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Mr. Phillip Goetze
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New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
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Via email to: phillip.goetze@state.nm.us

RE: OCD Case No. 20583; In the Matter of the Hearing Called by the Oil Conservation Division for the Purpose of Considering the Application of Key Energy Services, LLC, for Approval of a Saltwater Disposal Well, Eddy County, New Mexico; Queen Lake Federal 19 No. 1 Well, Section 19, T-24-S, R-29-E (API No. 30-015-24292).

Dear Mr. Goetze:

On behalf of the applicant, Key Energy Services, LLC, I am writing to request the withdrawal of Key Energy's permit application in the matter above, *without prejudice*.

In August and September 2019, the OCD held an evidentiary hearing to consider the merits of Key Energy's permit application. We have not received a decision to date. Key Energy recently sold its water management business to a third party. As a result, the requested permit for a saltwater disposal well is no longer necessary.

I have copied Ms. Deanna Bennett, counsel for protestant, NGL Water Solutions Permian, LLC, and Mr. Pete Domenici, counsel for protestant, Solaris Water Midstream, LLC.

Please contact me with any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Clay Nance".

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