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**Hand Delivered**

Mr. Mark Fesmire, Director  
Oil Conservation Division  
1220 South St. Francis Drive  
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Re: NMOCD Case 13864  
Application of Parallel Petroleum Corporation  
for compulsory pooling N/2 Sec 33, T15S, R25E  
Parallel's Personally 1525-33 Well No. 1  
Chaves County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Fesmire:

On behalf of Parallel Petroleum Corporation, please find enclosed our Entry of Appearance and Request of Continuance in the referenced case that is currently set for an Examiner's hearing on January 18, 2007.

Very truly yours,

  
W. Thomas Kellahin

cc: Parallel Petroleum Corporation  
Attn: Mike Gray

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT  
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

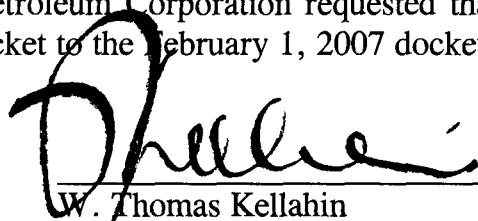
IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION  
OF PARALLEL PETROLEUM CORPORATION  
FOR COMPULSORY POOLING  
CHAVES COUNTY NEW MEXICO

CASE NO. 100764

ENTRY OF APPEARANCE  
AND  
REQUEST FOR CONTINUANCE

On behalf of Parallel Petroleum Corporation, please enter my appearance in this case as an attorney for the applicant.

In addition, Parallel Petroleum Corporation requested that this case be continued from the January 18, 2007 docket to the February 1, 2007 docket.

  
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