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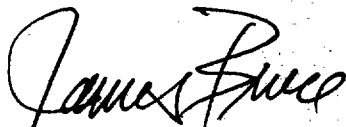
Florene Davidson
Oil Conservation Division
2040 South Pacheco Street
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Dear Florene:

Enclosed for filing are an original and one copy 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 July 13, 2000 Examiner hearing. Thank you.

The application and proposed advertisement are also on the enclosed disk under "NEC."

Very truly yours,


James Bruce

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

Parties to be Pooled

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