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James Ranch Unit  
NMNM70965X

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Mr. Kenneth Hilger  
XTO Energy Inc.  
Land Dept. Loc.115  
22777 Springwoods Village Pkwy  
Spring, Texas 77389-1425

Re: Paying Well Determination  
James Ranch Unit 115H  
SHL: NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , Sec. 5, T.23S., R.31E. (NMNM02887B)  
BHL: NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , Sec. 8, T.23S., R.31E. (NMLC071988B)  
James Ranch Unit  
Eddy County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Hilger:

We have determined that under existing conditions the James Ranch Unit No. 115H well is **not** capable of producing unitized substances from the Delaware Formation in unit paying quantities. The well was completed in the Delaware Formation on May 14, 2011. Since the well was determined to be a nonpaying unit well, a drilling and spacing unit must be established for the well so that the Carlsbad Field Office can approve a communitization agreement.

If you have any questions, please call Lewis Tromp, Petroleum Engineer, at (307) 261-7628.

Sincerely,

/s/ J. David Chase

J. David Chase  
Chief, Reservoir Management Group

cc: NMSO, James Glover  
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New Mexico State Land Office, Steve Wust  
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division, William Jones