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Bureau of Land Management Roswell Field Office Attn: Ruben Sanchez 2909 W. Second Street Roswell, NM 88201-2019

Re: Nereid 1 Federal 1H APD Deficiencies Corrected

Dear Mr. Sanchez,

Please find the enclosed corrected Surface Use Plan (Reclamation) and Surface Owner Agreement certification. Please let me know if I need to send you anything else.

Sincerely, Chesapeake Operating, Inc.

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Linda Good Enclosures

Chesapeake Energy Corporation

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SELF-CERTIFICATION STATEMENT FROM LESSEE/OPERATOR

SURFACE OWNER IDENTIFICATION

Federal or Indian Lease No. <u>NM NM</u> /20357 Well(s) Number and Location <u>Negero / Federal / H</u> Sec 1, T 15S - R 31E, Chaves Co., NM

I hereby certify to the Authorized Officer of the Bureau of Land Management that I have reached one of the following agreements with the Surface Owner; or after failure of my good-faith effort to come to an agreement of any kind with the Surface Owner, I will provide a bond:

1) I have a signed access agreement to enter the leased lands;

- 2) _____ I have a signed waiver from the surface owner;
- 3) <u>X</u> I have entered into an agreement regarding compensation to the surface owner for damages for loss of crops and tangible improvements.
- 4) Because I have been unable to reach either 1), 2), or 3) with the surface owner, I will obtain a bond to cover loss of crops and damages to tangible improvements.

Surface owner information: (if available after diligent effort)

Surface Owner Name: <u>Billy R4 Donna K.</u> Medlin PO Box 50 Surface Owner Address: <u>Maljamak NM</u> 88264 Surface Owner Phone Number: <u>575 676. 4121</u> house 575. 390. 9349 cell

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Signed this ______ - day of ______, 2000.

(Signed Name of lessee/operator) Robert Bud CLANEY Chesapeake Operating Inc.

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ONSHORE OIL & GAS ORDER NO. 1 Approval of Operations on Onshore Federal and Indian Oil and Gas Leases

1. EXISTING ROADS

- a. Existing county and lease roads will be used to enter proposed access road.
- b. Location, access, and vicinity plats attached hereto. See Exhibits A-1 to A-4.

2. PLANNED ACCESS ROADS

- a. A planned access road approximately 2522' in length and 14' in travel way width with a maximum disturbance area of 30' will be used, and in accordance with guidelines set forth in the BLM Onshore Orders. No turnouts are expected.
- b. In order to level the location, cut and fill will be required. Please see attached Well Location and Acreage Dedication Plat Exhibits A-1 to A-4.
- c. A locking gate will be installed at the site entrance.
- d. Any fences cut will be repaired. Cattle guards will be installed, if needed.
- e. Surface disturbance and vehicular travel will be limited to the approved location and approved access route. Any additional area needed will be approved in advance.
- f. Driving directions are from the intersection of St Hwy 249 and St Hwy 172, go North on Hwy 172 approx. 0.9 miles. Turn right at Wanda Rd and go Northeast Approx. 1.3 miles. Veer right and go East-Northeast thru cattle guard approx. 0.9 miles to a proposed road survey. Follow road survey North 0.5 miles to this location.
- 3. <u>LOCATION OF EXISTING WELLS WITHIN A 1-MILE RADIUS OF THE</u> PROPOSED LOCATION – see Exhibit B.

4. LOCATION OF PRODUCTION FACILITIES

It is anticipated that production facilities will be located on the well pad as product will be sold at the wellhead and/or tank battery

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5. LOCATION AND TYPE OF WATER SUPPLY

Water will be obtained from a private water source. Chesapeake Operating, Inc. will ensure all proper notifications and filings are made with the state.

6. CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS

No construction materials will be used from Section 1-15S-31E. All material (i.e. shale) will be acquired from private or commercial sources.

7. METHODS FOR HANDLING WASTE DISPOSAL

A closed system will be utilized consisting of above ground steel tanks. All wastes accumulated during drilling operations will be contained in a portable trash cage and removed from location and deposited in an approved sanitary landfill.

8. <u>ANCILLARY FACILITIES</u>

None

9. WELLSITE LAYOUT

The proposed site layout plat is attached showing Cactus Rig #120 orientation and equipment location. See Exhibit D. Also see Exhibit A-2 for the size of the pad.

10. PLANS FOR RECLAMATION OF THE SURFACE

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The location will be restored to as near as original condition as possible. Reclamation of the surface shall be done in strict compliance with the existing New Mexico Oil Conservation Division regulations and BLM.

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Backfilling leveling, and contouring are planned as soon as the drilling rig and steel tanks are removed. Wastes and spoils materials will be disposed immediately after drilling is completed. If production is obtained, the unused area will be restored as soon as possible. The rehabilitation will begin after the workover rig is removed.

Interim Reclamation: downsize the footprint of disturbance by reclaiming portions of the well pad not needed for production operations. The portions of the cleared well pad not needed for operational and safety purposes will be recontoured back to natural surroundings as much as possible. Caliche material will be used either to recontour or will be used to repair roads within the lease. Topsoil material will be spread out over reclaimed area and the site will be seeded with an approved BLM grass mix. In order to inspect and operate the well or complete work over operations, it may be necessary to drive, park, and operate on restored, interim vegetation as long as the damage is repaired or reclaimed after work is complete. In most cases the well pad is pulled in to within 35 feet of the well anchors unless layout won't allow or a safety issues is in place.

Final Reclamation Procedure: Upon final abandonment of the well, caliche material from the well pad and access road will be removed and utilized to recontour to a final contour that blends with the surrounding topography as much as possible. Any caliche material not used will be utilized to repair roads within the lease. Topsoil will be distributed over the reclamation area and cross ripped to control erosion, the site will be seeded with an approved BLM mixture.

11. <u>MINERAL OWNERSHIP</u> United States of America Department of Interior Bureau of Land Management

> SURFACE OWNERSHIP Billy R. Medlin & Donna K. Medlin P. O. Box 50 Maljamar, NM: 88264

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12. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Well is being permitted as a Horizontal well.

A Class III cultural resource inventory report was prepared by Boone Archaeological Services, Carlsbad, New Mexico for the proposed location. A copy of the report has been sent to the BLM office under separate cover and is also attached for reference. See Exhibit E.

Chesapeake Operating, Inc. agrees to be responsible under the terms and conditions of the lease for the operations conducted upon the lease lands.

13. OPERATOR'S REPRESENTATIVES

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CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that I, or someone under my direct supervision, have inspected the drill site and access route proposed herein; that I am familiar with the conditions which currently exist; that I have full knowledge of state and Federal laws applicable to this operation; that the statements made in this APD package are, to the best of my knowledge, true and correct; and, that the work associated with the operations proposed will be performed in conformity with this APD package and the terms and conditions under which it is approved. I also certify that I, or the company I represent, am responsible for the operations conducted under this application. These statements are subject to the provisions of 18 U.S.C. 1001 for the filing of a false statement.

Executed this _	10th	_ day of	May	, 2010
Name:				/
Bud Cr	avey, Sr.	Field Repr	esentative	

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E-mail: bud.cravey@chk.com





EXHIBIN A-3

LOCATION VERIFICATION MAP

VICINITY MAP

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SEC. <u>1</u> TWP. <u>15–S</u> RGE. <u>31–E</u> SURVEY <u>N.M.P.M.</u> COUNTY <u>CHAVES</u> STATE <u>NEW MEXICO</u> DESCRIPTION <u>660' FSL & 100' FEL</u> ELEVATION <u>4367'</u> OPERATOR <u>CHESPEAKE OPERATING, INC.</u> LEASE <u>NEREID 1 FEDERAL</u> SCALE: 1'' = 2 MILES



EXHIBIT A-4



EXHIBIT B

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