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Energy, Mineral and Natural Resources Oil Conservation Division ATTENTION: Florene Davidson 1220 South Saint Francis Drive Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

RE: <u>NMOCD Case Number#13942: Application of Encore Acquisition Company for compulsory pooling, Lea County, New Mexico</u>

Dear Ms. Davidson:

We request a continuance of OCD Case No. 13942, which is set for hearing on Thursday, June 21, 2007.

We ask that this case be continued to the July 26, 2007, OCD Docket.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact me.

Very truly yours,

ERNEST L. PADILLA

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cc: Encore Acquisitions Company

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