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Via Facsimile

Mr. Michael E. Stogner Oil Conservation Division 1220 South Saint Francis Drive Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

RE: Cameron 31 Federal Well No. 2
2449 feet FNL & 480 feet FEL
N/2 Section 31, T20S, R25E
Administrative Application of
Fasken Oil and Ranch, Ltd. for approval
of an unorthodox gas well location,
Cemetary Morrow Gas Pool,
Eddy County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Stogner:

I represent Fasken Oil and Ranch. Ltd. ("Fasken") in the referenced matter. Fasken has received the enclosed objection from the Commissioner of Public Lands ("SLO") and requests that the SLO objection be set for hearing on the next available examiner's docket now scheduled for December 6, 2001.

W. Thomas Kellahin

fxc: Commissioner of Public Lands
Oil, Gas & Minerals Division
Attn: Jeff Albers

fxc: Fasken Oil and Ranch, Ltd.
Attn: Jimmie Carlile