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February 10, 2005

Yates Petroleum Corporation 105 South 4th Street Artesia, New Mexico 88210-2118

Attn:

Mr. Sam Brandon

Re:

Application for Downhole Commingling

Clint BFC State Well No. 1 Unit Letter I, Section 4-10S-34E

Wildcat Atoka, Wildcat Morrow, and Wildcat Austin Cycle (Mississippian) Pools

Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Brandon:

Your application to downhole commingle the production from within the wellbore of the above-captioned well was received on February 8, 2005 Your application requests our approval to downhole commingle the Wildcat Atoka, Wildcat Morrow, and Wildcat Austin Cycle (Mississippian) production within the wellbore of the Clint BFC State Well No. 1 located in the NE/4SE/4 of Section 4-10S-34E, Lea County, New Mexico.

It is our understanding that production from the subject well will be allocated as follows:

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Wildcat Austin Cycle (Mississippian)	100%	21%	
Wildcat Morrow	0%	45%	
Wildcat Atoka	0%	34%	
	Oil%	Gas%	
POOL	ALLOCA	ALLOCATION	

Since it appears that all the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division's rules and regulations have been complied with, and there will be no loss of revenue to the State of New Mexico as a result of your proposed operation, your request for downhole commingling the production from the above-mentioned well is hereby approved. Any deviation from the substance of your request will be sufficient grounds for rescinding our approval. Our approval is subject to like approval by the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division.

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Your \$30.00 filing fee has been received.

If you have any questions or if we may be of further help, please contact Pete Martinez at (505) 827-5791.

Very truly yours,

PATRICK H. LYONS COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC LANDS

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PL/JB/cpm Enclosure

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OCD--Attention: David Catanach