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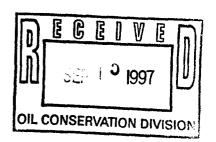
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Re: Oil Conservation Division Cases 11830 and 11833: Application of Mewbourne Oil Company for Compulsory Pooling, Eddy County, New Mexico; Application of Devon Energy Corporation (Nevada) for Compulsory Pooling, Eddy County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Stogner:

W. Thomas Kellahin, attorney for Devon Energy Corporation (Nevada) has agreed to a continuance of these cases to October 9, 1997.

Very truly yours,

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