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VIA FACSIMILE

Ms. Lori Wrotenbery, Director
Oil Conservation Division
1220 South Saint Francis Drive
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Re: REQUEST FOR DISMISSAL

*NMOCD Case No. 12710
Royal Simulator Well No. 1
NW/4 Sec 31, T15S, R36E
Application of Chesapeake Exploration L.P.
for a determination that its interest is
not subject to Division Order R-115 obtained
by David H. Arrington Oil & Gas Inc.,
Lea County, New Mexico.*

Dear Ms. Wrotenbery:

I have been advised by the applicant that they believe they have reached a voluntary agreement with David H. Arrington Oil & Gas Inc.

Accordingly, please dismissed the referenced case from the Examiner's docket scheduled for October 4, 2001.

Very truly yours,

W. Thomas Kellahin

cfx: Chesapeake Exploration L.P.
Attn: Lynda Townsend
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Attorney for David H. Arrington Oil & Gas Inc.