, NM 87501

**RE: Request for Extension to Commence Drilling of the Resolver Federal Com. Well No. 1H Pursuant to Division Order No. R-14065/Case No. 15380**

Dear Mr. Carr:

Reference is made to your request on behalf of COG Operating, LLC ("COG") received by the Division on August 23, 2016, for the Resolver Federal Com. Well No. 1H (API No. 30-025-42169) with a surface location in Unit D of Section 12, Township 23 South, Range 32 East, NMPM.

It is our understanding that COG still intends to drill the proposed well but is unable to meet the obligation date of October 31, 2016, included in Ordering Paragraph (5) of Order No. R-14065. COG has stated that additional time is required due to the pending construction of surface facilities to improve the economics of this well and enable COG to determine the economic viability of this location.

The Division has reviewed your request and hereby extends the final date to commence the drilling of this well to October 31, 2017. All other provisions of Order No. R-14065 remain in full force and effect.

If you have any questions, please contact Michael McMillan at 505.476.3448.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "David R. Catanach". The signature is written in a cursive style.

DAVID R. CATANACH  
Director

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cc: Oil Conservation Division – Hobbs District Office  
Case No. 15380  
Well File API 30-025-42169