



**NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS
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Mr. James Bruce
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Re: De Novo Case No. 11842
Order No. R-10957-A
Application of Mewbourne Oil
Company for an unorthodox gas well
location, Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Bruce:

The above-referenced De Novo case, which was scheduled for hearing before the Oil Conservation Commission on April 9, 1998, is hereby dismissed pursuant to the request of the De Novo applicant. Division Order No. R-10957 is hereby continued in full force and effect until further notice.

Sincerely,


LORI WROTENBERY
Division Director

cc: Thomas Kellahin
William F. Carr