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April 30, 2007

ConocoPhillips Company P. O. Box 4289 Farmington, New Mexico 87402-4289

Attention: Ms. Dawn Howell

Re:

Huerfanito Unit

Commercial Determinations Pictured Cliffs Formation San Juan County, New Mexico

Dear Ms. Howell:

We are in receipt of your letter of October 27, 2006 together with data that supports your commercial determination regarding the following Huerfanito Unit Well:

Well Name		Completion	
and Number	Dedication	Date	Determination
Huerfanito Unit # 175	E/2 26-27N-9W	3/7/06	Commercial

The Bureau of Land Management, by their letter of December 8, 2006, advised this office that they have concurred with your determination of the commerciality for the above-mentioned Pictured Cliffs well.

Please be advised that the Commissioner of Public Lands concurs with ConocoPhillips and the Bureau of Land Management's determinations that the Huerfanito Unit Well No. 175 is a commercial well and entitled to participate in the Pictured Cliffs Participating Area. Please submit an application for the appropriate expansion of Pictured Cliffs Participating Area.

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

Very truly yours,

PATRICK H. LYONS

COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC LANDS

JAMI BAILEY, Director

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Reader File,

BLM Farmington-Attn.: Mr. Wayne Townsend,

NMOCD-Attn.: Mr. David Catanach, TRD-Attn.: Mr. Valdean Severson,

RMD-Attn.: Mr. Kurt McFall

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Attention: Ms. Dawn Howell

Re:

Huerfanito Unit

Commercial Determinations Fruitland Coal Formation San Juan County, New Mexico

Dear Ms. Howell:

We are in receipt of your letter of October 27, 2006 together with data that supports your commercial determination regarding the following Huerfanito Unit Well:

Well Name		Completion		
and Number	Dedication	Date	Determination	
Huerfanito Unit # 175	E/2 26-27N-9W	3/7/06	Commonaial	
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The Bureau of Land Management, by their letter of December 8, 2006, advised this office that they have concurred with your determination of the commerciality for the above-mentioned Fruitland Coal well.

Please be advised that the Commissioner of Public Lands concurs with ConocoPhillips and the Bureau of Land Management's determinations that the Huerfanito Unit Well No. 175 is a commercial well and entitled to participate in the Fruitland Coal Participating Area. Please submit an application for the appropriate expansion of Fruitland Coal Participating Area.

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

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