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Dear Mr Boyle:

RE: APPLICATION FOR COMMINGLED PRODUCTION APPROVAL BRC HTR et al Kelly d-40-A/093-P-01; WA# 14963

The OGC has reviewed your application dated December 23, 2004, for approval to commingle gas production from the Cadotte and Falher A formations in the subject well.

The Commission has designated the gas pools under application to be the Kelly – Cadotte "J" and Falher A "D". Both zones have been mapped as single well pools. The Falher A has been on production since February 2003 and has cumulatively produced 4.0 10⁶ m³ of gas. Although the Falher A commenced production at 34.0 10³ m³/d, its rate has dropped to less than 5.0 10³ m³/d and is unable to produce due to liquid loading. The Cadotte tested at 1.6 10³ m³/d upon initial completion and remains shut-in as its productive capability is below the critical lift rate. Plunger lift has been proposed to maximize production from the Falher A zone. Commingled production is necessary to open the annulus for wellbore storage to drive the plunger lift system. It is expected that commingled production will maximize recovery from both zones. Both zones are sweet gas and are expected to have similar pressures. However a sliding sleeve will be in place to enable segregation for the duration of any extended shut-in period.

We wish to advise you that your application to commingle production from these zones is hereby granted approval, under the authority of Section 41 of the *Drilling and Production Regulation*, subject to the following conditions:

- 1. Production from the Cadotte (2254.0 2259.0 mKB) and Falher A (2391.0 2397.0 mKB) formations may be commingled.
- 2. Gas, water and condensate production should be allocated on the Ministry of Provincial Revenue BC S-1 and BC S-2 forms on the basis of Cadotte 5 % and Falher A 95 %. The allocation factors may be amended to reflect results of any future tests.
- 3. A current reservoir pressure of the Falher A zone is measured prior to commingling.
- 4. This approval may be modified at a later date if deemed appropriate through a change in circumstances.

Should you have any questions, please contact the undersigned at (250) 952-0366

Sincerely,

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