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Via fax

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Re: Case No. 13, 274 *de novo*/Arch Petroleum Inc.

Dear Mr. Fesmire:

Arch Petroleum Inc. requests that the above matter be continued to the November Commission hearing. Mr. Gallegos has no objection.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James Bruce", is written over a horizontal line.

James Bruce

Attorney for Arch Petroleum Inc.