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2040 South Pacheco Street  
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Case 12764

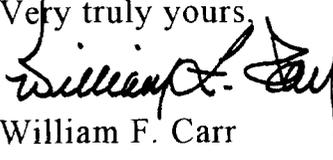
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*Re: Application of Discovery Exploration for approval of a Unit Agreement, Lea County, New Mexico.*

Dear Ms. Wrotenbery:

Enclosed in triplicate is the Application of Discovery Exploration in the above-referenced case as well as a copy of the legal advertisement. Discovery Exploration requests that this matter be placed on the November 15, 2001, Examiner Hearing docket.

Very truly yours,  
  
William F. Carr

Enclosures

cc: Mr. Ernest Angelo  
Mr. John Massey  
Discovery Exploration