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April 26, 2002

VIA FACSIMILE

Mrs. Lori Wortenberg, Director
Oil Conservation Division
1220 South Saint Frances Drive
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Re: Request for Continuance
NMOCD Case 12856
Application of Burlington Resources Oil & Gas Company LP
to amend the Special Rules for the Basin-Fruitland Coal Gas Pool,
Rio Arriba, San Juan, McKinley and Sandoval Counties, New Mexico

Dear Mrs. Wortenberg:

On behalf Burlington Resources Oil & Gas LP, please continue the referenced case for the hearing set for May 2, 2002 to the Examiner hearing set for July 11, 2002.

Very truly yours,

W. Thomas Kellahin

cc: Burlington Resources Oil & Gas LP
Attn: Alan Alexander