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Bureau of Land Management
P. O. Box 27115
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Attn: Gloria S. Baca, Supervisory Land Law Examiner

Re: Expression of Interest
Roosevelt County, New Mexico - RFO

Gentlemen:

Armstrong Energy Corporation would like to nominate the following federal lands in Roosevelt County, New Mexico for the next available BLM Oil and Gas Lease Sale:

T6S - R33E, NMPPM
Section 14: SW/4
Section 22: S/2
Section 23: NW/4

T6S - R34E, NMPPM
Section 9: SW/4NW/4

You have recently advised that these lands would not be considered for the July 2016 Sale. Since the BLM listed some S E New Mexico tracts in the October 2015 Sale, is there any chance these tracts could be offered in an October 2016 Sale?

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Robert H. Watson".

Robert H. Watson
Land Manager