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**VIA FACSIMILE**

Ms. Lori Wrotenberg, Director  
Oil Conservation Division  
1220 South Saint Francis Drive  
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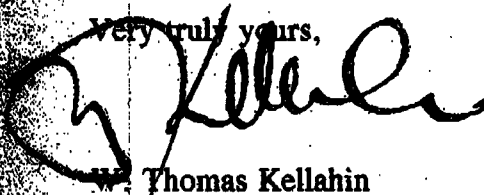
**Re: REQUEST FOR CONTINUANCE**

*NMOCD Case No. 13142  
Division applicant for order  
requiring Maralo, Inc. to remediate  
hydrocarbon contamination at an  
abandoned well and battery site  
at Jay Anthony, Inc.  
Lea County, New Mexico.*

Dear Ms. Wrotenberg:

Subject to the approval of the Hearing Examiner, counsel for Maralo, the Division, and having obtained the concurrence of Mr. Anthony, request that the hearing of this case be continued to the October 9, 2003 docket.

Very truly yours,



W. Thomas Kellahin

cfx: William C. Olson, OCD  
Gail MacQueen, Esq. for NMOCD  
Jay Anthony, complainant  
Rick Strang, Esq., attorney for Maralo, Inc.

9-3-2003  
Talked w/  
Gail MacQueen  
The Division, as  
applicant, concurs.  
Mr. Strang