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New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission
District I
P. O. Box 1980
Hobbs, New Mexico 88240

Dear Sir:

Maxus Exploration Company, Midland, Texas, hereby, requests that all logs on the Gardner #1-17 well be held confidential for the longest time allowed by the State of New Mexico. If there are any questions regarding this matter, please contact me at (915) 685-8042.

Sincerely,



Ed Gonzales
Senior Geologist

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