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December 11, 2002

Burlington Resources Oil & Gas Company

Attention: Jim Gilcrease

P. O. Box 4239

Houston, Texas 77210-4239

*Re: Application for Wellhead Category Determination of November 4, 2002
NGPA Section 107 - Tight Formation
Mims State Com. Well No. 1-A (API No. 30-045-23532), located 925 feet
from the North line and 855 feet from the West line (Unit D) of Section 16,
Township 29 North, Range 9 West, NMPM, Blanco-Mesaverde Pool
(72319), San Juan County, New Mexico.*

Dear Mr. Gilcrease:

Per your e-mail response of Wednesday morning, December 11, 2002 to my: (i) letter dated November 20, 2002; and (ii) e-mail of December 11, 2002, the subject application is hereby withdrawn and is being returned to you at this time. Please note that under Rule 2 of the Division's "Special Rules for Applications for Wellhead Price Ceiling Category Determinations," as promulgated by Division Order No. R-5878-B, as amended, the \$25.00 filing fee is non-refundable.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Michael E. Stogner
Chief Hearing Officer/Engineer

MES/ms

cc: **Kathy Valdes - NMOCD, Santa Fe**
W. Perry Pearce, Burlington Resources Oil and Gas Company – Houston, Texas
David K. Miller, Burlington Resources Oil and Gas Company – Houston, Texas

Stogner, Michael

From: Gilcrease Jim [JGilcrease@br-inc.com]
Sent: Wednesday, December 11, 2002 9:25 AM
To: Stogner, Michael
Cc: Miller David
Subject: RE: NGPA Well Determination Filing Review

Mike, you are correct according to the paper support. Burlington's computerized records show 4-16-80, as the spud date and I used the computer record to complete my application. Should have reviewed the papers when I received them.

Burlington hereby withdraws the well determination filing on the Mims State Com #1A.

-----Original Message-----

From: Stogner, Michael [mailto:MSTOGNER@state.nm.us]
Sent: Wednesday, December 11, 2002 9:54 AM
To: Gilcrease Jim
Cc: Pearce Perry; Wrotenbery, Lori; Valdes, Kathy
Subject: RE: NGPA Well Determination Filing Review

Jim,

On November 20, 2002 I sent Burlington a letter of deficiency (see attached) concerning the NGPA Section 107 - Tight Formation request of November 4, 2002 for the Mims State Com. Well No. 1-A (30-045-23532).

It is now Dec. 11th and I have not received a reply. Does Burlington require additional time to respond or was this request a mistake and should be dismissed?

Thank you.