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March 27, 2007

Palisades Asset Holding Co., LLC 223 W. Wall, Suite 825 Midland, Texas 79705

Attn: Mr. Dan Parkhurst

Re: Resignation/Designation of Successor Unit Operator (Rock Queen Unit Chaves County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Parkhurst:

We are in receipt of your resignation/designation of successor unit operator, wherein Caprock Exploration, Inc., has resigned as unit operator of the Rock Queen Unit and designated Palisades Asset Holding Co., LLC as the excessor Unit Operator.

The Commissioner of Public Lands has this date approved the resignation of Caprock Exploration, Inc., and the designation of Palisades Asset Holding Co., LLC as the successor unit operator of this unit. Our approval is subject to like approval by the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division and the Bureau of Land Management.

This change in operators is effective February 1, 2006. In accordance with this approval, Palisades Asset Holding Co., LLC is now responsible for all operations and the reporting of all production from the unit.

If you have any questions or if we may be of further help, please contact Pete Martinez at (505) 827-5791.

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BY:

JAMI BAILEY, Director Oil/Gas and Minerals Division (505) 827-5744

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