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HAND DELIVERED

Lori Wrotenbery, Director
Oil Conservation Division
New Mexico Energy, Minerals, and
Natural Resources Department
1220 South St. Francis Drive
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504

Re: <u>Case 12648</u>: Application of EOG Resources, Inc. for compulsory pooling, Lea County, New Mexico.

Dear Ms. Wrotenbery:

EOG Resources, Inc. hereby requests that the above-referenced application which is currently scheduled for hearing on May 17, 2001 be continued to the May 31, 2001 Examiner Hearing docket.

Your attention to this request is appreciated.

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