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Via fax

Mark E. Fesmire, P.E.
Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Drive
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Re: Case No. 14000/Harvey E. Yates Company (*de novo*)

Dear Mr. Fesmire:

Please continue this case to the February Commission meeting. The reason for the continuance is that the son of counsel for applicant will arrive home in Santa Fe on January 20th, after 15 months in Baghdad, and counsel desires to minimize time away from home. I have spoken with Mikal Altomare, counsel for the Division, and she does not object to the continuance.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,


James Bruce

Attorney for applicant