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Dear Florene:

Enclosed for filing are an original and two copies of an application for compulsory pooling, together with a proposed advertisement, filed on behalf of Nearburg Exploration Company, L.L.C. Please set this matter for the September 2, 1999 Examiner hearing. Thank you.

Very truly yours,

James Bruce

Attorney for Nearburg Exploration Company, L.L.C.