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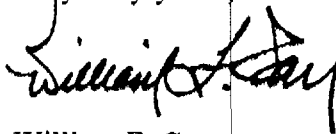
RE: CASE 12008: Application of Robert E. Landreth for a determination of reasonable well costs, Lea County, New Mexico.

Dear Ms. Wrotenbery,

Robert E. Landreth, by and through undersigned counsel of record, hereby requests that the Commission Hearing in the above-referenced case which is currently scheduled for April 26, 2000 be continued until the May 26, 2000 Commission Hearing.

Your attention to this request is appreciated.

Very truly yours,



William F. Carr

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