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Oil Conservation Divison

Hobbs, NM 88210

RE: Conoco, Inc., Hardy 36 State, Well #15, API#30 025 33924, Lea County, NM

Ladies/Gentlemen:

Concerning the above referenced well, we are respectfully requesting that the completion information and logs be held confidential as long as permitted by the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division.

If you have any questions concerning the completion filing or request please call me @ I-800-432-2967. Thank you.

Yours truly,

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Ann E. Ritchie, Regulatory Agent **Conoco, Inc.** I0 Desta Dr., Suite I00W Midland, Texas 79705

cc: Bill Keathly, Conoco-Midland

