

## **United States Department of the Interior**

## BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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IN REPLY REFER TO: NMNM 129911(CA) 3105 (NMF0110)

August 28, 2014

Burlington Resources Oil & Gas Company Attn: Dawn Howell PO Box 4289 Farmington, NM 87499-4289

Dear Ms. Howell:

During a record review of CA number NMNM 129911 the BLM found an error in the effective date. The effective date of a CA is the date of or prior to production of Federal Number 11M well. The date was February 6, 2013. All the BLM records and leases have been updated to reflect the correct date of July 9, 2012. Please update Burlington Resources Oil & Gas Company to reflect the correct date and notify any required entity.

Enclosed you will find a corrected Determination - Approval - Certification page to insert into the CA record.

If you have any questions regarding the Communitization Agreement, please contact me at the above address or telephone (505) 564-7741.

Sincerely,

Cynthia Marquez Land Law Examiner

Petroleum Management Branch

Enclosure 1 - Corrected Determination-Approval-Certification cc: ONRR, MS-357 B1, Denver, CO NMOCD, Santa Fe (w/o encl.) NM Tax & Rev. Dept.

NMSO (93000) (w/o encl.) CA file (NMNM129911) Lease Files (NMSF 079295, NMSF 079296) LR2000/AFMSS/21110: cmarquez CA BR NM129911

## **DETERMINATION - APPROVAL - CERTIFICATION**

Pursuant to the authority vested in the Secretary of the Interior, under Section 17(i) of the Mineral Leasing Act of 1920, as amended (74 Stat. 784; 30 U.S.C. 226(j), and delegated to the authorized officer, of the Bureau of Land Management, I do hereby:

- Determine that the Federal lease or leases as to the lands committed to the attached agreement cannot be independently developed and operated in conformity with the well-spacing program established for the field or area in which said lands are located, and that consummation and approval of the agreement will be in the public interest.
- B. Approve the attached Communitization Agreement covering: E1/2 Section 23, T. 26 N., R. 6 W., Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, as to natural gas and associated liquid hydrocarbons producible from the Basin Mancos formation. This approval will become invalid ab initio by the Authorized Officer should then public interest requirements under Section 3105.2-3(e) not be met.
- C. Certify and determine that the drilling, producing, rental, minimum royalty and royalty requirements of the Federal lease or leases committed to said agreement are hereby established, altered, changed, or revoked to conform with the terms and conditions of the agreement.
- D. Approval of this agreement does not warrant or certify that the applicant and other working interest owners thereof hold legal or equitable title to the leases, which are committed hereto.

Approved:

February 6, 2013

Cynthia Marquez Land Law Examiner

Petroleum Management Branch

Effective:

July 9, 2012 Contract No.: NMNM 129911