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BP America Production Co. Attn: Craig Ferguson 737 N. Eldridge Parkway, E3, 12.173B Houston, TX 77079

Dear Mr. Ferguson:

The BP America (BP) 2018 Plan of Development (POD) for the Northeast Blanco Unit (NEBU) located in San Juan County, New Mexico is <u>approved</u> as of April 19, 2018. A POD is required to be filed yearly by the unit operator and not later than March 1 of each year. No extension of time will be granted unless an unavoidable delay where justified. The unit POD is approved specifically because there is a plan to drill and develop the unit in 2018.

Because of our fiduciary responsivities we are requiring POD's to emphasize annual work be performed to benefit primarily Navajo Allotted interests but also the general public interest. The NEBU has Federal, State and Fee lands but no Indian within its boundaries.

It is noteworthy that BP has an active 2018 plan to drill nine horizontal Mancos wells.

If you have questions regarding the above unit POD approval, please contact Joe Hewitt at (505) 564-7740 or jhewitt@blm.gov.

Sincerely,

Richard Fields,

Farmington Field Manager

cc: Commissioner of Public Lands, Santa Fe, NM (SLO) New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (NMOCD)