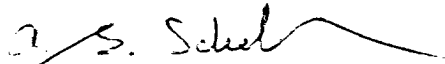


We understand that the requested approval will not constitute the granting of any right-of-way or construction rights not granted by lease instrument and, we will submit within 30 days an application for right-of-way to the BLM's Realty Section in your office if we have not already done so.

Additional wells require additional commingling approvals.

Signature

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "A. B. Schoffmann", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Name: A. B. Schoffmann

Title: Indian Basin Asset Team Manager

Date: April 3, 1998

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Attachments