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Attn: David R. Catanach, Hearing Examiner

RE: Application of Merrion Oil & Gas Corporation
for Compulsory Pooling -- Mead 27-1 Well
San Juan County, New Mexico
NMOCD Case No. 11584

Dear Mr. Catanach:

Please continue the above referenced case to the August 22, 1996 Examiner
Hearing Docket.

Sincerely,


TOMMY ROBERTS



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