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Dear Mr. Catanach:

I am writing to request that you add these pool combinations to the list of preapproved pools for down hole commingling under R-11363.

The Aztec Pictured Cliffs Gas Pool (71280) is already approved for DHC with the Basin Fruitland Coal, the Otero Chacra and the Basin Dakota and needs to be preapproved with the Blanco Mesaverde (72319). Both the Blanco and South Blanco Pictured Cliffs gas pools that border the Aztec PC are preapproved with the Blanco Mesaverde already.

The Harper Hill Fruitland Sand/Pictured Cliffs Gas Pool (78160) needs to be preapproved for DHC with the Basin Fruitland Coal Gas Pool (71629). The Twin Mounds Fruitland Sand/ Pictured Cliffs Pool that borders the Harper Hill is preapproved.

The East Blanco Pictured Cliffs (72400) should be preapproved for down hole commingling with the new Tertiary Pools (Cabresto Canyon, 07037, Burro Canyon, 97035, and La Jara Canyon, 97036) as the interests are held by Mallon Oil in common under lease from the Jicarilla Apache Nation.

These combinations will streamline the processing of down hole commingling applications for the Engineering Bureau.

Sincerely,

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Richard, please add the following pools to Rule 303.C.

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No. 1 Blanco-Mesaverde (72319) & Aztec-Pictured Cliffs (71280) Pools

No. 2 Basin-Fruitland Coal (71629) & Harper Hill Fruitland Sand-Pictured Cliffs (78160) Pools

No. 3 East Blanco-Pictured Cliffs (72400) & Cabresto Canyon-Tertiary (07037) Pools

No. 4 East Blanco-Pictured Cliffs (72400) & Burro Canyon-Tertiary (97035) Pools

No. 5 East Blanco-Pictured Cliffs (72400) & La Jara Canyon-Tertiary (97036) Pools