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

Case No. 14049: Application High Plains Petroleum Corporation for an Re: order authorizing an Unorthodox Well Location, Sandoval County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Fesmire:

High Plains Petroleum Corporation hereby requests that the Examiner Hearing in the above-referenced case that is currently scheduled for the December 13, 2007, hearing docket be dismissed.

Your attention to this request is appreciated.

Very truly yours,

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