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Mr. J. G. Ubben Continental Oil Company 200 North Wolcott Casper, Wyoming 82601

Re: Commingling Authority and Multiple Completion Order, Continental Oil Co., Jicarilla 28 #4, D-34-25N-4W, Rio Arriba County

Dear Mr. Ubben:

Our records indicate that the above well was dually completed as an oil-oil dual in the Dakota and Gallup formations. We do not find however, that Continental Oil Co. has ever filed an application for approval of the dual or for approval of the down hole commingling installation which you have indicated you have installed. Commission regulations require that administrative orders be issued for approval of multiple completions or commingling installations prior to production. Our information indicates that you well has been producing since October 27, 1968, in violation of these regulations.

Will you please make immediate application to Mr. A. L. Porter, Secretary-Director, Oil Conservation Commission, P. O. Box 2088, Santa Fe, New Mexico, for commingling authority and approval of the dual completion? I am enclosing forms for your use. Also enclosed is a copy of Commission Order R 2978 which specifies the requirements for approval of commingling authority.

We will not issue a shut in order until February 1, 1969. This should allow you sufficient time to secure administrative orders and avoid a shut down.

If we can assist you in any way in the above matter, please contact us.

Yours very truly,

Emery C. Arnold
Supervisor, District #3

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cc: Mr. Dan Nutter Oil Conservation Commission Santa Fe, New Mexico