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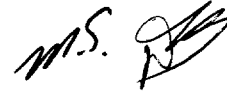
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### VIA FACSIMILE

Ms. Lori Wrotenberg, Director  
Oil Conservation Division  
1220 South Saint Francis Drive  
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### Re: REQUEST FOR CONTINUANCE

*NMOCD Case No. 13006  
Markham "33" Well No. 1 (A-33-14S-3SE)  
Application of Chesapeake Operating Inc.  
for compulsory pooling,  
Lea County, New Mexico.*

Dear Ms. Wrotenberg:

On behalf of the applicant, please continue the referenced case which appears for hearing on the March 13, 2003 Examiner's docket to the Examiner's docket scheduled for April 10, 2003. Chesapeake has revised a sign AFE from Yates Petroleum agreeing to participate but has not yet agreed to a Joint Operating Agreement

Very truly yours,

W. Thomas Kellahin

cc: Chesapeake Operating Inc.  
Attn: Linda Townsend