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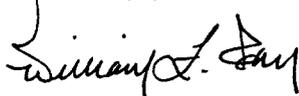
**Re: Case No. 13750: Application of BP America Production Company for Approval of a Waterflood Project, Eddy County, New Mexico.**

Dear Mr. Fesmire:

BP America Production Company hereby requests that the Examiner Hearing in the above-referenced case that is currently scheduled for July 20, 2006, be continued to the August 3, 2006 Examiner Hearing Docket.

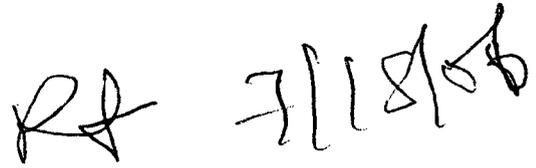
Your attention to this request is appreciated.

Very truly yours,



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