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Mr. William J. LeMay, Director
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Re: Application of Fasken Oil and Ranch, Ltd. for the
Creation of a New Pool for production from the
Devonian Formation with the Adoption of Special
Pool Rules, Lea County, New Mexico.

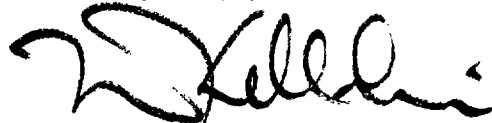
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Dear Mr. LeMay:

On behalf of Fasken Oil and Ranch, Ltd., please find enclosed our
referenced application which we request be set for hearing on the next
available Examiner's docket now scheduled for September 19, 1996.

Also enclosed is our proposed advertisement of this case for the
NMOCD docket.

Very truly yours,



W. Thomas Kellahin

cc: Fasken Oil and Ranch, Ltd.
Attn: Mr. Carl Brown