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Case No. 7124

Application of Caribou Four Corners, Inc.

San Juan County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

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Because of a dispute between the Navajo Nation and Conoco Inc., with respect to W 1/2 NW 1/4, Section 13, Township 29 North, Range 15 West, Caribou Four Corners, Inc. has requested that the Navajo Nation and Conoco agree to escrow funds generated by production allocated to Navajo lands.

Conoco has agreed to escrow said funds by a January 27, 1981 letter to the Oil Conservation Division.

Since the amounts in question involve only Conoco's interest in the above area, the Navajo Nation agrees only to allow Conoco to escrow funds pending the resolution of the dispute. Royalties due shall continue to be distributed to the Navajo Nation.

Sincerely,

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