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Yates Petroleum Corporation
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Attn: Mr. Robert Morrison

Re: Voluntary Termination
Pigskin State Exploratory Unit
Chaves County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Morrison:

Your letter of April 18, 2012 requesting termination of the Pigskin State Exploratory Unit in Chaves County has been received by this office. As operator of the captioned unit, your letter notifies this office that over seventy-five percent of the working interest owners have elected to voluntarily terminate the Pigskin State Exploratory Unit effective June 1, 2012.

Please be advised that pursuant to Section 17 of the unit agreement, this office has terminated the Pigskin State Exploratory Unit effective June 1, 2012.

Please notify all interested parties of this action.

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

Very truly yours,

RAY POWELL, M.S., D.V.M.
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cc: OCD-Santa Fe Attn: Mr. Ed Martin
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RMD-Attn: Mr. Kurt McFall
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