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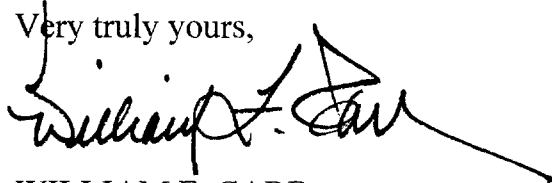
Re: Oil Conservation Division Case No. 11840:  
Application of Yates Petroleum Corporation for Compulsory Pooling, Chaves  
County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. LeMay:

Yates Petroleum Corporation respectfully requests that this case currently set on the Division docket for the September 4, 1997 hearings be continued to the September 18, 1997 Examiner docket.

Your attention to this matter is appreciated.

Very truly yours,



WILLIAM F. CARR  
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cc: Mr. Rob Bullock