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Oil Conservation Division 1220 S. St. Francis Drive Santa Fe, NM 87505

Mr. Mark E. Fesmire, P.E. - Director New Mexico Oil Conservation Division 1220 South St. Francis Drive Santa Fe, NM 87505

RE: Administrative Approval to Downhole Commingle Energen Resources Corporation Jicarilla 96 #5B 2240' FNL, 1980' FWL, Section 11, T26N, R3W, NMPM Rio Arriba County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Fesmire:

Energen Resources Corporation requests administrative approval to downhole commingle the Gavilan-Pictured Cliffs (PC) and Blanco Mesa Verde (MV) pools in the subject well. Due to the liquid loading problems commingling with plunger lift is the most economical method to recover gas from both zones in the subject well. We have successfully applied this method along with plunger lift in similar wells that have experienced liquid loading problems and it is felt this method would improve the overall producing efficiency of the well.

To comply with New Mexico Oil Conservation Rules, Energen Resources Corporation is submitting the following data for your approval of the proposed commingling.

- 1. C-107A Application for Downhole Commingling
- 2. C-102 Location plat showing each spacing unit and dedicated acreage
- 3. Offset Operator Ownership Plat
- 4. Production curves from the current well completed in the MV.
- 5. Estimated production from dually completed well.
- 5. Allocation method

In accordance to New Mexico Oil Conservation Division Rule 303C, Energen Resources operates all offset units.

If additional information is needed, please contact me at 505-325-6800.

Sincerely.

Justin M. Stolworthy District Engineer

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NMOCD – Aztec District Office BLM- FFO notified via Federal Sundry Notice 3160-5 and sent NMOCD form C-107A

	11/27/06	SUSPENSE	Will Janes LOGGED IN 1/28/06 THE DHC APP NO. DTDS0633237527
,		N	ABOVE THIS LINE FOR DIVISION USE ONLY EW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION - Engineering Bureau - 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, NM 87505
		A	DMINISTRATIVE APPLICATION CHECKLIST
т	HIS CHECKLI	IST IS MAN	IDATORY FOR ALL ADMINISTRATIVE APPLICATIONS FOR EXCEPTIONS TO DIVISION RULES AND REGULATIONS WHICH REQUIRE PROCESSING AT THE DIVISION LEVEL IN SANTA FE
Арри	рно] [	on-Stand C-Downh [PC-Pool [M	ard Location] [NSP-Non-Standard Proration Unit] [SD-Simultaneous Dedication] ole Commingling] [CTB-Lease Commingling] [PLC-Pool/Lease Commingling] Commingling] [OLS - Off-Lease Storage] [OLM-Off-Lease Measurement] VFX-Waterflood Expansion] [PMX-Pressure Maintenance Expansion] [SWD-Sait Water Disposal] [IPI-Injection Pressure Increase] ied Enhanced Oil Recovery Certification] [PPR-Positive Production Response]
[1]			LICATION - Check Those Which Apply for [A] Location - Spacing Unit - Simultaneous Dedication NSL NSP SD
		[B]	One Only for [B] or [C] Commingling - Storage - Measurement DHC CTB PLC PC OLS OLM
		[C]	Injection - Disposal - Pressure Increase - Enhanced Oil Recovery       WFX     PMX     SWD     IPI     EOR     PPR
		[D]	Other: Specify
[2]		ICATIO [A]	<b>N REQUIRED TO:</b> - Check Those Which Apply, or Does Not Apply Working, Royalty or Overriding Royalty Interest Owners
		[B]	Offset Operators, Leaseholders or Surface Owner
		[C]	Application is One Which Requires Published Legal Notice
		[D]	Notification and/or Concurrent Approval by BLM or SLO U.S. Bureau of Land Management - Commissioner of Public Lands, State Land Office
		[E]	For all of the above, Proof of Notification or Publication is Attached, and/or,
		[F]	Waivers are Attached

# [3] SUBMIT ACCURATE AND COMPLETE INFORMATION REQUIRED TO PROCESS THE TYPE OF APPLICATION INDICATED ABOVE.

[4] **CERTIFICATION:** I hereby certify that the information submitted with this application for administrative approval is **accurate** and **complete** to the best of my knowledge. I also understand that **no action** will be taken on this application until the required information and notifications are submitted to the Division.

Note: Statement must be completed by an individual with managerial and/or supervisory capacity.

Justin Stolworthy Print or Type Name	Signature	DISTRICT ENGINEER	$\frac{11}{\text{Date}} \frac{21}{66}$
		J STOLWOR @ ENERGO	en. com

e-mail Address

District I 1625 N. French Drive, Hobbs, NM 88240		lew Mexico ural Resources Department	Form C-107A Revised June 10, 2003
District II 1301 W. Grand Avenue, Artesia, NM 88210 District III		vation Division th St. Francis Dr.	APPLICATION TYPE X_Single
Well 1000 Rio Brazos Road, Azzee, NM 87410 District IV 1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505	Santa Fe, N APPLICATION FOR DOV	Establish Pre-Approved Pools EXISTING WELLBORE	
Energen Resources		ighway, Farmington, New Mexico	-3829/
Operator Jicarilla 96	Add 5B F Section 11, 7	Iress T26N, R3W N.M.P.M	Rio Arriaba
Lease 162928 OGRID No. Property Co		Section-Township-Range 039-26587 Lease Typ	County X e: Federal State Fee
DATA ELEMENT	UPPER ZONE	INTERMEDIATE ZO	
Pool Name	Gavilan Pictured Cliffs	N/A	Blanco Mesa Verde
Pool Code	77360 🗸	N/A	72319
Top and Bottom of Pay Section (Perforated or Open-Hole Interval)	3730' to 3768'	N/A	5800' to 5858'
Method of Production (Flowing or Artificial Lift)	Artificial Lift - Plunger	N/A	Artificial Lift - Plunger
Bottomhole Pressure (Note: Pressure data will not be required if the bottom perforation in the lower zone is within 150% of the	N/A within 150%	N/A	N/A within 150%
depth of the top perforation in the upper zone) Oil Gravity or Gas BTU (Degree API or Gas BTU)	1,027 BTU	N/A	1,056 BTU
Producing, Shut-In or New Zone	New Zone	N/A	Producing
Date and Oil/Gas/Water Rates of Last Production. (Note: For new zones with no production history, applicant shall be required to attach production	Date: New Zone	Date: N/A	Date: 11/15/06
estimates and supporting data.)	Rates: 0 BOPD/60 MCFPD/1.5 BWPD	Rates: N/A	Rates: 0 BOPD/140 MCFPD/1.5 BWPD
Fixed Allocation Percentage (Note: If allocation is based upon something other	Oil Gas	Oil N/A Gas	N/A Oil Gas
than current or past production, supporting data or explanation will be required.)	0% 34%	% %	0 % 66 %

#### **ADDITIONAL DATA**

Are all working, royalty and overriding royalty interests identical in all commingled zones? If not, have all working, royalty and overriding royalty interest owners been notified by certified mail?	YesX_ Yes	No No
Are all produced fluids from all commingled zones compatible with each other?	Yes_ <u>X</u>	No
Will commingling decrease the value of production?	Yes	No <u>X</u>
If this well is on, or communitized with, state or federal lands, has either the Commissioner of Public Lands or the United States Bureau of Land Management been notified in writing of this application?	Yes <u>X</u>	_ No
NMOCD Reference Case No. applicable to this well:		

Attachments:

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C-102 for each zone to be commingled showing its spacing unit and acreage dedication. Production curve for each zone for at least one year. (If not available, attach explanation.) For zones with no production history, estimated production rates and supporting data.

Data to support allocation method or formula.

E-MAIL ADDRESS jstolwor@energen.com

Notification list of working, royalty and overriding royalty interests for uncommon interest cases. Any additional statements, data or documents required to support commingling.

### **PRE-APPROVED POOLS**

If application is to establish Pre-Approved Pools, the following additional information will be required:

List of other orders approving downhole commingling within the proposed Pre-Approved Pools List of all operators within the proposed Pre-Approved Pools Proof that all operators within the proposed Pre-Approved Pools were provided notice of this application. Bottomhole pressure data.

I hereby certify that the information above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.					
SIGNATURE TITLE	District EngineerDATE_112106				
TYPE OR PRINT NAME Justin M. Stolworthy	TELEPHONE NO. ( <u>505</u> ) <u>325-6800</u>				

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### State of New Mexico Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Department OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION 1220 South St. Francis Dr. Santa Fe, NM 87505

Form C-102 Revised June 10, 2003 Submit to Appropriate District Office State Lease - 4 Copies Fee Lease - 3 Copies

AMENDED REPORT

### WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

<sup>1</sup> API Number				<sup>2</sup> Pool Code		<sup>3</sup> Pool Name				
30-039-26587				77360/72319 Gavilan Pictured Cliffs/Blanco Mesa Verde					e	
<sup>4</sup> Property C	ode	<sup>5</sup> Property Name							<sup>6</sup> Well Number	
21938		Jicarilla 96							5B	
<sup>7</sup> OGRID N	lo.	<sup>8</sup> Operator Name							<sup>9</sup> Elevation	
162982			Energen Resources Corporation						7123'	
L					<sup>10</sup> Surface	Location				
UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/We	st line County	
Р	11	26N	3W		2240	North	1980	West	Rio Arriba	
······	<sup>11</sup> Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface									
UL or lot no. Section		Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/We	st line County	
<sup>12</sup> Dedicated Acres	<sup>13</sup> Joint o	r Infill <sup>14</sup> (	Consolidation	Code <sup>15</sup> Ord	ler No.					
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#### NO ALLOWABLE WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THIS COMPLETION UNTIL ALL INTERESTS HAVE BEEN CONSOLIDATED OR A NON-STANDARD UNIT HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE DIVISION

2240		17 OPERATOR CERTIFICATION I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and befter Signifure
	1	Justin M .Stolworthy     Printed Name     District Engineer jstolwor@energen.com     Title and E-mail Address     11/14/06     Date
		<sup>18</sup> SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION I hereby certify that the well location shown on this plat was plotted from field notes of actual surveys made by me or under my supervision, and that the same is true and correct to the best of my belief. July 10, 2000 Date of Survey
		Signature and Seal of Professional Surveyor: Neale C. Edwards NM 6857 Certificate Number

Energen Resources Corp. Jicarilla 96 #5B Offset Operator/ Ownership Plat Gavilan Pictured Cliffs/ Blanco Mesa Verde Downhole Commingling



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## Estimated production rate:

Energen estimates that the Gavilan PC will produce at a rate of 60 MSCFP D. We have used Offset data to estimate its gas rate. Please see production chart below for Jicarilla 96 #6A Gavilan PC well, which is an offset well of the Jicarilla 96 #5B.

	Gavilan Pictured Cliffs	Blanco Mesa Verde		
Production Rate	60 MSCFPD (est.)	140 MSCFPD		
Combined Production Rate	200 MSCFPD (est.)			





#### Energen Resources Completion Schedule - Procedure for Jicarilla 96 #5B

# NOTE: See "Pertinent Data Sheet for wellbore information", "Perforation schedule for shooting interval.", and "Halliburton Frac Procedure."

- 1. MIRU WSU NUBOP.
- 2. POOH production tubing.
- 3. TIH W/ CIBP and set right below PC Zone. Load the casing with clean 2% KCL W/ Biocide. Pressure Test Casing to 3,000 psig. Note: A packer may be required to isolate the wellhead from 3,000 psig. NU Frac Head/Valve assembly.
- 4. MIRU WL. TIH & perforate the PC per the selected interval.
- 5. Pump the Breakdown schedule per the attached procedure.
- 6. Fracture the PC per the attached procedure. Note: The Max treating pressure will be 3,000 psig.
- 7. TIH w/ tubing and clean out to above CIBP.
- 8. TIH w/ Production tubing and BHA per Production Foreman Specification..
- 9. NDBOP. NUWH. RDMO WSU. Flow test PC.
- 10. MIRU WSU NDWH NUBOP. POOH w/ tubing.
- 11. TIH with drill-out BHA and drill out CIBP and push to PBTD. POOH w/ Drill-out assembly – TIH w/ Production tubing BHA per <u>Production Foreman</u> <u>Specification</u>.
- 12. NDBOP NUWH RDMO WSU. Turn the well over to production.