

October 11, 1999

CERTIFIED MAIL

Mr. James Strickler
Burlington Resources
PO Box 4289
Farmington, NM 87499-4289

RE: Drilling AFEs
Brookhaven Com #9
Brookhaven Com #8
Brookhaven Com B #3B
San Juan County, New Mexico

Dear James:


Reference is made to three drilling proposals each dated September 15, 1999, which provide for the drilling of the Brookhaven Com #9, Brookhaven Com #8, and the Brookhaven Com B #3B wells.

Energen Resources Corporation (Energen) has tentatively scheduled a meeting with Burlington Resources for October 18, 1999 to discuss the status of GLA-46. Until an agreement that changes or eliminates the terms of GLA-46 has been reached, Energen will continue to honor the provisions of said agreement.

This is to confirm that Energen Resources Corporation hereby elects to join in drilling the three wells in question under the terms of GLA-46, dated November 27, 1951, as amended.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter. We look forward to resolving the issues surrounding GLA-46.

Sincerely,



Richard Corcoran
District Landman

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