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Ms. Lori Wrotenbery, Director Oil Conservation Division New Mexico Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Department 1220 South St. Francis Drive Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504

> Re: <u>Case No. 13121</u>: Application of Benson-Montin-Greer Drilling Corp. for Qualification of Certain Acreage within the East Puerto Chiquita Mancos Unit for the Recovered Oil Tax Rate Pursuant to the Enhanced Oil Recovery Act, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico.

Dear Ms. Wrotenbery:

Benson-Montin-Greer Drilling Corp. requests that the above-referenced application, currently scheduled for hearing on August 7, 2003, be continued to the August 21, 2003, Examiner Hearing docket.

Your attention to this request is appreciated.

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