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AMENDMENT
TO COMPETITIVE SALE NOTICE

Notice dated June 5, 2009, attached to the July 22, 2009, Federal Competitive Oil and Gas Lease Sale, is amended as follows:

1. Parcel No. NM-200907-019, on page 3, is deleted in its entirety;
2. Parcel Nos. NM-200907-055 & 056, on page 8, are amended to add the attached stipulation BOR-SS (Ft. Cobb) instead of BOR-SS;
3. Parcel Nos. NM-200907-046, 047, 048, 049, 050, on pages 6 & 7, are amended to add the attached stipulation RP-1-TLS.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (505) 438-7530.

/s/Bernadine T. Martinez

Bernadine T. Martinez
Land Law Examiner
Fluids Adjudication Team

(2) Attachments:
1-BOR-SS (Ft. Cobb)
2-RP-1-TLS

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BUREAU OF RECLAMATION
SPECIAL STIPULATIONS

1. The following stipulations apply to drilling within the Fort Cobb Wildlife Management Area, Fort Cobb Reservoir, Oklahoma:

1. Leasing for pooling purposes only (i.e., no surface occupancy) will be allowed within the Federal boundaries of the Fort Cobb Reservoir in:

a. Township 9 North, Range 13 West, Sections 13, 23, and 24 - This area is a critical swamp rabbit habitat and a future waterfowl management area. Also, much of this area contains riparian timber.

b. Township 9 North, Range 12 West, Section 32, and SESE, Section 30 - This area is the most important crow wintering areas in the nation.

2. No wells shall be drilled within 1/8 mile (660 feet) of intermittent streams to further project riparian timber.

3. All equipment must be powered with electric motors to minimize impacts on recreational use.

II. The following stipulations apply to drilling within the Fort Cobb State Park, Fort Cobb Reservoir, Oklahoma:

1. Township 5 North, Range 20 West, Section 22 and the SW, Section 15 – This is a highly developed recreation area.

2. Any producing well within 1,500 feet of any campsite or sleeping quarters must be powered with an electric motor.

3. A 5-foot cyclone fence with two strands of barbed wire on top must be constructed around any well in production.

TIMING LIMITATION STIPULATION
IMPORTANT SEASONAL WILDLIFE HABITAT

In order to protect important seasonal wildlife habitat, exploration, drilling, and other development, activity will be allowed only during the period from July 2 to January 31. This limitation does not apply to maintenance and operation of producing wells. If circumstances or relative resource values change or if it can be demonstrated that oil and gas operations can be conducted without causing unacceptable impacts, this stipulation may be waived, excepted, or modified by the BLM Authorized Officer, if such action is consistent with the provisions of the Resource Management Plan, or if not consistent through a land use plan amendment as associated National Environmental Policy Act analysis document. If the BLM Authorized Officer determines that the waiver, exception, or modification involves an issue of major public concern, the waiver, exception, or modification shall be subject to a 30-day public review period.

On the lands described below:

If circumstances or relative resource values change or if it can be demonstrated that oil and gas operations can be conducted without causing unacceptable impacts, this stipulation may be waived, excepted, or modified by the BLM Authorized Officer, if such action is consistent with the provisions of the Farmington Resource Management Plan, or Environmental Policy Act analysis document. If the BLM Authorized Officer determines that the waiver, exception, or modification shall be subject to a 30-day public review period.