

January 13, 2006

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Mr. Mark E. Fesmire, P.E.
Director
Oil Conservation Division
New Mexico Energy, Minerals and
Natural Resources Department
1220 South Saint Francis Drive
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Re: <u>Case No. 13598</u>: Application of Hudson Oil Company of Texas, William A. Hudson and Edward R. Hudson for compulsory pooling, Eddy County, New Mexico.

Dear Mr. Fesmire:

Hudson Oil Company of Texas hereby requests that the Examiner Hearing in the above-referenced case that is currently scheduled for January 19, 2005, be continued to the February 2, 2005 Examiner Hearing Docket.

Your attention to this request is appreciated.

Very truly yours,

William F. Carr of Holland & Hart LLP

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cc: James Bruce, Esq.

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