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March 24, 1997

Amoco Production Company P.O. Box 3092 Houston, Texas 77253-3092

Attn: Mr. Tom G. Tullos

Re: Application for Surface Commingling Empire South Deep Unit Wells Nos. 1 & 2, SW4NE4, NW4SE4, Section 6, 18S, 29E Well No. 3, SE4SW4, Section 31-17S, 29E, B-4458-33 Well No. 5, SW4NE4, Section 31-17S29E Well No. 6, SW4SE4, Section 1-18S-28E, E-1284-3 Well No. 12, NW4SW4, Section 5, 18S, 29E Well No. 15, SW4NW4, Section 8, 18S, 29E Well No. 16, SW4NE4, Section 7, 18S, 29E Empire South Morrow, Bear Grass Draw Atoka and West Bear Grass Draw Atoka Pools Eddy County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Tullos:

We have received a copy of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division's Order **#PLC-130** which notifies this office of your application to surface commingle the production from the above-captioned wells.

Pursuant to State Land Office Rule Nos. 1.053, 1.054 and 1.055, please submit a copy of your commingling request to this office. Enclosed is a copy of our commingling rules and regulations. The filing fee for a commingling application is thirty (\$30.00) dollars.

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If you have any questions or if we may be of further help, please contact Pete Martinez at (505) 827-5791.

Very truly yours,

RAY POWELL, M.S., D.V.M. COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC LANDS

BY:

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