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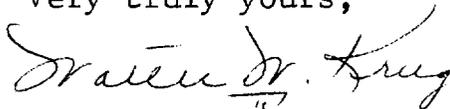
Re: Provisions covered by Order No.
R-4253
S/2 of NE and SE/4 of Sec. 20
S/2 of SW/4 of Sec. 21
N/2 of NW/4 of Sec. 28
All in T 20 S, R 34 E, Lea
County, New Mexico

Dear Sir:

Would you please consider this letter as a request for a hearing to extend the provisions of Order No. R-4253 to cover the above subject area?

Your favorable consideration and reply will be appreciated.

Very truly yours,



Walter W. Krug
Wallen Production Company