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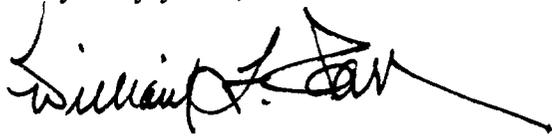
Re: Oil Conservation Division Case No. 11287:
Application of Nearburg Exploration Company for compulsory pooling,
directional drilling, and an unorthodox bottomhole oil well location, Lea
County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. LeMay:

Nearburg Exploration Company respectfully requests that this matter which is currently set on the Division docket for the June 1, 1995 hearings be continued to the June 15, 1995 Examiner docket.

Your attention to this matter is appreciated.

Very truly yours,



WILLIAM F. CARR

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cc: Mr. Joe Fitzgerald