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Re: NMOCC Case Nos. 12276 and 12277, consolidated; Applications of Burlington Resources Oil and Gas Company for Compulsory Pooling, San Juan County, New Mexico, *De novo*

Gentlemen,

Pursuant to Energen's motion for stay and concurrence of counsel for Burlington, this matter has been continued indefinitely pending resolution of contract issues, which I understand will be presented to the Eleventh Judicial District Court. Please let us know when the case is again ready for its *de novo* hearing before the Commission.

Please feel free to give me a call if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "SR", written over a horizontal line.

Stephen C. Ross
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