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Dear Ms. Mactaggart:

**RE: APPLICATION FOR COMMINGLED PRODUCTION
CNRES W CURRANT a-32-D/94-A-16; WA# 12443**

The Commission has reviewed your application dated February 16, 2000, requesting permission to commingle gas production from the Bluesky and Gething zones encountered in the subject well.

The Commission has designated the gas pools encountered by this well to be Buick Creek - Bluesky "C" and the single well Currant West - Dunlevy "C" (not Gething).

Both zones contain sweet gas, any potential crossflow should be from the Dunlevy to the Bluesky, having no detrimental effect on other wells. Commingled completion would appear to offer an economic ability to produce marginal zones, thereby increasing reserves recovery.

We wish to advise you that your application to commingle production from these two pools is hereby approved, under the authority of section 41 of the *Drilling and Production Regulation*, subject to the following conditions:

1. Production from the Bluesky (1023-1026 mKB) and Dunlevy (1030-1046 mKB) zones may be commingled.
2. Gas, condensate and water production should be allocated on the Ministry of Energy and Mines BC S-1 and BC S-2 forms on the basis of Bluesky 65% and Dunlevy 35%.
3. This approval may be modified at a later date if deemed appropriate through a change in circumstances.

Sincerely,

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