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Marathon Oil Company P.O. Box 552 Midland, Texas 79702-0552

Attention: Mr. Jerry Fletcher

Re:

Form C-107-A

Jicarilla Apache No. 16

Dear Mr. Fletcher:

I have reviewed your application to downhole commingle Blanco-Mesaverde, Basin-Dakota and Otero-Chacra Gas Pool production within the Jicarilla Apache No. 16, and have determined that additional information will be required prior to processing this application. Your application seeks to allocate 45 percent of the gas to the Blanco-Mesaverde Gas Pool, 40 percent of the gas to the Basin-Dakota Gas Pool, and 15 percent of the gas to the Otero-Chacra Gas Pool. The only production data contained in your application are production plots from the Blanco-Mesaverde and Basin-Dakota Gas Pools. In addition, the Form C-102 for the Basin-Dakota Gas Pool is missing, and the Form C-102 for the Blanco-Mesaverde Gas Pool is not correct.

Please provide production data to support your proposed production allocation as required by Form C-107-A. In addition, please provide the missing and corrected Form C-102's. Your application will be reconsidered after receipt of this data.

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

Sincerely,

David Catanach

Engineer

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