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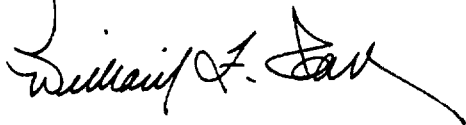
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Re: *Application of Me-Tex Oil & Gas, Inc. for Pool Contraction, Pool Creation
and Special Pool Rules, Lea County, New Mexico*

Dear Mr. LeMay:

Enclosed in triplicate is the Application of Me-Tex Oil & Gas, Inc. in the above-referenced case as well as a legal advertisement. Me-Tex Oil & Gas, Inc. respectfully requests that this matter be placed on the docket for the November 6, 1997 Examiner hearings.

Very truly yours,



WILLIAM F. CARR

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Enclosures

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