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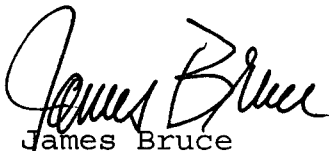
Lori Wrotenbery
Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Drive
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Re: Case No. 13087 (Ocean Energy, Inc.)

Dear Ms. Wrotenbery:

Please continue the above case to the August 7, 2003 Examiner hearing. Thank you.

Very truly yours,


James Bruce

Attorney for Ocean Energy, Inc.

cc: W. Thomas Kellahin (via fax)