New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

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BURLINGTON RESOURCES OIL & GAS COMPANY LP 3401 E. 30TH STREET, FARMINGTON, NM 87402

Attention: Crystal Tofoya

	UTE MOUNTAIN UTE Well No. 040	
	API No: 30-045-29354	
	Unit J, Section 20, Township 32 North, Range 14 West, NMPM	
	Rio Arriba County, New Mexico	
Pool:	BARKER DOME; DESERT CREEK (G)	Gas 96353
Names:	WC BARKER DOME HONAKER TRAIL	Gas 97582
	WILDCAT PERMIAN CUTLER (GAS)	Gas 97695

Reference is made to your recent application for an exception to Rule 12.9A. 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 12.11A., 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 12.11A.(6), the production attributed to any commingled pool within the well shall not exceed the allowable applicable to that pool.

The production allocation percentages of oil and gas between these pools shall be supplied to the Division's Santa Fe office within 60 days following completion of this well or workover.

REMARKS: The operator shall notify the Division's district office upon implementation of commingling operations.

Pursuant to Rule 12.11B., the commingling authority granted herein may be rescinded by the Division Director if conservation is not being best served by such commingling.

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J. DANIEL SANCHEZ Acting Director

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cc: Oil Conservation Division – Aztec Bureau of Land Management - Farmington