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R-6545

March 26, 2018

Re: Resignation/Designation of Successor Unit Operator  
Effective March 7, 2018  
Jackson Unit  
Lea County, NM

Dear Mr. Sporich:

We have received notification concerning the Resignation of Unit Operator and Designation of Successor Unit Operator for the above referenced unit.

We hereby approve the resignation of Murchison Oil & Gas Inc as the unit operator for the Jackson Unit and the designation of Tap Rock Operating, LLC as the successor operator of this unit. In accordance with this approval, Tap Rock Operating, LLC is now responsible for conducting all operations in compliance with the Jackson Unit Agreement effective March 7, 2018.

If you have any questions or if we may be of further assistance, please contact Units Manager Marilyn Gruebel at 505.827.5791.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "A. Dunn", is written over the printed name and title.

AUBREY DUNN  
COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC LANDS

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cc: **OCD - Attn: Daniel Sanchez**  
BLM – Attn: Chris Walls  
RMD – Attn: Roddy Martinez  
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