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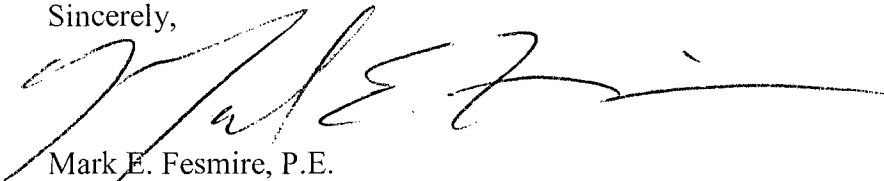
Re: Request for Extension of Commencement of Injection Operations into the Carter-Ship Strawn Unit Injection Wells Pursuant to Order No. R-13196.

Dear Mr. Carr:

The Oil Conservation Division (OCD) received your letter of November 16, 2010, regarding the above referenced subject on November 16, 2010. The OCD has reviewed your request and hereby extends the date for the commencement of injection operations into one of the injection wells on or before December 30, 2011.

If you have any questions, please contact Richard Ezeanyim at (505)-476-3467.

Sincerely,



Mark E. Fesmire, P.E.
Director

Cc: Oil Conservation Division District Office - Hobbs

