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**State of New Mexico
Oil and Gas Conservation
1000 West Broadway
Hobbs, New Mexico 88240**

Attn: Donna

**RE: Amended Form C-101
Chambers #1
Shoe Bar North East, Strawn**

Dear Donna,

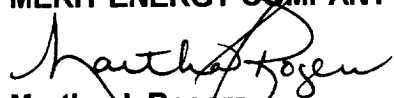
Enclosed please find our amended permit for the Chambers no. 1 well, location plat and proposed deviation survey to reflect estimated bottom hole location for the sidetrack.

If additional information is needed, please contact me at 972-383-6558.

We appreciate your assistance and service.

Sincerely,

MERIT ENERGY COMPANY



**Martha J. Rogers
Manager, Regulatory Affairs**

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