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BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT Farmington District Office 1235 La Plata Highway Farmington, New Mexico 87401

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in reply refer to: NMSF-078707(WF) 3162.7-3 (07400)

Mr. John v. Peters Vice President, Operations Chateau Oil & Gas, Inc. 5950 Berkshire Lane, Suite 275 Dallas, TX 75225

RE: Downhole Commingling No. 1 Duke 1850' FNL and 1180' FEL Section 13-T31N-R13W San Juan County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Peters:

We have reviewed your application for downhole commingling of the Blanco Mesaverde and Basin Dakota formations in the referenced well. Estimated bottom hole pressures are estimated at 301 psi (offset well) for the Mesaverde formation and 524 psi for the Dakota formation. From cumulative production figures, allocation has been determined as shown in the table.

Formation	Oil Allocation	Gas Allocation
Blanco Mesaverde	38.9%	18.3%
Basin Dakota	61.1%	81.7%

Approval to downhole commingle the Mesaverde and Dakota formations is hereby granted.

If you have further questions regarding this matter, please contact Brian W. Davis at (505) 599-6367 or (505) 599-8900.

Sincerely,

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Duane W. Spencer Team' Leader, Petroleum Management

bcc: NMOCD, Santa Fe Well File (No: 1 Duke, 1850' FNL&1180' FEL, Sec 13-T31N-R13W) DOMR Suspense (Brian) AIRS

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