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Ms. Jami Bailey, Director NM Oil Conservation Division 1220 S. St. Francis Drive Santa Fe, NM 87501

Re: NMOCD Case No. 14629: Application of Blue Dolphin Production, LLC for Compulsory Pooling, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico

Dear Ms. Bailey:

On behalf of the Applicant, Blue Dolphin Production, L.L.C., please continue the hearing on this matter from the August 4, 2011 examiner hearing docket to August 18, 2011. Blue Dolphin and the Jicarilla Apache Nation are engaged in productive discussions concerning a possible mineral development agreement.

Steve Gunn and Shenan Atcitty, counsel for the Jicarilla Apache Nation, concur with this request.

Very truly yours,

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