



NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS
& NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
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COMMINGLING ORDER CTB-476

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

Attention: Ms. Pamela S. Evans

The above named company is hereby authorized to commingle Indian Basin-Upper Penn Gas Pool (79040) production from the following leases:

Lease: Smith Federal Gas Com. Well No. 2
(Federal Lease No. NM-0251099A)
Description: SW/4 NW/4 of Section 12, and;

Lease: Malone ASA Federal Com. Well No. 1
(Federal Lease No. NM-0399448)
Description: SW/4 NE/4 of Section 12,

all located Township 22 South, Range 23 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico.

Production shall be allocated to each lease by separately metering the production from each lease prior to commingling.

NOTE: This installation shall be installed and operated in accordance with the applicable provisions of Rule 309-B of the Division Rules and Regulations and the Division "Manual for the Installation and Operation of Commingling Facilities." It is the responsibility of the producer to notify the transporter of this commingling authority.

REMARKS: The commingled production shall be stored in the Smith Federal Gas Com. No. 2 common tank battery facility located in Unit Letter 'E' of Section 12, Township 22 South, Range 23 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico.

FURTHER: The operator shall notify the Artesia district office of the Division prior to implementation of the commingling process.

PROVIDING: Validation of this authority shall be accomplished by like approval from the U. S. Bureau of Land Management.

DONE at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on this 19th day of August, 1998.


LORI WROTENBERY,
Division Director

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cc: Oil Conservation Division - Artesia
Bureau of Land Management - Carlsbad