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VIA HAND DELIVERY

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Oil Conservation Division

Re: CASE NO. 13103 Amended Application of V-F Petroleum, Inc. for Compulsory Pooling, Eddy County New Mexico.

Dear Ms. Wrotenbery:

V-F Petroleum, Inc. requests that the Examiner Hearing in the above-referenced matter, currently scheduled for October 9, 2003, be continued to the November 6th Examiner docket. V-F Petroleum has reached a voluntary agreement with the remaining two uncommitted parties, but is awaiting receipt of the necessary documents. As a result, V-F Petroleum is not yet in a position to dismiss this case, but expects to know by November 6th whether a hearing will be necessary.

Your attention to this request is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Michael H. Feldewert

cc: Jerry Gahr, V-F Petroleum, Inc. 3130706_1.DOC