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STATE OFFICE
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

Via USPS

September 10, 2014

Bureau of Land Management
Attn: Ms. Gloria Baca
Post Office Box 27115
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87502

Re: Nomination of Land for Oil, Gas and Mineral Lease Sale
105.60 acres in the Ashley R. Stephens Survey, A-19
Lee County, Texas

Dear Ms. Baca:

The county records of Lee County, Texas indicate that the United States of America Bureau of Land Management manages the tract described below. We would like to nominate the below tract of land for Oil, gas and Mineral Lease Sale. The information we have states that this tract was previously owned by Jones D. Ranton and The Veteran's Land Board of Texas and is now part of the Somerville Reservoir. The tract which we are interested in is described as follows:

105.60 acres, more or less, situated in the Ashley R. Stephens Survey, A-19, Lee County, Texas, being more particularly described as Tract No. 800 in that certain Declaration of Taking between The United States of American and the Doc Hester Estate, et al, dated June 10, 1964, and recorded in Volume 156, Page 492, of the Deed Records of Lee County, Texas.

Please review your records to confirm our belief that this tract is in fact owned by the United States and that it is currently unleased. Also included are the above referenced deed and a plat of where the subject tract is located.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us at (337) 234-3500 or at chad@explorationland.com.

Sincerely yours,



Chad C. Stutes
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