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Encana Oil & Gas (USA) Inc.
Attn: Mona Binon & Megan Gross
370 17th Street Suite 1700
Denver, CO 80202

Dear Ms. Binon:

The Encana 2018 Plan of Development (POD) for the Betonnie Tsosie Wash Unit (BTWU) located in San Juan and Rio Aribba Counties, New Mexico is not approved as of March 5, 2018 because there is no plan for further development. The BTWU contains 13,137 acres of Federal and Allotted minerals with only one producing well which was the initial obligation well. The BTWU #601 first produced in Dec. 2014 and there has been no well development by Encana Oil & Gas within BTWU in over 4 years.

Their 2018 plan contains only installation of valves to isolate and de-pressure the tank vapor recovery system for increased safe operation but no well development.

Because of our fiduciary responsibilities we are requiring POD's to emphasize annual work be performed to benefit primarily Navajo Allotted interests but also the general public interest. BTWU has fourteen Navajo Allotments within its boundaries.

If you have questions regarding the above unit, please contact me at (505) 564-7740 or jhewitt@blm.gov.

Sincerely,

Richard Fields,
Farmington Field Manger

cc: Commissioner of Public Lands, Santa Fe, NM (SLO)
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (NMOCD)
Federal Indian Minerals Office (FIMO)