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November 19, 2008

Williams Production Company, LLC  
Attn: Ms. Heather Riley  
P.O. Box 640  
Aztec, NM 87410

**Administrative Order NSL-5965**

**Re: Rosa Unit Well No. 378A**  
**API No. 30-039-30152**  
**510 feet FSL and 2225 feet FEL**  
**Unit O, Section 27-31N-5W**  
**Rio Arriba County**

Dear Ms Riley:

Reference is made to the following:

(a) your application (**administrative application reference No. pKVR08-29833667**) submitted to the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (the Division) in Santa Fe, New Mexico on November 19, 2008, and

(b) the Division's records pertinent to this request.

Williams Production Company, LLC (Williams) has requested to drill the above-referenced well as a directional well from the surface location described in the caption of this letter, to an unorthodox bottom hole location in the Fruitland Coal formation, 1021 feet from the South line and 2225 feet from the East line (Unit O) of Section 27, Township 31 North, Range 5 West, in Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. The E/2 of Section 27 will be dedicated to this well in order to form a standard 320-acre gas spacing unit in the Basin-Fruitland Coal Gas Pool (71629). Spacing in this pool is governed by Rules II.A and II.C of the Special Rules and Regulations for the Basin-Dakota Gas Pool, as most recently amended by Order No. R-10987-B(2), which generally provide for 320-acre units, with wells located at least 660 feet from a unit outer boundary.

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Your application has been duly filed under the provisions of Division Rules 104.F and 1210.A(2).

It is our understanding that you are seeking this location for engineering reasons, to facilitate optimal production from this reservoir.

It is also understood that you have given due notice of this application to all operators or owners who are "affected persons," as defined in Rule 1210.A(2), in all adjoining units towards which the proposed bottom-hole location encroaches.

Pursuant to the authority conferred by Division Rule 104.F(2), the above-described unorthodox location is hereby approved.

This approval is subject to your being in compliance with all other applicable Division rules, including, but not limited to Division Rule 40.

Jurisdiction of this case is retained for the entry of such further orders as the Division may deem necessary.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Mark E. Fesmire', written over a horizontal line.

Mark E. Fesmire, P.E.  
Director

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cc: New Mexico Oil Conservation Division - Aztec  
United States Bureau of Land Management - Farmington