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May 1, 2001

Lori Wrotenbery, Director
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Re: NMOCDC Case No. 12588: Application of Raptor Natural Pipeline LLC for Special Project Rules, Grama Ridge Morrow Gas Storage Unit, Lea County, New Mexico;
NMOCDC Case No. 12441: Application of LG&E Natural Pipeline LLC for Special Project Rules, Grama Ridge Morrow Gas Storage Unit, Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Ms. Wrotenbery:

On behalf of the Applicant, Raptor Natural Pipeline LLC, f/k/a LG&E Natural Pipeline LLC, we request the above cases be set for Examiner hearing on a special hearing date on Monday, May 21, 2001 beginning at 9:00 a.m. I have conferred with the hearing examiner, Mr. Stogner, and other counsel of record, Mr. Carr, and both have advised they are available to attend a hearing on the date requested.

Thank you for accommodating this special request.

Very truly yours,

MILLER, STRATVERT & TORGERSON, P.A.



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