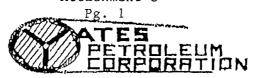
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June 24, 1992

Meridian OII, Inc. 21 Desta Drive Midland, Texas 79705

ATTN: Ms. Connle Mallk

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Approval of Yates Petroleum Corporation Proposal to downhole commingle production from the Bone Spring and Delaware in the Pauline ALB St. 6 located 1980' FSL, 1980' FEL, Section 32-23S-31E, Eddy Co., New Mexico.

Dear Ms. Malik:

Yates Petroleum Corporation proposes to downhole commingle the Bone Spring from 8036' to 8046' with Delaware Sand zones from 7510' to 7936' in the referenced well. The top of the Bone Spring formation is at approximately 8000'. Our reason for doing this is to maximize productivity while minimizing expenditures.

We desire to initiate well work as soon as possible and because the New Mexico Oil and Gas Conservation Commission requires that notice be sent to the offset operators when proposing to downhole commingle, we are respectfully asking you to approve this letter stating that you have no objections to our proposal to downhole commingle the Bone Spring and Delaware formations. We would be most appreciative of a prompt response to this letter.

Please call Brian Collins at (505)748-1471 if you have questions or require further information. Please signify your approval by signing below and faxing this letter back to me (505)748-9758.

Sincerely,

Clifton May Permit Agent

CM/cvg

We have no objection to Yetes' proposal to downhole commingle the Bone Spring and Delaware formations in the Pauline ALB St. 6 (J-32-23S-31E).

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June 24, 1992

Phillips Petroleum Company 4001 Panbrook Odessa, Texas 78762

ATTN: Mr. Larry Banders

RE: Approval of Yates Petroleum Corporation Proposal to downhole commingle production from the Bone Spring and Delaware in the Pauline ALB St. 6 located 1880' FSL, 1980' FEL, Section 32-238-31E, Eddy Co., New Mexico.

Dear Mr. Senders:

Yates Petroleum Corporation proposes to downhole commingle the Bone Spring from 8038' to 8048' with Delaware Sand zones from 7610' to 7938' in the referenced well. The top of the Bone Spring formation is at approximately 6000'. Our reason for doing this is to maximize productivity while minimizing expanditures.

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June 24, 1992

Enron Oil & Gas Corporation 508 W. Wall Street, Suite 1100 Midland, Texas 79702

ATTN: Mr. Ray Ingle

RE:

Approval of Yates Petroleum Corporation Proposal to downhole commingle production from the Bone Spring and Delaware in the Pauline ALB St. 6 located 1980' FSL, 1980' FEL, Section 32-23S-31E, Eddy Co., New Mexico.

Dear Mr. Ingle:

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Sincerely,

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CM/cvg

We have no objection to Yates' proposal to downhole commingle the Bone Spring and Delaware formations in the Pauline ALB St. 6 (J-32-23S-31E).

Name: RJ J.

Title: Division Operations Manager

Company: Enron Oil & Gas

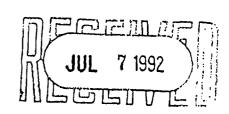
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Santa Fe Energy Operating Partners, L.P.



Santa Fe Pacific Exploration Company Managing General Partner

July 6, 1992



Yates Petroleum Corporation 105 South Fourth Street Artesia, New Mexico 88210

Attention: Mr. Clifton May

Permit Agent

Re: Approval of Yates Petroleum Corporation Proposal to downhole commingle Pauline ALB State 6 Eddy County, New Mexico

## Gentlemen:

Enclosed please find waiver letter regarding your proposal to commingle production from the Bone Spring and Delaware in the Pauline ALB State 6 well. This letter has been signed by Santa Fe subject to Yates Petroleum Corporation's agreement to waive any objections to a similar proposal on Santa Fe's offset acreage.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Yours very truly,

SANTA FE ENERGY OPERATING PARINERS, L.P. By: Santa Fe Pacific Exploration Company, Managing General Partner

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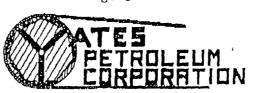
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June 24, 1992

Santa Fe Energy Co 500 W. Illinois Midland, Texas 79701

ATTN: Mr. Gary Green

RE:

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1980' FSL, 1980' FEL, Section 32-23S-31E, Eddy Co., New Mexico.

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Sincerely,

Clifton May Permit Agent

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Name: Many Mice.

Gary Green

Division Landman

Company:

Santa Fe Energy Operating Partners, L.P.

Date: July 6, 1992

\* Subject to Yates Petro: Corporation's agreement any objections to a simi proposal on Santa Fe's o acreage.