



STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
HOBBS DISTRICT OFFICE

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Carlsbad, NM 88221

STATE LAND OFFICE
Attn: Joe Mraz
P.O. Box 1148
Santa Fe, NM 87504

RE: APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL IN POTASH AREA

OPERATOR Pogo Producing Co
LEASE NAME Zebra State #1-G
PROPOSED LOCATION 1650/N & 1650/E Sec.16, T-21s, R-32e
PROPOSED DEPTH 9100'

Gentlemen:

The application for permit to drill identified above has been filled with this office of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division. Pursuant to the provisions of Oil Conservation Division Order R-III-P, please advise this office whether the location is within an established Life-of-Mine-Reserve area filed with and approved by your office. If not, please advise whether it is within the buffer zone established by the order.

Thank you for your assistance. Please return as soon as possible.

Very truly yours,

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Jerry Sexton
Supervisor, District I

JR. MRAZ
5-22-97

RESPONSE:

The above-referenced location is in LMR ----- Yes ___ No X

The above-referenced location is within the buffer zone----- Yes ___ No X

Signed [Signature]
Representing _____

Date 5/22/97



