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Ms. Lori Wrotenbery  
Director  
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division  
2040 S. Pacheco Street  
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Subject: Case No. 12069, Order No. R-10987-A

Dear Ms. Wrotenbery:

The Bureau of Land Management, Farmington Field Office has reviewed Burlington Resources Oil & Gas Company (Burlington) technical data for Case No. 12069. This case proposed to increase the well density and vertical limits of the Blanco Mesaverde Pool. Navajo and Jicarilla Tribal lands, as well as Navajo Allotted lands, are located within the boundaries of this pool.

The Navajo and Jicarilla Tribes were furnished copies of the technical data for review and comment. Based upon our technical review, we concur that the Burlington data supports increasing the well density and vertical limits of the Blanco Mesaverde Pool.

Therefore, Order No. R-10987-A is adopted by BLM for use on all Indian lands within this pool. In accordance with the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) between BLM and the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (NMOCD), enclosed is a separate BLM signature page to be attached to the NMOCD order.

Sincerely,

Duane W. Spencer  
Team Lead, Petroleum Management

Enclosure-1  
1-Concurrence Notice

cc:  
Navajo Minerals Department, Attn: Akhtar Zaman  
Jicarilla Energy and Minerals Department, Attn: Thurman Velarde  
Farmington Indian Minerals Office, Attn: Kevin Gambrell  
Mr. Gerry Simon, Consultant Jicarilla Tribe  
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