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Via fax

Mark E. Fesmire, P.E. Oil Conservation Division 1220 South St. Francis Drive Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Re: Case No. 14000 de novo/Harvey E. Yates Co.

Dear Mr. Fesmire:

Harvey E. Yates Co. requests that the hearing on the above matter be continued to the May Commission meeting. The April Commission meeting is the day before the Division's regular docket, on which both Ms. Altomare and I have a number of cases to present. It will be impossible to prepare for and present cases at both hearings. Thus the request for a continuance to the May meeting, which is not during a Division hearing week. Counsel for the Division concurs in this request.

Very truly yours,

Her James Bruce

Attorney for Harvey E. Yates Co.

cc: Mikal Altomare