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Attention: Ms. Dawn Howell

Re: San Juan 31-6 Unit  
Mesaverde Participating Area  
Seventeenth Expansion Effective November 1, 2000 (REVISED)  
Eighteenth Expansion Effective January 1, 2002  
Nineteenth Expansion Effective December 1, 2002  
Twentieth Expansion Effective August 1, 2004  
Twenty-First Expansion Effective September 1, 2004  
Rio Arriba County, New Mexico

Dear Ms. Howell:

We have received your letter of October 9, 2006, requesting our approval to the above-mentioned Mesaverde participating area expansions for the San Juan 31-6 Unit.

By their letter of October 25, 2006, the Bureau of Land Management advised this office of their approval to this expansion.

The Commissioner of Public Lands concurs with the Bureau of Land Management and has this date approved the above-mentioned expanded participating area effective as follows:

**SEVENTEENTH EXPANSION EFFECTIVE NOVEMBER 1, 2000 (REVISED)**

WELL	DRILLING BLOCK	ACRE
San Juan 31-6 Unit Well No. 31E	W/2 Sec. 35-31N-6W	320.00

**EIGHTEENTH EXPANSION EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2002**

WELL	DRILLING BLOCK	ACRE
San Juan 31-6 Unit Well No. 44E	E/2 Sec. 29-31N-6W	320.00

**NINETEENTH EXPANSION EFFECTIVE DECEMBER 1, 2002**

WELL	DRILLING BLOCK	ACRE
San Juan 31-6 Unit Well No. 25E	E/2 Sec. 33-31N-6W	320.00

**TWENTIETH EXPANSION EFFECTIVE AUGUST 1, 2004**

WELL	DRILLING BLOCK	ACRE
San Juan 31-6 Unit Well No. 44E	E/2 Sec. 29-31N-6W	320.00

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**TWENTY-FIRST EXPANSION EFFECTIVE SEPTEMBER 1, 2004**

WELL	DRILLING BLOCK	ACRE
San Juan 31-6 Unit Well No. 39E	E/2 Sec. 28-31N-6W	320.00

If you have any questions or if we may be of further help, please contact Pete Martinez at (505) 827-5791.

Very truly yours,

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