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January 22, 1998

Marathon Oil Company P.O. Box 2409 Hobbs, New Mexico 88241

Attn:

Mr. Bryan L. Williams

Re:

Downhole Commingling Application

McCallister State Well No. 12 NW/4SW/4, Section 25-17S-34E

Vacuum Wolfcamp and Vacuum Upper Penn Pools

Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Williams:

This office is in receipt of your application of January 13, 1998, requesting our approval to downhole commingle the production from the above subject well from the Vacuum Wolfcamp and Vacuum Upper Penn Pools in Lea County, New Mexico.

It is our understanding that production from the subject well will be allocated as follows:

| POOL | ALLOCATION | |
|-------------------|---------------|-------------------|
| Vacuum Wolfcamp | Oil % 65 % | <u>Gas %</u> 37 % |
| Vacuum Upper Penn | 35 % | 63% |
| | 100 | 100 |

Since it appears that there will be no loss of revenue to the State of New Mexico as a result of your proposed operation, your request for downhole commingling the production from the above-mentioned well is hereby approved. Any deviation from the substance of your request will be sufficient grounds for rescinding our approval. Our approval is subject to like approval by the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division.

Your filing fee in the amount of \$30.00 has been received.

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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

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RP/JB/cpm Enclosure

xc: Reader File

OCD-Santa Fe-Attention: David Catanach, Ben Stone