Midvale, Utah August 4, 2000

Amoco Exploration & Production 501 Westlake Park Blvd. P.O. Box 3092 Houston, TX 77079

RE: Application for Exception to Rule 303-A Downhole Commingling Gallegos Canyon Unit 196 Unit M Section 19-T28N-R12W Basin Fruitland Coal and Basin Dakota Pools San Juan County, New Mexico

Dear sirs & Madam,

On July 25, 2000, I received a copy of an application for Exception to Rule 303-A2, Down hole Commingling of Fruitland Coal and Dakota within Gallegos Canyon Unit 196.

Since I was not familiar with this proposal, I inquired from the Utah State authorities (oil & gas) on this subject, and they were kind enough to explain it to me. After becoming knowledgeable concerning downhole commingling, I wish to say I am AGAINST any exception to Rule 303-A in this case as I have no Royalty interest in Blue Mesaverde.

It is my belief that the exception would violate the interest of Royalty owners in the Gallegos Canyon Unit 196, therefore I vote "NO".

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