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Yates Petroleum Corporation Attn: Clifton R. May 105 S. 4th Street Artesia, NM 88210

Dear Mr. May:

As per your letter, dated April 18, 2002, we are canceling your Application for Permit to Drill (APD) for the Margene AWM Federal #2, Sec.20, T. 9 S., R. 26 E., 800' FSL and 1980' FEL which was approved on March 1, 2002.

If you have any question, please contact me at (505) 627-0237.

Sincerely,

/s/ Linda A. Askwig

Linda A. Askwig Legal Instruments Examiner

Enclosure

cc: I&E (RFO) NMOCD (Artesia)