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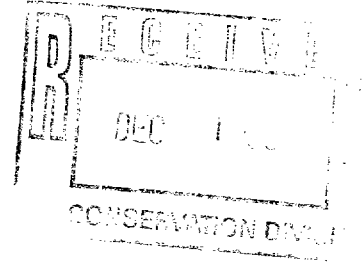
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Mr. William J. LeMay, Chairman
Oil Conservation Commission
2040 South Pacheco
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*Re: REQUEST FOR HEARING DENOVO
NMOCD CASE 11807
Order No. R-10921
Application of Stevens & Tull, Inc.
for salt water disposal,
Lea County, New Mexico*

Dear Mr. LeMay:

On behalf of Stevens & Tull, Inc., a party of record adversely affected herein, please find enclosed our request for a Hearing DeNovo before the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission of the referenced Division case and resulting order.

Very truly yours,

W. Thomas Kellahin

cc: Stevens & Tull, Inc.
Attn: Jerry Weant