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Oil Conservation Division

Re: Case No. 13122: Application of Yates Petroleum Corporation for approval of a Unit Agreement, Lea County, New Mexico.

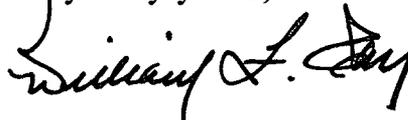
Dear Ms. Wrotenbery:

Yates Petroleum Corporation hereby requests that the Examiner Hearing in the above-referenced case that is currently scheduled for August 7, 2003, be continued to the September 4, 2003 Examiner Hearing Docket.

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Your attention to this request is appreciated.

Very truly yours,



William F. Carr

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