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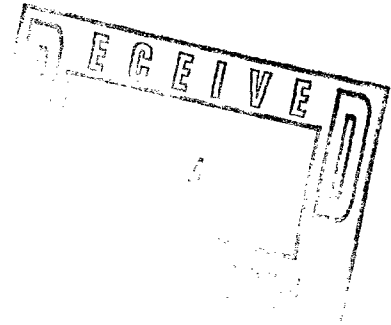
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November 14, 1995

HAND DELIVERED

Mr. David R. Catanach
Hearing Examiner
Oil Conservation Division
2040 South Pacheco
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505



Re: *NMOCD Case 11423*
Application of Louis Dreyfus Natural Gas Corp.
for an unorthodox oil well location for its
E. V. "State" Well No 3, Unit A Sec 32, T22S, R26E,
Happy Valley-Delaware Pool,
Eddy County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Catanach:

Louis Dreyfus Natural Gas Corporation informs me that they have received NMOCD Administrative Order NSL-3594 which approves the referenced well location. Accordingly, I am requesting that the referenced case now pending hearing on the Examiner's docket schedule for November 16, 1995 be **dismissed**.

Very truly yours,

W. Thomas Kellahin

cc: via facsimile to:

Louis Dreyfus Natural Gas Corporation
Attn: Carl Myers