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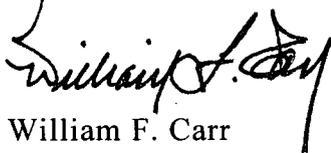
Re: Case No. 13394: Application of Mewbourne Oil Company for Compulsory Pooling, Lea County, New Mexico.

Dear Mr. Fesmire:

Mewbourne Oil Company hereby requests that the Examiner Hearing in the above-referenced case that is currently scheduled for January 6, 2005, be continued to the January 20, 2005 Examiner Hearing Docket.

Your attention to this request is appreciated.

Very truly yours,



William F. Carr
of Holland & Hart LLP

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