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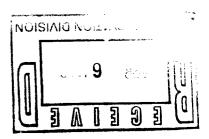
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Re: Oil Conservation Division Case No. 11513:

Application of Manzano Oil Corporation for Compulsory Pooling and an Unorthodox Well Location, Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. LeMay:

Manzano Oil Corporation respectfully requests that this matter which is currently set on the Division docket for the April 18, 1996 hearings be continued to the May 16, 1996 Examiner docket.

Your attention to this matter is appreciated.

Very truly yours,

WILLIAM F. CARR

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cc: Mr. Ken Barbe