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Re: Case No. 12551: Application of Nearburg Exploration Company L.L.C. for compulsory pooling, Lea County, New Mexico.

Dear Mr. Feldewart:

Reference is made to your telefaxed letter dated April 16, 2001 requesting a continuance of the above-described matter. Due to scheduling irregularities and Division workload distribution this case will be continued to the **May 17, 2001** Examiners Hearing. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

Sincerely,

Michael E. Stogner
Chief Hearing Officer/Engineer

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