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To: All State Directors
 From: Director, National Applied Resource Sciences Center
 Subject: Native American Solid Mineral Information
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The Minerals Management Service (MMS) has requested Native American Solid Mineral Information for its annual report, Mineral Revenue 1997. This report addresses mineral production and revenues generated on federal and Indian lands.

We request your assistance in providing MMS with the number and total acreage by geographic state and commodity for all Native American solid mineral leases, licenses, mining permits, etc., under your supervision as of December 31, 1997, and the same information for those leases, etc., that were produced during calendar year 1997. Do not include any pending lease, license, or permit applications. The information will be consolidated with other States' data and sent to MMS. Please submit one table for total cases under supervision and another table for producing cases in the following formats:

<u>State</u>	<u>Commodity</u>	<u>No. of Leases, Licenses, Permits, etc., Under Supervision</u>	<u>Acres</u>
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An example of the format employing 1993 producing data follows:

<u>State</u>	<u>Commodity</u>	<u>No. of Leases, Licenses, Permits, etc., Which Produced</u>	<u>Acres</u>
Arizona	Copper	3	6,734
	Sand-Gravel	4	796
	Silica Sand	<u>1</u>	<u>640</u>
	Total	8	8,170

If you or your staff have any questions concerning this request, please telephone Joe Rasmussen, RS-100, at (303) 236-0140.

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