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July 22, 2009

Marbob Energy Corporation P. O. Box 227 Artesia, NM 88211-0227

Attn: Mr. Ross Duncan

Re: SRO State Exploratory Unit

Subsequent Joinders Effective 8/1/2009

Tract No. 23, 25 and 26 Eddy, County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Duncan:

This office has received your letter of July 13, 2009. Also included with your letter are subsequent joinder ratifications from Chesapeake Exploration LP and Nearburg Exploration Company committing their interests to the SRO State Exploratory Unit Agreement.

In accordance with Article 22 of the unit agreement, the Commissioner of Public Lands approves the subsequent joinder ratifications of Chesapeake Exploration LP and Nearburg Exploration Company to the SRO State Exploratory Unit Agreement. Tract Nos. 23, 25 and 26 will be committed to this unit agreement effective August 1, 2009.

Please notify all interested parties of this action.

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

Very truly yours,

PATRICK H. LYONS

COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC LANDS

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cc: OCD-Santa Fe, Attention: Mr. Ed Martin