

April 18, 1997

Bureau of Land Management
414 W. Taylor
Hobbs, NM 88241

Att: Vince Balderaz

Bureau of Land Management
2909 West Second Street
Roswell, NM 88201

Oil Conservation Division
P.O. Box 1980
Hobbs, NM 88241



RE: Conoco, Inc., Barber Federal, Well #1, API # 30 025 33736, Lea County, NM

Ladies/Gentlemen:

We are requesting confidentiality on the completion filing and logs submitted as long as permitted for this well. If have any questions concerning the completion filing, logs or this request, please call me @ 1-800-432-2967.

Thank you.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Ann E. Ritchie", is written over the "Yours truly," text.

Ann E. Ritchie, Regulatory Agent
Conoco, Inc.
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Midland, Texas 79705

cc: Bill Keathly/Conoco-Midland