



NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS
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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
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Burlington Resources Oil & Gas Company
P.O. Box 4289
Farmington, New Mexico 87499-4289

Attention: Ms. Peggy Bradfield

Re: Johnston A Com "G" Well No. 17

Dear Peggy:

I received your latest data regarding the downhole commingling of the Johnston A Com "G" Well No. 17, and it appears again that it is insufficient to process the application. Please submit the following additional data:

Any data which shows how the 84% of production, arrived at after subtracting 16% for the Dakota formation, was allocated between the Mesaverde and Gallup formations. You have proposed to allocate 74% to the Mesaverde and 10% to the Gallup, but there is no data to show how these percentages were calculated, or what data was used in these calculations. You have stated in your proposed allocation that these numbers were derived "From offset analogy & Reference Case (R-10239) Data". Please be advised that this is not an acceptable answer.

If Burlington cannot properly address this question, the application will be set to hearing before the Division.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (505) 827-8184.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "David Catanach".

David Catanach
Engineer

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