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W. THOMAS KELLAHIN\*

Re:

NEW MEXICO BOARD OF LEGAL SPECIALIZATION RECOGNIZED SPECIALIST IN THE AREA OF NATURAL RESOURCES-OIL AND GAS LAW

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## HAND DELIVERED

Oil Conservation Division 2040 South Pacheco Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505 Attn: Mr. Ben Stone

> <u>NOTICE OF OBJECTION</u>: KCS Medallion Resources, Inc. West Surgart "19" Federal Well No. 2 Unit O, Section 19, T18S, R31E, NMPM, Administrative Application to NMOCD for Salt Water Disposal, Eddy County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Stone:

By letter dated November 15, 1999, and on behalf of KCS Medallion Resources, Inc. Mr. Paul Cooter forwarded to you supplemental information in order to complete an application filed in May, 1999. Division Rule 701.D allows an objection to be filed within 15 days after receipt (by the Division) of a complete application.

Accordingly, on behalf of Concho Resources, L.L.C., as an offsetting operator and interest owner, we hereby object to the referenced application by KCS Medallion Resources, Inc. for approval of this wellbore for salt water disposal described in its administrative application to the Division.

We request that this matter be set for hearing and that Concho Resources, Inc. be provided notification of the hearing in accordance with Division notice rules.

kuly your W. Thomas Kellahin

cfx: Paul A. Cooter, Esq. Attorney for KCS Medallion Resources, Inc. cfx: Concho Resources, L.L.C. Attn: Mike Gray