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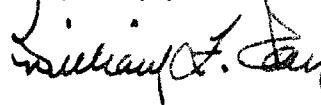
**Re: Case No. 13112: Application of Pure Resources, L.P., for a
blanket exception in the Rincon Unit Area to the well location
requirements for the Blanco-Mesaverde Gas Pool, Rio Ariba
County, New Mexico**

Dear Ms. Wrotenbery:

Pure Resources, L.P., hereby requests that the above-referenced application, currently scheduled for hearing on July 24, 2003, be continued to the August 7, 2003, Examiner Hearing docket.

Your attention to this request is appreciated.

Very truly yours,



William F. Carr

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