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# New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

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BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT  
ATT: Potash  
P O Box 1778  
Carlsbad, NM 88221

State Land Office  
ATT: Joe Mraz  
P O Box 1148  
Santa Fe, NM 87504

RE: APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL IN POTASH AREA

OPERATOR RKI Exploration & Production, LLC

LEASE NAME Pinnacle State #27 **30-015-36332**

PROPOSED LOCATION 36-22S-28E UL-H

PROPOSED DEPTH 7075'

Gentlemen:

The application for permit to drill identified above has been filed with this office of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division. Pursuant to the provisions of Oil Conservation Division Order R - 111- P, please advise this office whether the location is within an established Life-Of-Mine-Reserve are filed with and approved by your office. If not, please advise whether it is within the buffer zone established by the order.

Thanks you for your assistance. Please return as soon as possible.

Very truly yours,

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

*Jacqui Reeves*

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District II Geologist

RESPONSE:

The above referenced location is in LMR (\_\_\_\_\_ year) -----Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No X **3-11-09**

The above referenced location is within the Buffer Zone -----Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No X

Signed *Lami Bailey*

Date 3/11/09

Printed Signature LAMI BAILEY

Representing SLD

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