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**TO: NOTICE OF THE HEARING OF THE FOLLOWING NEW  
MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION CASE:**

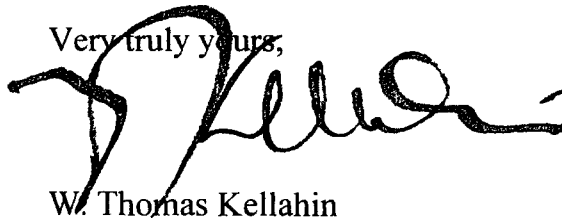
**Re: Application of Burlington Resources Oil & Gas  
Company LP for an exception to the well density  
Requirements of the Special Rules and Regulations  
for the Blanco-Mesaverde Gas Pool, Rio Arriba  
County, New Mexico**

On behalf of Burlington Resources Oil & Gas Company LP, please find enclosed our application for an exception to the referenced pool rules such that there can be 2 producing wells in the same 40-acre tract within this spacing unit consisting of the W/2 of Section 33, T29N, R7W that has been set for hearing on the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division Examiner's docket now scheduled for March 16, 2006. The hearing will be held at the Division hearing room located at 1220 South Saint Francis Drive, Santa Fe, New Mexico.

As an interest owner who may be affected by this application, we are notifying you of your right to appear at the hearing and participate in this case, including the right to present evidence either in support of or in opposition to the application. Failure to appear at the hearing may preclude you from any involvement in this case at a later date.

Pursuant to the Division's Memorandum 2-90, you are further notified that if you desire to appear in this case, then you are requested to file a Pre-Hearing Statement with the Division not later than 4:00 PM on Friday, March 10, 2006, with a copy delivered to the undersigned.

Very truly yours,



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**HAND DELIVERED**

Mr. Mark Fesmire, P.E., Director  
Oil Conservation Division  
1220 South Saint Francis Drive  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

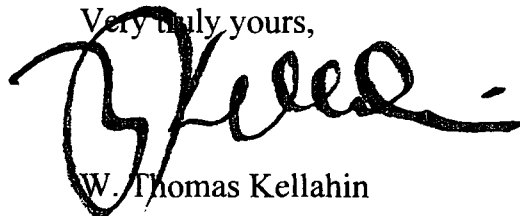
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W/2 Section 33, T29N, R7W including the simultaneous dedication  
of the San Juan 29-7 Unit Well 97B (Unit Letter C) and the  
San Juan 29-7 Unit Well 114M (Unit Letter C) both located in the  
same 40-acre tract of the spacing unit.

Dear Mr. Fesmire:

On behalf of Burlington Resources Oil & Gas Company LP, please  
find enclosed our referenced application which we request be set for  
hearing on the Examiner's docket now scheduled for March 16, 2006. Also  
enclosed is our proposed advertisement of this case for the NMOCD  
docket.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'W. Thomas Kellahin', written over the typed name.

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