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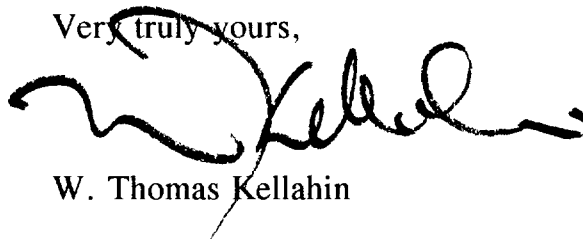
Mr. David R. Catanach
Hearing Examiner
Oil Conservation Division
2040 South Pacheco
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Re: NMOCD CASE 11528
Meridian's Rhodes "B" Federal Well No. 7
Application of Hartman et al, to void
Division Order NSL-3633, for Discovery and
for Contraction and Extension of the Rhodes Oil & Gas Pools,
Eddy County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Catanach:

On behalf of Meridian Oil Inc., and in accordance with your telephone message, please find enclosed a copy of the production information for the Rhodes "B" Federal Well No. 7. This well has the capacity to produce at rates in excess of the maximum 800 MCFPD gas allowable but is being restricted so that it is produced within that limit.

Very truly yours,



W. Thomas Kellahin

via facsimile:

cc: Michael J. Condon, Esq.
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