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OIL CONSERVATION DIV.  
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Mr. William J. LeMay  
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P.O. Box 2088  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Re: Application of Yates Energy Corporation  
for Compulsory Pooling  
NMOCD Case No. 9856

Dear Mr. LeMay:

On behalf of Chevron U.S.A., Inc. please enter our appearance in opposition to the referenced case. I have been advised by Mr. Padilla, the attorney for the Application, that this case now set for hearing on January 24, 1990 will be continued to the examiner Hearing scheduled for February 7, 1990.

Very truly yours,



W. Thomas Kellahin

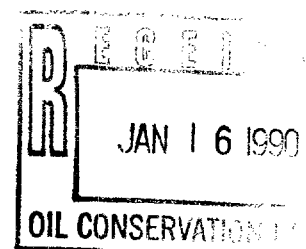
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BEFORE THE  
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION



NEW MEXICO DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND MINERALS

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF  
YATES ENERGY CORPORATION, FOR  
COMPULSORY POOLING, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

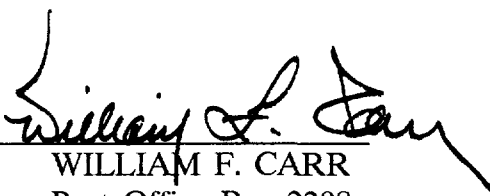
CASE NO. 9856

ENTRY OF APPEARANCE

COMES NOW CAMPBELL & BLACK, P.A., and hereby enters its appearance in  
the above referenced case on behalf of Harvey E. Yates Company, Spiral Inc., Explorers  
Petroleum Corporation and Heyco Employees, Ltd.

Respectfully submitted,

CAMPBELL & BLACK, P.A.

By:   
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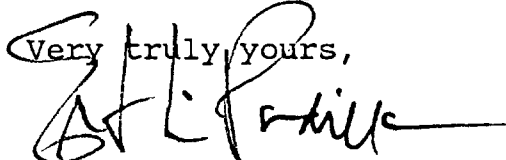
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Mr. Michael Stogner  
Hearing Examiner  
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division  
State Land Office Building  
310 Old Santa Fe Trail  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Re: Yates Energy Corporation Applications -  
Case Nos. 9855, 9856, 9857

Dear Mr. Stogner:

Please consider this letter a consent to continuance of the above referenced cases from the January 24, 1990 hearing date to the February 7, 1990 Division Hearing date.

Very truly yours,  


Ernest L. Padilla

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cc: William F. Carr, Esq.  
W. Thomas Kellahin, Esq.  
Yates Energy Corporation