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July 15, 2014

BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT
ATT: James S. Rutley / Craig Cranston
620 E Greene Street
Carlsbad, NM 88220

STATE LAND OFFICE
ATT: Stephen Wust
PO BOX 1148
Santa Fe, NM 87505

RE: APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL IN POTASH AREA

OPERATOR: Yates Petroleum Corporation

LEASE NAME: Juice BUD State Com # 003H

PROPOSED LOCATION: U/L N Sec 19 T21S R34E 200 FSL 1980 FWL

PROPOSED DEPTH: 18290' MD & 10935 TVD

Gentleman:

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 that are filed with and approved by your office. If not, please advise whether it is within the buffer zone established by the order.

Thank you for your assistance. Please Return as soon as possible.

Very truly yours,

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Paul Kautz
Hobbs District Geologist, District I

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RESONSE:

The above referenced location is in LMB (2014 year) Yes _____ No

The above referenced location is within the Buffer Zone Yes _____ No

Signed _____
Printed Signature: JAMES S. RUTLEY

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