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Devon Energy Corporation  
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Case #11774

Attention: Ms. Carol Glass

Re: Thistle Unit  
Thistle Unit #43H API #30-025-40898  
Thistle Unit #59H API #30-025-41796  
Thistle Unit #60H API #30-025-41797  
Thistle Unit #64H API #30-025-41468  
Commercial Well Determinations  
Bone Spring Formation  
Lea Counties, New Mexico

Dear Ms. Glass:

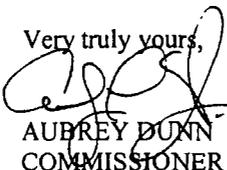
We are in receipt of your letter of May 16, 2016 together with the commercial determination data for the above referenced wells.

Please be advised that the Commissioner of Public Lands concurs with your determinations that the Thistle Unit #43H, 59H, 60H and 64H wells listed above are commercial in Bone Spring formation and are entitled to participate in the Bone Spring Participating Area. This concurrence is subject to like approval by the Bureau of Land Management.

Please submit an application for the creation of the Bone Spring 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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