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Dear Mr. Markel:

Re: Burlington Resources Canada Energy Ltd.
National Policy 12-201 – Mutual Reliance Review System ("MRRS") For
Exemptive Relief Applications
Application pursuant to section 160 of *The Securities Act, 1988*, SS 1988, c.S-
42.2 (the "Act") pursuant to Saskatchewan Policy Statement 6.2 (the "Applicable
Policies") dated June 14, 2000.
Your file: 18634-9
Our file: 7401

Burlington Resources Canada Energy Ltd. ("BRCEL") filed an application dated June 14, 2000 (the "Application") under the Mutual Reliance Review System for Exemptive Relief Applications (the "System") requesting the local securities regulator or securities regulatory authority (the "Decision Makers") in Saskatchewan provide a waiver from the annual information form ("AIF") filing provisions of the Applicable Policies as they apply to BRCEL.

The Saskatchewan Securities Commission is the principal regulator for the application. Under the System, this letter evidences the decision of the Decision Makers.

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Based on the information and BRCEL representations contained in the Application, this letter confirms that the Decision Makers waive the AIF filing provisions of the Applicable Policies as they apply to BRCEL so long as Burlington Resources Canada Inc. complies with the requirements contained in the operative portion of the Mutual Reliance Review Decision in respect of BRCEL dated November 17, 1999.

Yours sincerely,

“Marcel de la Gorgendière”

Marcel de la Gorgendière, Q.C.
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