# STATE OF NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING:

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CASE NO. 12219

APPLICATION OF YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, CHAVES COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

**PRE-HEARING STATEMENT** 

This Prehearing Statement is submitted by Campbell, Carr, Berge & Sheridan, P.A., as required by the Oil Conservation Division.

#### APPEARANCES OF PARTIES

#### **APPLICANT**

Yates Petroleum Corporation Attn: Robert Bullock 105 South Fourth Street Artesia, New Mexico 88210 (505) 982-1935 name, address, phone and contact person

### **ATTORNEY**

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OPPOSITION OR OTHER PARTY

name, address, phone and contact person

**ATTORNEY** 

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#### STATEMENT OF CASE

#### **APPLICANT**

(Please make a concise statement of what is being sought with this application and the reasons therefore.)

Applicant seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in all formations developed on 160-acre spacing underlying the SE/4, in all formations developed on 80-acre spacing underlying the N/2 SE/4, and in all formations developed on 40-acre spacing underling the NE/4 SE/4, from the surface to the base of the Abo formation, Pecos slope-Abo Gas Pool, of Section 20, Township 7 South, Range 25 East. The units are proposed to be dedicated to the proposed Reinauer "RC" Federal Com Well No. 3 which will be drilled at a standard location 1980 feet from the South line and 1000 feet from the East line of (Unit 1) of Section 20. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing the well and the allocation of the cost thereof as well as actual operating costs and charges for supervision designation of applicant as operator of the well, and a charge for the risk involved in drilling and completing the well. The unit is located approximately 30 miles northeast of Roswell, New Mexico.

#### **OPPOSITION OR OTHER PARTY**

(Please make a concise statement of the basis for opposing this application or otherwise state the position of the party filing this statement.)

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#### PROPOSED EVIDENCE

## **APPLICANT**

WITNESSES (Name and expertise)

Doug Hurlbut (Landman)

Tim Miller (Geologist)

EST. TIME EXHIBITS

Approximately 6

Approximately 2

#### **OPPOSITION**

WITNESSES EST. TIME EXHIBITS (Name and expertise)

# **PROCEDURAL MATTERS**

(Please identify any procedural matters which need to be resolved prior to hearing)

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