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Ms. Jami Bailey, Director NM Oil Conservation Division 1220 S. St. Francis Drive Santa Fe, NM 87501 **É-Mail and Hand-Delivery**

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 in the above matter, Blue Dolphin Production LLC, we acknowledge the receipt last night of the Motion to Dismiss and Memorandum of Law in Support filed on behalf of the Jicarilla Apache Nation.

Please be advised that we intend to file a response to the Motion and Memorandum in advance of the examiner hearing on the Application scheduled for May 26, 2011.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

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