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Novy Oil & Gas, Inc.
125 N. Market
Suite 1230
Wichita, Kansas 67202

Attention: Mr. Frank E. Novy

Re: Form C-107-A
Sunoco Federal No. 1
Unit K, Section 5, T-9S, R-34E
Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Novy:

I have reviewed your recent application to downhole commingle Milnesand-Abo and Vada-Penn Pool production within the Sunoco Federal Well No. 1. Your application indicates that there is currently no production from the Milnesand-Abo Pool. Please be advised that it is the policy of the Division not to approve downhole commingling applications which include zones with no production.

Your application for downhole commingling is hereby denied.

Please contact the supervisor of the Division's Hobbs District Office in order to obtain approval to permanently abandon the Abo zone in the well.

Sincerely,

David Catanach
Engineer

Xc: OCD-Hobbs
Bureau of Land Management-Carlsbad

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