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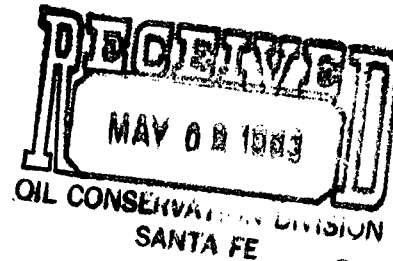
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Mr. Joe D. Ramey, Director
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Oil Conservation Division
P. O. Box 2088
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Case 7871

Dear Mr. Ramey:

Enclosed for filing, please find three copies of each of the following Applications of Yates Petroleum Corporation:

1. Application to Inject Water for the Purpose of Water Disposal, Lea County, New Mexico (LDM Amoco "GX" State No. 1 Well).
2. Application to Inject Water for the Purpose of Water Disposal, Lea County, New Mexico (Midwest State No. 1 Well).
3. Application to Inject Water for the Purpose of Water Disposal, Lea County, New Mexico (Swan "VB" State No. 2 Well).

Also enclosed are Affidavits of Mailing reflecting the mailing of true copies of the above Applications to the surface owners and offset operators of each well.

4. Application for Simultaneous Dedication, Chaves County, New Mexico (Thorpe "MI" Federal No. 10 Well).
5. Application for an Exception to Rule 104.C.I (Eagle Creek - San Andres Pool).

We ask that these cases be set for hearing before an examiner on May 25, 1983, and that you furnish us with a docket of said hearing. We would also appreciate your continuing the hearing on Case No. 7838 (Hondo State No. 1 Disposal Application) set for May 11, 1983, to the May 25, 1983 Examiner Hearing, and that all of the foregoing applications be placed on the docket in consecutive order.

Mr. Joe D. Ramey, Director
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April 29, 1983

Thank you.

Sincerely yours,

LOSEE, CARSON & DICKERSON, P.A.


Chad Dickerson

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cc: Mr. Al Springer
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BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF :
YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION FOR AN :
EXCEPTION TO RULE 104.C.I :

CASE NO. 7871

APPLICATION

COMES NOW Yates Petroleum Corporation, by its attorneys, and in support hereof, respectfully states:

1. Applicant is the operator of the Eagle Creek - San Andres Pool.

2. Applicant seeks an exception to Rule 104.C.I. to permit applicant to develop its Eagle Creek - San Andres Pool with more than four wells on each 40-acre tract, even though there is no active secondary recovery project.

WHEREFORE, applicant prays:

A. That this application be set for hearing before an examiner and that notice of said hearing be given as required by law.

B. That the Division enter its order authorizing applicant to develop its Eagle Creek - San Andres Pool with more than four wells on each 40-acre tract, even though there is no active secondary recovery project.

C. And for such other and further relief as may be just in the premises.

YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION

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