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Daniel Sanchez
Acting Director
Oil Conservation Division
Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Department
1220 S. St. Francis Dr.
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Dear Director Sanchez:

Case No. 14329/ Order No. R-13201

San Juan Coal Company has participated in the above referenced case with the objective of protecting the safety of the San Juan Underground Mine. After consulting with Anadarko and their experts, San Juan has concluded that the risks to the San Juan Underground have been considered and are addressed by Order No. R-13201 as modified by Anadarko's December 22, 2010 request for amendment. Therefore, San Juan Coal Company withdraws its objection to the amendment of Order No. R-13201 requested by Anadarko in its letter to the Oil Conservation Division dated December 22, 2010.

Thank you for your assistance with this matter.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Charles E. Roybal', with a stylized, cursive script.

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