

March 1, 1999

Santa Fe Energy Resources, Inc. C/o James Bruce P. O. Box 2265 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504 Telefax No. (505) 982-2151

Re: Case No. **12131**: Application for an unorthodox gas well location, Lea County, New Mexico.

Dear Mr. Bruce:

Reference is made to your letter dated March 1, 1999 requesting a continuance in the above-described matter. Due to scheduling irregularities and Division workload this case will be continued to the **April 15, 1999** Examiners Hearing. Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Michael E. Stogner Chief Hearing Officer/Engineer

cc: W. Thomas Kellahin - Santa Fe [Telefax No. (505) 982-2047]
Case File 12131
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