## New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

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Richard Ezeanyim, Hearing Examiner EMNRD-OCD 1220 S. St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, NM 87505

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Re: <u>CASE No. 14117</u>: APPLICATION OF THE NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION AGAINST STAR ACQUISITIONS VII, LCC.

Dear Mr. Ezeanyim:

The above-referenced matter is currently scheduled to be heard on May 15, 2008 at 8:15 a.m. The Division has been advised that action is being taken with regard to the subject sites that may impact the status of and/or direction of this matter. The party (investor in Star) involved in these efforts has therefore requested of the Division, and the Division has no opposition, that the matter be continued to the July 10, 2008 hearing date.

The OCD therefore requests that the matter be continued to <u>July 10</u>, <u>2008</u> to allow additional action to be taken to address the matters raised by its Application in the hope that some or all of the issues can be resolved prior to and/or without the need for a formal hearing.

Sincerely,

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