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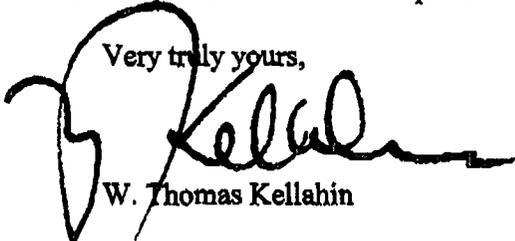
Mr. Mark E. Fesmire, Director
Oil Conservation Division
1220 South Saint Francis Drive
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Re: **Request for continuance**
NMOCD Case 13494
Application of Texland Petroleum, L.P. for
a Compliance Order against Latigo Petroleum, Inc.,
and other relief, Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Fesmire:

Mr. Bruce on behalf of Latigo and I on behalf of Texland have made significant progress towards a settlement of this matter. Accordingly, I request that this case be continued to the July 30, 2005 docket to provide an additional period to resolve the issues in this case.

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Very truly yours,

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