



# NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS and NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

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## ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER DHC-3321

Merrion Oil & Gas  
610 Reilly Avenue  
Farmington, NM 87401

Attention: Connie Dinning

*Panther Well No. 1  
API No. 30-045-29573  
Unit M, Section 25, Township 30 North, Range 13 West, NMPM,  
San Juan County, New Mexico  
Wildcat-Fruitland Sand (Gas),  
Basin-Fruitland Coal (Gas 71629), and  
Fulcher Kutz-Pictured Cliffs (Gas 77200) Pools*

Dear Ms. Dinning:

Reference is made to your recent application for an exception to Rule 303.A. of the Division Rules and Regulations to permit the above-described well to commingle production from the subject pools in the wellbore.

It appearing that the subject well qualifies for approval for such exception pursuant to the provisions of Rule 303.C., and that reservoir damage or waste will not result from such downhole commingling, and correlative rights will not be violated thereby, you are hereby authorized to commingle the production as described above and any Division Order which authorized the dual completion or otherwise required separation of the zones is hereby placed in abeyance.

In accordance with Division 303C.(1)(f), the production attributed to any commingled pool within the well shall not exceed the allowable applicable to that pool.

Assignment of allowable to the well and allocation of production from the well shall be as follows. These percentages shall be amended only with permission of the Aztec District Office and copied in writing to the Division office in Santa Fe.


Wildcat-Fruitland Sand Gas Pool	Oil-0%	Gas-15%
Basin-Fruitland Coal Gas Pool	Oil-0%	Gas-31%
Fulcher Kutz-Pictured Cliffs Gas Pool	Oil-100%	Gas-54%

REMARKS: The operator shall notify the Aztec District Office of the Division upon implementation of commingling operations.

Pursuant to Rule 303C(2), the commingling authority granted herein may be rescinded by the Division Director if conservation is not being best served by such commingling.

Approved at Santa Fe, New Mexico on this 6<sup>th</sup> day of August 2004.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
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