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February 11, 2009

ConocoPhillips P. O. Box 4289 Farmington, New Mexico 87499-4289

Attention: Ms. Dawn Howell

Re: San Juan 29-7 Unit

Commerciality Determination Pictured Cliffs Formation Rio Arriba County, New Mexico

Dear Ms. Howell:

We received your letter of December 5, 2008, together with data that supports the Pictured Cliffs non-commercial determination for the San Juan 29-7 Unit Well No. 530S located in the SE/4 of Section 34, Township 29 North, Range 7 West.

By their letter of January 13, 2009, the Bureau of Land Management advised this office that they have concurred with your determination for the above-mentioned well.

The Commissioner of Public Lands concurs with ConocoPhillips and the Bureau of Land Management's determination that the San Juan 29-7 Unit Well No. 530S is a non-commercial well in the Pictured Cliffs formation and should be produced on a lease basis.

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

Very truly yours,

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Attention: Ms. Dawn Howell

Re: San Juan 29-7 Unit

Commerciality Determination Fruitland Coal Formation Rio Arriba County, New Mexico

Dear Ms. Howell:

We received your letter of December 9, 2008, together with data that supports the Fruitland Coal non-commercial determination for the San Juan 29-7 Unit Well No. 528S located in the W/2 of Section 27, Township 29 North, Range 7 West.

By their letter of January 13, 2009, the Bureau of Land Management advised this office that they have concurred with your determination for the above-mentioned well.

The Commissioner of Public Lands concurs with ConocoPhillips and the Bureau of Land Management's determination that the San Juan 29-7 Unit Well No. 528S is a non-commercial well in the Fruitland Coal formation and should be produced on a lease basis.

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

Very truly yours,

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March 23, 2009

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ConocoPhillips
P. O. Box 4289
Farmington, New Mexico 87499-4289

Attention: Ms. Dawn Howell

Re: San Juan 29-7 Unit

Well No. 29B, W/2 Sec. 13-29N-7W (Commercial) Well No. 62C, E/2 Sec. 14-29N-7W (Non-Commercial) Well No. 75E, E/2 Sec. 23-29N-7W (Non-Commercial)

Commerciality Determinations

Dakota Formation

Rio Arriba County, New Mexico

Dear Ms. Howell:

Thank you for your letter of February 24, 2009 together with data that supports the Dakota commerciality determinations for the San Juan 29-7 Unit Well Nos. 29B, 62C and 75E.

On March 9, 2009, the Bureau of Land Management advised this office that they concurred with your determination for the above-mentioned wells.

The Commissioner of Public Lands concurs with ConocoPhillips and the Bureau of Land Management's determination that the San Juan 29-7 Unit Well No. 29B is a commercial well in the Dakota formation and is to be included in the Dakota participating area. The Well Nos. 62C and 75E are non-commercial wells and are to be reported on a lease basis.

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

Very truly yours,

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April 16, 2009

ConocoPhillips P.O. Box 4289 Farmington, New Mexico 87499-4289

Attn: Mr. Ben Malone

2009 Plan of Development Re:

San Juan 29-7 Unit

Rio Arriba County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Malone:

The Commissioner of Public Lands has, of this date, approved the referenced Plan of Development. Our approval is subject to like approval by all other appropriate agencies. The possibility of drainage by wells outside the unit area, and the need for further development of the unit may exist; therefore, we may contact you at a later date regarding these possibilities.

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

Very truly yours,

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Farmington, New Mexico 87401

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IN REPLY REFER TO: NMNM116306 (CA) 3105 (21110)

May 27, 2009

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Burlington Resources Oil& Gas Company, LP Attn: Dawn M. Howell P.O. Box 4289 Farmington, NM 87499-4289

Dear Ms. Howell:

On October 9, 2007 the San Juan 29-7 Unit Seventeenth Expansion for the Dakota formation was submitted to our office for approval. The approval for this expansion was accomplished on October 12, 2007. The submission of this expansion caused the following Communitization Agreement (CA) to become obsolete due to the inclusion into the Dakota participating area.

NMNM-116306, Sec. 4, T29N, R7W, W1/2 dedication for the San Juan 29-7 Unit #34B, Effective 7/01/2006

This agreement communitized particular acres of Federal lands within the San Juan 29-7 Unit as to natural gas and associated liquid hydrocarbons producible from the Dakota formation. The term of the agreement was for 2 years and for so long thereafter as communitized substances are produced in paying quantities.

Our records indicate that the well dedicated to the described agreements were completed and that the public interest requirements for the communitization agreement, pursuant to 43 CFR 3105.2-3, have been met.

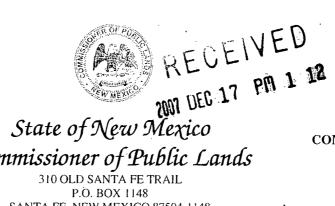
The effective termination date of this CA is July 1, 2006, this date being the effective date of the Seventeenth Expansion to the Dakota formation. All subject Federal leases involved with this CA are held by the Unit. All indicated well will report to 891001650A (Dakota participating area for the San Juan 29-7 Unit) from effective termination date of the CA.

If you have any questions, please contact me at the above address or telephone (505) 599-8922.

Sincerely,

/s/ Lucy Bee
Lucy Bee
Legal Instruments Examiner
Petroleum Management Branch

cc: MMS, MS-3133, Denver, CO ✓NMOCD, Santa Fe NM Tax & Rev. Dept. NMSO (93000) (w/o encl.)



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December 11, 2007

ConocoPhillips San Juan Business Unit P.O. Box 4289 Farmington, New Mexico 87499-4289

Attn:

Ms. Linda Dean

Re:

2007 Plan of Development

San Juan 29-7 Unit

Rio Arriba County, New Mexico

Dear Ms. Dean:

The Commissioner of Public Lands has, of this date, approved the referenced Plan of Development. Our approval is subject to like approval by all other appropriate agencies. The possibility of drainage by wells outside the unit area, and the need for further development of the unit may exist; therefore, we may contact you at a later date regarding these possibilities.

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

Very truly yours,

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September 16, 2009

ConocoPhillips P. O. Box 4289

Farmington, New Mexico 87499-4289

Attention: Ms. Dawn Howell

Re: San Juan 29-7 Unit

Commercial Determination Fruitland Coal Formation

Rio Arriba County, New Mexico

Dear Ms. Howell:

We are in receipt of your letter of April 27, 2009 together with data that supports your commercial determination regarding the following San Juan 29-7 Unit Well:

| | Well Name and Number | Dedication | Date | Determination | |
|---|--------------------------|---------------|---------|---------------|--|
| _ | San Juan 29-7 Unit # 587 | W/2 17-29N-7W | 6/17/08 | Commercial | |

The Bureau of Land Management, by their letter of June 1, 2009 has 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 San Juan 29-7 Unit Well No. 587 is a commercial well and should be included in the Fruitland Coal participating area. Please submit the appropriate expansion to the Fruitland Coal participating area to this office for approval.

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

Very truly yours,

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