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Re: Oil Conservation Division Case No. 11483:
Application of Penwell Energy, Inc. for Compulsory Pooling and an
Unorthodox Well Location, Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. LeMay:

Penwell Energy, Inc., applicant in the above-captioned case, respectfully requests that the above-referenced hearing in this case which is currently set on the April 4, 1996 Examiner docket be dismissed.

Your attention to this matter is appreciated.

Very truly yours,



WILLIAM F. CARR
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cc: Mr. Mark Wheeler

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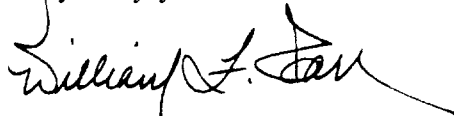
Re: Oil Conservation Division Case No. 11483:
Application of Penwell Energy, Inc. for Compulsory Pooling and an
Unorthodox Well Location, Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. LeMay:

Penwell Energy, Inc., respectfully requests that this matter which is currently set on the Division docket for the March 21, 1996 hearings be continued to the April 4, 1996 Examiner docket.

Your attention to this matter is appreciated.

Very truly yours,



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