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February 16, 2005

Oil Conservation Division 1301 W. Grand Artesia, NM 88210

Attn: Van Barton

30.015-33678

Re: Knockabout Federal #1

Township 17 South, Range 31 East

Sec. 12: 1830 FSL 1980 FWL

Eddy County, NM

Dear Mr. Barton:

This letter is to inform you that Marbob Energy Corporation will begin construction of the locations and pits for the referenced wells in the near future.

Please let us know if you need further information.

Sincerely,

My/Bull

Sheryl Baker

Drilling Superintendent

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