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## NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION WELL I CATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION P'

Form C-102 Supersedes C-128 Effective 1-1-65

NM PE&LS #5412

All distances must be from the outer boundaries of the Section Well No. . Op⊷rat∩i Federal CW 3 PETROLEUM CORPORATION County Township Unit Letter Eddy 1 19 South 24 East Actual Ecotage Location of Well: West 1650 feet from the South line and feet from the Dedicated Acreage: Ground Level Elev: Producing Fermation San Andres Penasco Draw S.A.-Yeso Acres 3680.6 1. Outline the acreage dedicated to the subject well by colored pencil or hachure marks on the plat below. 2. If more than one lease is dedicated to the well, outline each and identify the ownership thereof (both as to working interest and royalty). 3. If more than one lease of different ownership is dedicated to the WARH the the streets of all owners been consolidated by communitization, unitization, force-pooling. etc? If answer is "yes," type of consolidation ARTESIA. OFFICE Yes If answer is "no." list the owners and tract descriptions which have actually been consolidated. (Use reverse side of this form if necessary.). No allowable will be assigned to the well until all interests have been consolidated (by communitization, unitization, forced-pooling, or otherwise) or until a non-standard unit, eliminating such interests, has been approved by the Commission. CERTIFICATION I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the RECEIVED best of my knowledge and belief. FEB 8 1980 Gliserio Rodriguez U.S. GEOLOGICAL SURVEY Position ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO Geographer Company Yates Petroleum Corp. February 4, 1980 NM-439491 I hereby certify that the well location shown on this plat was plotted from field notes of actual surveys made by me or under my supervision, and that the same 2310 is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. Date Surveyed <u>Jan. 29. 1980</u> Registered Professional Engineer and/or Land Surveyor

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## United States Department of the Interior

GEOLOGICAL SURVEY

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P. O. Drawer U Artesia, New Mexico 88210

O. C. D. Artesia, office

March 7, 1980

Yates Petroleum Corporation 207 South Fourth Street Artesia, New Mexico 88210

Gentlemen:

YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION Fed CW No. 3

1650 FSL 2310 FWL Sec. 1 T.19S R.24E Eddy County Lease No. NM 0439491

Above Data Required on Well Sign

Your APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL the above-described well to a depth of 3,100 feet to test the San Andres formation is hereby approved subject to compliance with the OIL AND GAS OPERATING REGULATIONS (30 CFR 221) and the following conditions:

- Drilling operations authorized are subject to compliance with the GENERAL REQUIREMENTS FOR OIL AND GAS OPERATIONS ON FEDERAL LEASES, dated July 1, 1978.
- 2. Prior to commencing construction of road, pad, or other associated developments, operator will provide the dirt contractor with a copy of the SURFACE USE PLAN and this approval including the GENERAL REQUIREMENTS.
- 3. All access roads will be limited to a 12 foot wide driving surface, excluding turnarounds. Surface disturbance associated with road construction will be limited to 16 feet in width.
- 4. Submit a Daily Report of Operations from spud date until the Well Completion Report (form 9-330) is filed. The progress report should be not less than 8" x 5" in size and each page should identify the well.
- 5. All permanent above-ground structures and equipment shall be painted in accordance with the attached Painting Requirements. The color used should simulate Sandstone Brown (Federal Standard No. 595A, color 20318 or 30318).
- 6. Notify the Survey by telephone 24 hours prior to spudding well.
- 7. Cement behind the 10-3/4" and 7" casing must be circulated.
- 8. Notify Survey in sufficient time to witness the cementing of the 10-3/4" and 7" casing.

- 9. Special stipulations: Access road will enter location from south off road between Yates Petroleum #1 and #6 CW wells. Utilize caliche pit in SW/4SW/4 Sec. 1, T.19S., R.24E.
- 10. Please have anyone contacting the Survey in regard to this well to identify the well with all of the information required above for the well sign.

Sincerely yours,

George H. Stewart Acting District Engineer Yates Petroleum Corporation Federal CW #3 Section 1 - T19S - R24E 1650' FSL & 2310' FWL Eddy County, New Mexico

In conjunction with Form 9-331C, Application for Permit to Drill subject well, Yates Petroleum Corporation submits the following ten items of pertinent information in accordance with USGS requirements:

- 1. The geologic surface formation is quaternery alluvium.
- 2. The estimate tops of geologic markers are as follows:

San Andres 556' Glorieta 1921' TD 3100'

3. The estimated depths at which anticipated water or oil formations are expected to be encountered:

Water: Approximately 375'

Oil: Yeso - San Andres 560 - 600' 1930 - 2300'

- 4. Proposed Casing Program: See Form 9-331C.
- 5. Pressure Control Equipment: See Form 9-331C and Exhibit B.
- 6. Mud Program: See Form 9-331C.
- 7. Auxiliary Equipment: Kelly Cock; pit level indicators and flow sensor equipment; sub with full-opening valve on floor, drill pipe connection.
- 8. Testing, Logging and Coring Program:

Samples: 10' samples from under surface

DST's: None Logging: GR/Neutron Coring: None

- 9. No abnormal pressures or temperatures are anticipated.
- 10. Anticipated starting date: As soon as possible after approval.

#### MULTI-POINT SURFACE USE AND OPERATIONS

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U.S. GEOLUGICAL SURVEY ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO

Yates Petroleum Corporation Federal CW #3 Section 1 - T19S - R24E 1650' FSL & 2310 FWL (Developmental Well)

This plan is submitted with Form 9-331C, Application for Permit to Drill, covering the above described well, The purpose of this plan is to describe the location of the proposed well, the proposed construction activities and operations plan, the magnitude of surface disturbance involved, and the procedures to be followed in rehabilitating the surface after completion of the operations, so that a complete appraisal can be made of the environmental effect associated with the operation.

#### 1. EXISTING ROADS.

Exhibit A is a portion of a USGS showing the wells and roads in the vicinity of the proposed location. The proposed wellsite is located approximately 22 miles SW of Artesia, New Mexico and the access route to the location is indicated in red and green on Exhibit A.

#### DIRECTIONS:

- 1. Proceed south from Artesia on Highway 285 for a distance of approximately 9 miles.
- 2. Turn west, go past the Transwestern Plant about 3/4 mile and veer south for approximately a mile, then follow the road going west for a mile.
- 3. Take the road along the south side of the fence for four miles.
- 4. Turn on to the road going SSE 1/8 of a mile. The new road will start here going to the CW #2. The south edge of the #3 pad will be part of the road.
- 2. PLANNED ACCESS ROAD.
  - A. There will be no new road built.
- 3. LOCATION OF EXISTING WELL.
  - A. There are existing wells within a one-mile radius of the wellsite. See Exhibit A.
- 4. LOCATION OF EXISTING AND/OR PROPOSED FACILITIES.
  - A. There are production facilities on this lease at the present time.
  - B. In the event that the well is productive, the necessary production facilities for all the wells will be installed probably on the drilling pad of the #2 or #3. If the well is productive oil, a gas or diesel self-contained unit will be used to provide the necessary power.
- 5. LOCATION AND TYPE OF WATER SUPPLY.
  - A. It is planned to drill the proposed well with a fresh water system. The water will be obtained from commercial sources and will be hauled to the location by truck over the existing and proposed roads shown in Exhibit A.

#### 6. SOURCE OF CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS.

A. Any caliche required for construction of the drilling pad and the new access road will be obtained from the location itself or pit to be opened SE/4 of the SW/4 of Section 1-T19S-R24E.

### 7. METHODS OF HANDLING WASTE DISPOSAL.

- A. Drill cuttings will be disposed of in the reserve pits.
- B. Drilling fluids will be allowed to evaporate in the reserve pits until the pits are dry.
- C. Water produced during operations will be collected in tanks until hauled to an approved disposal system, or separate disposal application will be submitted to the USGS for appropriate approval.
- D. Oil produced during operation will be stored in tanks until sold.
- E. Current laws and regulations pertaining to the disposal of human waste will be complied with.
- F. Trash, waste paper, garbage and junk will be buried in a separate trash pit and covered with a minimum of 24 inches dirt. All waste material will be contained of prevent scattering by the wind.
- G. All trash and debris will be buried or removed from the wellsite within 30 days after finishing drilling and/or completion operations.

#### 8. ANCILLARY FACILITIES.

A. None required.

#### 9. WELLSITE LAYOUT.

- A. Exhibit C shows the relative location and dimensions of the well pad, the reserve pits, etc.
  - B. The location surface is mainly covered with desert weeks, shrubs and grasses.
  - C. The reserve pits will be plastic lined.
  - D. A 400' X 400' area has been staked and flagged.

#### 10. PLANS FOR RESTORATION OF THE SURFACE.

- A. After finishing drilling and/or completion operations, all equipment and other material not needed for further operations will be removed. The location will be cleaned of all trash and junk to leave the wellsite in as aesthetically pleasing a condition as possible.
- B. Unguarded pits, if any, containing fluids will be fenced until they have dried and leveled.

C. If the proposed well is non-productive, all rehabilitation and/or vegetation requirements of the BLM and the USGS will be complied with and will be accomplished as expeditiously as possible. All pits will be filled leveled within 90 days after abandonment.

#### 11. OTHER INFORMATION.

- A. Topography: The land surface in the vicinity of the wellsite is fairly flat, no cut and fill will be needed. The immediate area of the wellsite is discussed above in paragraph 9B.
- B. Flora and Fauna: The vegetation cover consists of some greasewood, mesquite, and miscellaneous desert growth. No wildlife was observed, but the wildlife in the area probably includes those typical of semi-arid desert land. The area is used for cattle grazing.
- C. There are no inhabited dwellings in the vicinity of the proposed well.
- D. Surface Ownership: The wellsite is on federal surface and minerals.
- E. There is no evidence of any archeological, historical or cultural sites in the area.

#### 12. OPERATOR'S REPRESENTATIVE.

A. The field representative responsible for assuring compliance with the approved surface use plan is:

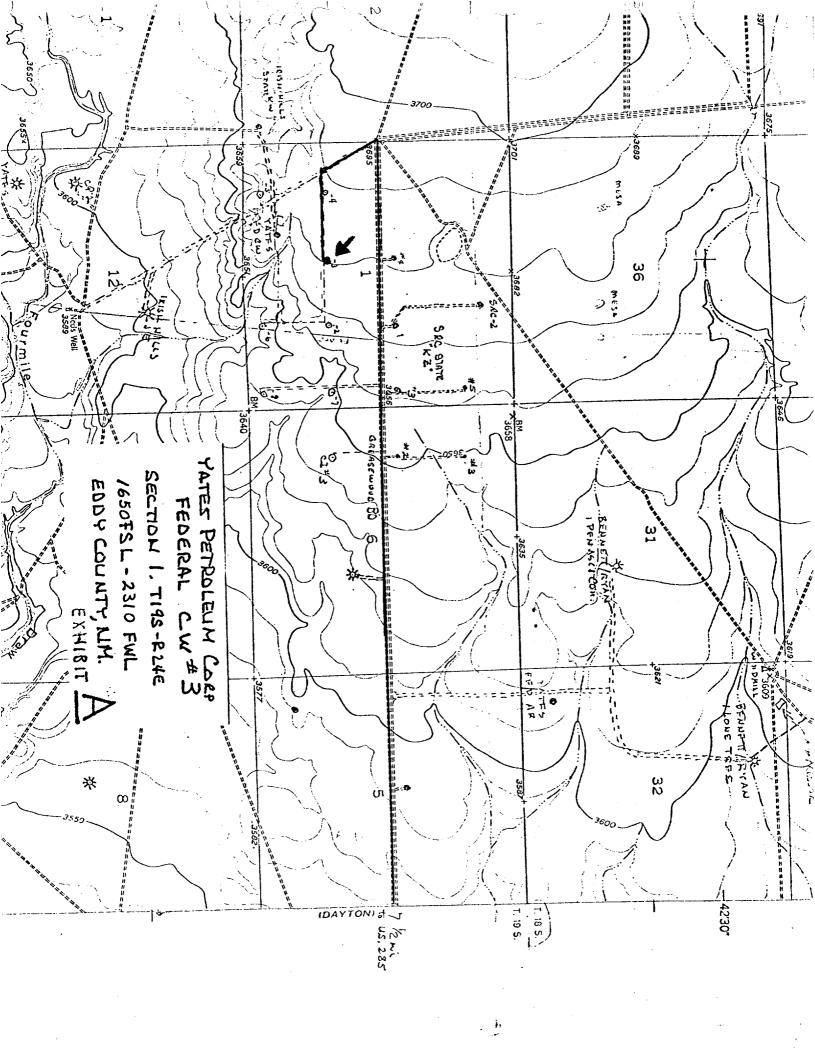
Gliserio "Rod" Rodriguez Yates Petroleum Corporation 207 South 4th Street Artesia, New Mexico 88210 (505) 746-3558

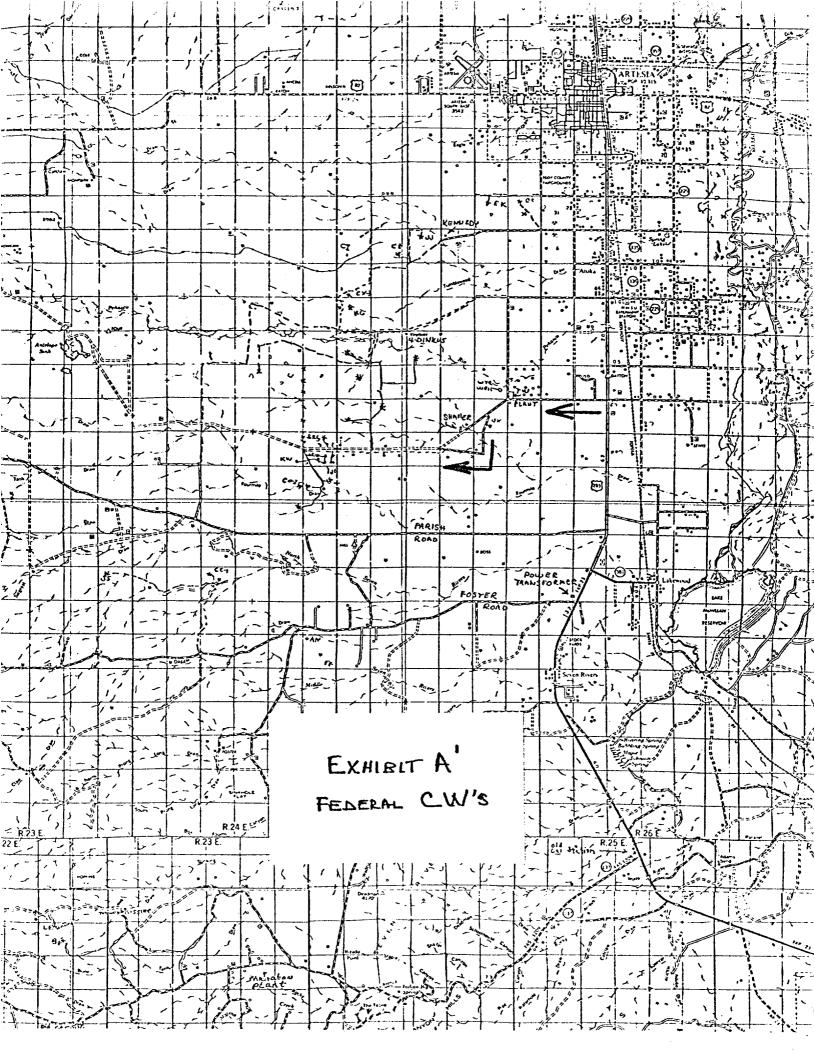
#### 13. CERTIFICATION.

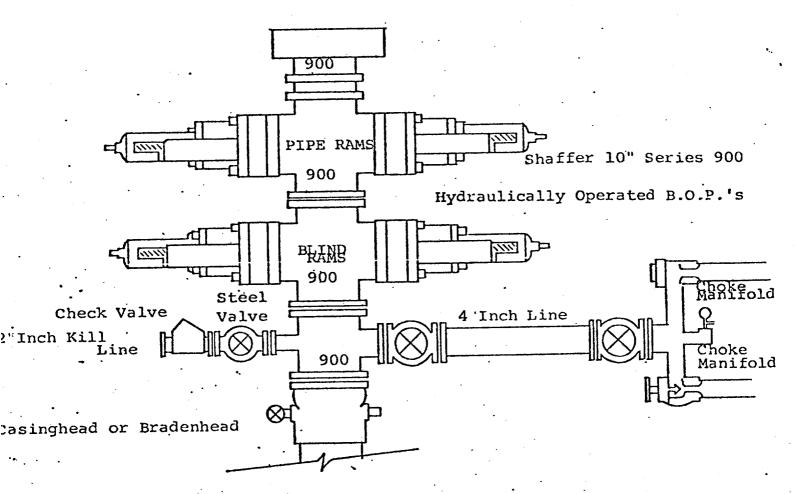
I hereby certify that I, or persons under my direct supervision, have inspected the proposed drillsite and access route, that I am familiar with the conditions which presently exist; that the statements made in this plan are to the best of my knowledge, true and correct; and, that the work associated with the operations proposed herein will be performed by Yates Petroleum Company and its contractors and subcontractors in conformity with this plan and the terms and conditions under which it is approved.

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Aliserio Rodriguez, Geographer







## THE FOLLOWING CONSTITUTE MINIMUM BLOWOUT PREVENTER REQUIREMENTS

- All preventers to be hydraulically operated with secondary manual controls installed prior to drilling out from under casing.
- 2. Choke outlet to be a minimum of 4" diameter.
- 3. Kill line to be of all steel construction of 2" minimum diameter.
- 4. All connections from operating manifolds to preventers to be all steel. hole or tube a minimum of one inch in diameter.
- 5. The available closing pressure shall be at least 15% in excess of that required with sufficient volume to operate the B.O.P.'s.
- 6. All connections to and from preventer to have a pressure rating equivalent to that of the B.O.P.'s.
- 7. Inside blowout preventer to be available on rig floor.
- 8. Operating controls located a safe distance from the rig floor.
- Hole must be kept filled on trips below intermediate casing. Operator not responsible for blowouts resulting from not keeping hole full.
- 10. D. P. float must be installed and used below zone of first gas intrusion.

# YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION

EXHIBIT C

