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ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER DHC-3331

Burlington Resources Oil & Gas Company, LP PO Box 4289 Farmington, NM 87499

Attention: Nancy Oltmanns

State 16 Well No 3
API No. 30-045-25641
Unit M, Section 16, Township 28 North, Range 9 West, NMPM,
San Juan County, New Mexico
Otero-Chacra (Gas 82329),
Blanco-Mesaverde (Prorated Gas 72319), and
Potter-Gallup (Oil 50387) Pools

Dear Ms. Oltmanns:

Reference is made to your recent application for an exception to Rule 303.A. of the Division Rules and Regulations to permit the above-described well to commingle production from the subject pools in the wellbore.

It appearing that the subject well qualifies for approval for such exception pursuant to the provisions of Rule 303.C., and that reservoir damage or waste will not result from such downhole commingling, and correlative rights will not be violated thereby, you are hereby authorized to commingle the production as described above and any Division Order which authorized the dual completion or otherwise required separation of the zones is hereby placed in abeyance.

In accordance with Division 303C.(1)(f), the production attributed to any commingled pool within the well shall not exceed the allowable applicable to that pool.

Within 30 days following completion of this workover to downhole commingle, the operator shall supply the Division office in Santa Fe with oil and gas production allocation percentages between each producing pool within this well.

REMARKS: The operator shall notify the Aztec District Office of the Division upon implementation of commingling operations.

Pursuant to Rule 303C(2), the commingling authority granted herein may be rescinded by the Division Director if conservation is not being best served by such commingling.

Approved at Santa Fe, New Mexico on this 24th day of August 2004.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
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cc: Oil Conservation Division - Aztec

State Land Office - Minerals Management