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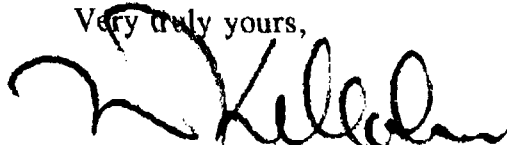
Mr. Michael E. Stogner  
Oil Conservation Division  
2040 South Pacheco  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Re: NMOCD Case 11882  
Application of Xeric Oil & Gas Corporation  
for Compulsory Pooling  
Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Stogner:

On behalf of Xeric Oil & Gas Corporation I would appreciate you  
**dismissing** the referenced case currently scheduled for hearing on the  
January 22, 1998 Examiner's docket.

Very truly yours,



W. Thomas Kellahin

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Attorney for Leonard Resources

cc: Xeric Oil & Gas Corporation  
Attn: Bob Barnett