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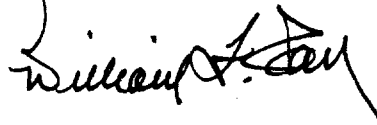
Re: New Mexico Oil Conservation Division Case No. 12132 (Reopened): The matter of Case 12132 being reopened pursuant to the provisions of Division Order No. 11181.

Dear Ms. Wrotenbery,

Nearburg Exploration Company, L.L.C., the original applicant in this case, will not be appearing for the Examiner Hearing on June 15, 2000 and hereby requests that the Division rescind the Temporary Special Pool Rules for the Anderson Ranch-Strawn Pool.

Your attention to this request is appreciated.

Very truly yours,



William F. Carr

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cc: Bob Shelton