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10014

Re: Yates Petroleum Corporation
Gazelle "AHG" Federal No. 2 Well
Township 20 South, Range 29 East, NMPM
Section 22: N/2
Eddy County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

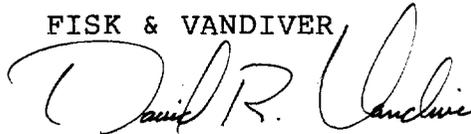
Enclosed for filing, please find three copies of the Application of Yates Petroleum Corporation for Directional Drilling and an Unorthodox Location, Eddy County, New Mexico. Also enclosed is an extra copy of the Application which we would appreciate your returning to us in the enclosed stamped self-addressed envelope after inserting the docket number.

Please set this matter for hearing before an Examiner on July 11, 1990.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

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David R. Vandiver

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Enclosures

cc w/enclosure: Ms. Janet Richardson
Mr. Al Springer

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Prehearing Statement follows

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THANK YOU.

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Case 10014

Attention: David Vandiver

RE: Application for Yates Petroleum Corporation for directional drilling and an unorthodox gas well location. Gazelle "AHG" Federal Well No. 2, Sections 16 and 22, Township 20 South, Range 29 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico.

Dear Mr. Vandiver:

The subject application was received by this office on Monday June 18, 1990. Because I was involved in moving furniture and equipment, and remodeling our offices, I instructed my assistant to hold all of my incoming mail for Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of that week. I did not pick this mail up or even review it until Thursday morning. By this time, the advertisements for the July 11, 1990 docket had been distributed.

I take full responsibility for this oversight and sincerely apologize for any inconvenience it has cause you and your client.

Sincerely,



Michael E. Stogner
Chief Hearing Officer/Engineer

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cc: William J. LeMay, Director
Yates Petroleum Corporation - Artesia
Mike Williams - OCD, Artesia
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