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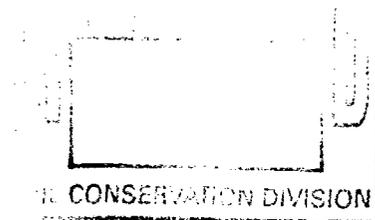
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William J. LeMay, Director
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Re: Case 11048
Application of Bass Enterprises Production Company for Compulsory Pooling,
Eddy County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. LeMay:

Enclosed is a copy of Maralo Inc.'s Motion to continue the above-referenced case from the August 4, 1994 Examiner hearing docket to the hearings scheduled for September 15, 1994. I have hand-delivered a copy of this motion to Tom Kellahin, attorney for Bass Exploration Production Company.

If possible, we would appreciate an opportunity to argue this motion to you or a Division Examiner in the next several days to enable the parties to know in advance whether or not the hearing will proceed, as scheduled, on August 4, 1994.

Your attention to this request is appreciated.

Very truly yours,

WILLIAM F. CARR
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cc: Mr. Mark Wheeler
W. Thomas Kellahin, Esq.