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February 25, 1997

Conoco Inc

10 Desta Drive Suite 100W Midland, Texas 79705-4500

Attn: Mr. Jerry W. Hoover

Re: Application for Downhole Commingling

San Juan 28-7 Unit Wells

Rio Arriba County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Hoover:

We are in receipt of your application to downhole the following San Juan 28-7 unit wells:

Pictured Cliffs/Mesaverde

Well No. 78

Well No. 81

Well No. 88

Well No. 95

Well No. 104

Mesaverde/Dakota

| Well No. 98 | Well No. 125 | Well No. 223 |
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| Well No. 99 | Well No. 126 | Well No. 226 |
| Well No. 110 | Well No. 191E | Well No. 227 |
| Well No. 111 | Well No. 219 | Well No. 229 |
| Well No. 188 | Well No. 221 | Well No. 256 |
| Well No. 189 | Well No. 222 | |

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This office has no objection to your proposed request. Since all of the above-described wells are located on federal minerals, this action is subject to like approval by the Bureau of Land Management and the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division.

If you have any questions or if we may be of further help, please contact Pete Martinez at (505) 827-5791.

Very truly yours,

RAY POWELL, M.S., D.V.M. COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC LANDS

BY:

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RP/JB/cpm cc: Reader File

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