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Attn: Mr. Kevin L. Midkiff

Re: Downhole Commingling Application Koch State Com Well No. 1A Unit Letter I, Section 36-29N-09W Blanco Mesaverde and Blanco Pictured Cliffs Pools San Juan County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Midkiff:

Your applications to downhole commingle the Blanco Mesaverde and Blanco Pictured Cliffs production from within the wellbore of the above-captioned well was received on March 18, 1999.

Since it appears that all the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division's rules and regulations have been complied with, and 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 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.

Please submit your \$30.00 dollar filing fee.

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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