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VIA HAND-DELIVERY

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. 13897</u>: Application of Great Western Drilling Ltd. to re-open Case No. 13897: Application of Cimarex Energy Co. of Colorado for Pool Creation, a Discovery Allowable and Special Pool Rules, Eddy County, New Mexico.

Dear Mr. Fesmire:

Great Western Drilling Ltd. hereby requests that the Examiner Hearing in the abovereferenced case that is currently scheduled for August 9, 2007, be continued to the September 6, 2007 Examiner Hearing Docket.

Your attention to this request is appreciated.

Very truly yours,

Ocean Munds-Dry for Holland & Hart LLP

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