

**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:

APPLICATION OF HARVEY E. YATES
COMPANY FOR COMPULSORY POOLING,
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

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CASE NO. 10430
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PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

This Prehearing Statement is submitted by William F. Carr, as required by the Oil Conservation Division.

APPEARANCES OF PARTIES

APPLICANT

Harvey E. Yates Company _____
c/o Ms Melissa Randle _____
Post Office Box 1933 _____
Roswell, New Mexico 88202 _____
(505) 623-6601 _____
name, address, phone and
contact person

ATTORNEY

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OPPOSITION OR OTHER PARTY

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contact person

ATTORNEY

STATEMENT OF CASE

APPLICANT

Harvey E. Yates Company, Applicant in the above-captioned case, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests underlying the SE/4 NW/4 (Unit F) in all formations developed on 40-acre spacing from the surface to the base of the Strawn formation in Section 33, Township 15 South, Range 36 East, said unit to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at a standard oil well location thereon. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing said 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 risk involved in drilling said well.

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.)

PROPOSED EVIDENCE

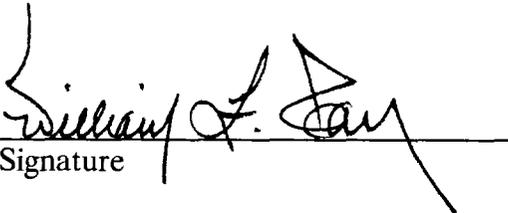
APPLICANT

WITNESSES (Name and expertise)	EST. TIME	EXHIBITS
Melissa Randle, Landman	10 Min.	Approximately 5
Gordon Yahney, Geologist	10 Min.	Approximately 3

OPPOSITION

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PROCEDURAL MATTERS


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