

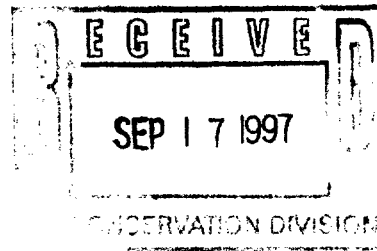
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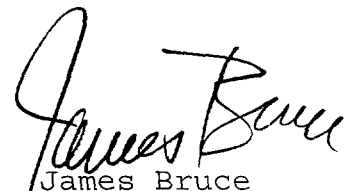
Michael E. Stogner
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2040 South Pacheco Street
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Re: Case 11842; Application of Kaiser-Francis Oil Company for
an unorthodox gas well location, Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Stogner:

Mewbourne Oil Company will be operator of the well involved in the above case. I will be filing an amended application, changing the name of the applicant. In the meantime, please continue the case to the October 9th hearing. Mr. Carr, who represents V-F Petroleum, does not object to the continuance. Thank you.

Very truly yours,


James Bruce
Attorney for Mewbourne
Oil Company

cc: William F. Carr (via fax)
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