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TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 33 EAST, NMPM Section 25: SE/4

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TOWNSHIP 10 SOUTH, RANGE 33 EAST, NMPM Section 22: NE/4

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TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 35 EAST, NMPM Section 33: NE/4

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TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 38 EAST, NMPM Section 28: SE/4

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TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 37 EAST, NMPM Section 29: S/2

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TOWNSHIP 16 SOUTH. RANGE 37 EAST, NMPM Section 27: W/2 Section 28: SE/4

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Dear Mr. LeMay:

TARA-JON Corporation respectfully requests that this matter which is currently set on the Division docket for the October 27, 1994 hearings be continued to the November 10, 1994 Examiner docket.

Your attention to this matter is appreciated.

Very truly yours,

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