

STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT  
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF :  
BASS ENTERPRISES PRODUCTION CO. AND :  
SANTA FE ENERGY COMPANY FOR RESCISSION :  
OF ORDER NSL-3745, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO : CASE NO. 11713

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING  
AND  
COMPLIANCE WITH RULE 1207

In accordance with Division Rule 1207, I hereby certify that on February 26, 1997, correspondence transmitting copies of the application filed in and providing notice of the hearing of the above-referenced case, were mailed more than twenty days prior to the hearing now set for April 3, 1997, to the interested parties listed in Exhibit "A".

Also attached hereto are a representative copy of said correspondence and return receipt cards as Exhibit "B".

Respectfully submitted,

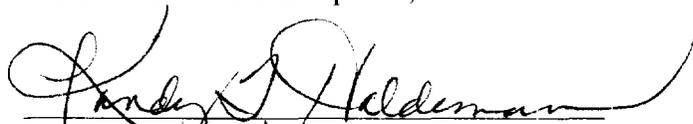
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STATE OF NEW MEXICO )  
: ss.  
COUNTY OF EDDY )

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this April 2, 1997.

  
Notary Public

My commission expires:

11-17-97

## EXHIBIT A

Maralo, Inc.  
P. O. Box 832  
Midland, TX 79702  
Attn: Mr. R. A. Lowery

ARCO Permian  
P. O. Box 1610  
Midland, TX 79702-2600  
Attn: Mr. Lee Scarborough

Marathon Oil Company  
P. O. Box 552  
Midland, TX 79702  
Attn: Mr. Randal Wilson

Louis Dreyfus Natural Gas  
1400 Quail Springs Parkway #600  
Oklahoma City, OK 73134  
Attn: Mr. Russell Waters

Amoco Production Company  
P.O. Box 3092  
Houstn, TX 77253  
Attn: Mr. Jerry West

InterCoast Oil and Gas Company  
7130 South Lewis Avenue, Suite 700  
Tulsa, OK 74136  
Attn: Mr. Rick Deffenbaugh

V. S. Welch Estate  
1035 Carolyn Way  
Beverly Hills, CA 70210

Frank M. Parker  
c/o Thomas G. Calhoun II, Trustee  
4429 North Central Expressway  
Dallas, TX 75205

Anadarko Petroleum Corporation  
P.O. Box 2497  
Midland, TX 79702  
Attn: Mr. Kirk Ary

Yates Petroleum Corporation  
105 S. Fourth St.  
Artesia, NM 88210  
Attn: Mr. Rob Bullock

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February 26, 1997

**CERTIFIED MAIL  
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**

Yates Petroleum Corporation  
105 S. Fourth St.  
Artesia, NM 88210  
Attn: Mr. Rob Bullock

Re: Application of Bass Enterprises Production Co.  
and Santa Fe Energy Co. for Rescission of  
Order NSL-3745/Mewbourne Oil Company Adminis-  
trative Application for Unorthodox Well Loca-  
tion, Eddy County, New Mexico - NMOCD Case No.  
11713

Gentlemen:

Please be advised that this office represents Bass Enterprises Production Co. and Santa Fe Energy Company on January 2, 1997, filed the above captioned application in opposition to the subject order. A copy of that application is enclosed herewith for your information. This matter came before the OCD on February 20, 1997, and will be heard March 20, 1997. As owner of an interest which will be affected by the proposed well, you have the right to object to applications affecting same. Objections must be filed prior to the hearing date of March 20, 1997.

Very truly yours,

LOSEE, CARSON, HAAS & CARROLL, P.A.

  
Ernest L. Carroll

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Enclosure

EXHIBIT

B

P 059 490 937

US Postal Service  
Receipt for Certified Mail

No Insurance Coverage Provided.  
Do not use for International Mail (See reverse)  
Sent to Intercoast Oil & Gas  
Street & Number

**SENDER:**  
 Complete items 1 and/or 2 for additional services.  
 Complete items 3, 4a, and 4b.  
 Print your name and address on the reverse of this form so that we can return this card to you.  
 Attach this form to the front of the mailpiece, or on the back if space does not permit.  
 Write "Return Receipt Requested" on the mailpiece below the article number.  
 The Return Receipt will show to whom the article was delivered and the date delivered.

1.  Addressee's Address  
 2.  Restricted Delivery  
 Consult postmaster for fee.

3. Article Addressed to:  
 Intercoast Oil and Gas Company  
 7130 South Lewis Avenue,  
 Tulsa, OK 74136  
 Attn: Mr. Rick Deffenbacher

4a. Article Number: POS9 490 937  
 4b. Service Type:  
 Registered  Certified  
 Express Mail  Insured  
 Return Receipt for Merchandise  COD

7. Date of Delivery: 3-4-97  
 8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid):

5. Received By: (Print Name)  
 X J. Deffenbacher  
 Signature: (Addressee or Agent)

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Domestic Return Receipt

US Postal Service  
Receipt for Certified Mail  
No Insurance Coverage Provided.  
Do not use for International Mail (See reverse)  
Sent to Louis Dreyfus Natural Gas  
Street & Number

**SENDER:**  
 Complete items 1 and/or 2 for additional services.  
 Complete items 3, 4a, and 4b.  
 Print your name and address on the reverse of this form so that we can return this card to you.  
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1.  Addressee's Address  
 2.  Restricted Delivery  
 Consult postmaster for fee.

3. Article Addressed to:  
 Louis Dreyfus Natural Gas  
 1400 Quail Springs Parkway,  
 Oklahoma City, OK 73134  
 Attn: Mr. Russell Waters

4a. Article Number: POS9 490 935  
 4b. Service Type:  
 Registered  Certified  
 Express Mail  Insured  
 Return Receipt for Merchandise  COD

7. Date of Delivery: 3-3-97  
 8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid):

5. Received By: (Print Name)  
 X R. Waters  
 Signature: (Addressee or Agent)

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Domestic Return Receipt

US Postal Service  
Receipt for Certified Mail  
No Insurance Coverage Provided.  
Do not use for International Mail (See reverse)  
Sent to Marathon Oil Co  
Street & Number

**SENDER:**  
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 Complete items 3, 4a, and 4b.  
 Print your name and address on the reverse of this form so that we can return this card to you.  
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1.  Addressee's Address  
 2.  Restricted Delivery  
 Consult postmaster for fee.

3. Article Addressed to:  
 Marathon Oil Company  
 P. O. Box 552  
 Midland, TX 79702  
 Attn: Mr. Randal Wilson

4a. Article Number: POS9 490 934  
 4b. Service Type:  
 Registered  Certified  
 Express Mail  Insured  
 Return Receipt for Merchandise  COD

7. Date of Delivery: MAR 03 1997  
 8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid):

5. Received By: (Print Name)  
 X R. Wilson  
 Signature: (Addressee or Agent)

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Receipt for Certified Mail  
No Insurance Coverage Provided.  
Do not use for International Mail (See reverse)  
Sent to Amoco Production Co  
Street & Number

**SENDER:**  
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 Complete items 3, 4a, and 4b.  
 Print your name and address on the reverse of this form so that we can return this card to you.  
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 The Return Receipt will show to whom the article was delivered and the date delivered.

1.  Addressee's Address  
 2.  Restricted Delivery  
 Consult postmaster for fee.

3. Article Addressed to:  
 Amoco Production Company  
 P.O. Box 3092  
 Houston, TX 77253  
 Attn: Mr. Jerry West

4a. Article Number: POS9 490 936  
 4b. Service Type:  
 Registered  Certified  
 Express Mail  Insured  
 Return Receipt for Merchandise  COD

7. Date of Delivery: MAR 03 1997  
 8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid):

5. Received By: (Print Name)  
 X J. West  
 Signature: (Addressee or Agent)

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Domestic Return Receipt

P 059 490 933

US Postal Service  
Receipt for Certified Mail

No Insurance Coverage Provided.  
Do not use for International Mail (See reverse)  
Sent to ARCO Permian  
Street & Number

**SENDER:**  
 Complete items 1 and/or 2 for additional services.  
 Complete items 3, 4a, and 4b.  
 Print your name and address on the reverse of this form so that we can return this card to you.  
 Attach this form to the front of the mailpiece, or on the back if space does not permit.  
 Write "Return Receipt Requested" on the mailpiece below the article number.  
 The Return Receipt will show to whom the article was delivered and the date delivered.

1.  Addressee's Address  
 2.  Restricted Delivery  
 Consult postmaster for fee.

3. Article Addressed to:  
 ARCO Permian  
 P. O. Box 1610  
 Midland, TX 79702-2600  
 Attn: Mr. Lee Scarborough

4a. Article Number: POS9 490 933  
 4b. Service Type:  
 Registered  Certified  
 Express Mail  Insured  
 Return Receipt for Merchandise  COD

7. Date of Delivery: FEB 28 1997  
 8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid):

5. Received By: (Print Name)  
 X L. Scarborough  
 Signature: (Addressee or Agent)

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Domestic Return Receipt

Thank you for using Return Receipt Service.

P 059 490 938

US Postal Service  
Receipt for Certified Mail

No Insurance Coverage Provided.  
Do not use for International Mail (See reverse)  
Sent to V.S. Welch Estate  
Street & Number

**SENDER:**  
 Complete items 1 and/or 2 for additional services.  
 Complete items 3, 4a, and 4b.  
 Print your name and address on the reverse of this form so that we can return this card to you.  
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1.  Addressee's Address  
 2.  Restricted Delivery  
 Consult postmaster for fee.

3. Article Addressed to:  
 V. S. Welch Estate  
 1035 Carolyn Way  
 Beverly Hills, CA 70210

4a. Article Number: POS9 490 938  
 4b. Service Type:  
 Registered  Certified  
 Express Mail  Insured  
 Return Receipt for Merchandise  COD

7. Date of Delivery: 3-3-97  
 8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid):

5. Received By: (Print Name)  
 X V. Welch  
 Signature: (Addressee or Agent)

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Domestic Return Receipt

Thank you for using Return Receipt Service.

P 059 490 541

US Postal Service  
Receipt for Certified Mail

No Insurance Coverage Provided.  
Do not use for International Mail (See reverse)

Sent to Yates Petroleum Corp.  
Street & Number

is your RETURN ADDRESS completed on the reverse side?

**SENDER:**  
 ■ Complete items 1 and/or 2 for additional services.  
 ■ Complete items 3, 4a, and 4b.  
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I also wish to receive the following services (for an extra fee):  
 1.  Addressee's Address  
 2.  Restricted Delivery  
 Consult postmaster for fee.

3. Article Addressed to:  
 Yates Petroleum Corporation  
 105 S. Fourth St.  
 Artesia, NM 88210  
 Attn: Mr. Rob Bullock

4a. Article Number  
P 059 490 941

4b. Service Type  
 Registered  Certified  
 Express Mail  Insured  
 Return Receipt for Merchandise  COD

7. Date of Delivery  
2-27-97

8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid)

5. Received By: (Print Name)  
JOANNE GRIGGS

6. Signature: (Addressee or Agent)  
[Signature]

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US Postal Service  
Receipt for Certified Mail  
No Insurance Coverage Provided.  
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Sent to Anadarko Petroleum Corp.  
Street & Number

is your RETURN ADDRESS completed on the reverse side?

**SENDER:**  
 ■ Complete items 1 and/or 2 for additional services.  
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3. Article Addressed to:  
 Anadarko Petroleum Corporation  
 P.O. Box 2497  
 Midland, TX 79702  
 Attn: Mr. Kirk Ary

4a. Article Number  
P 059 490 940

4b. Service Type  
 Registered  Certified  
 Express Mail  Insured  
 Return Receipt for Merchandise  COD

7. Date of Delivery  
MAR 03 1997

8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid)

5. Received By: (Print Name)  
[Signature]

6. Signature: (Addressee or Agent)  
[Signature]

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US Postal Service  
Receipt for Certified Mail  
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Do not use for International Mail (See reverse)

Sent to Frank M. Parker  
Street & Number

is your RETURN ADDRESS completed on the reverse side?

**SENDER:**  
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 2.  Restricted Delivery  
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3. Article Addressed to:  
 Frank M. Parker  
 c/o Thomas G. Calhoun II,  
 4429 North Central Expressway  
 Dallas, TX 75205

4a. Article Number  
P 059 490 939

4b. Service Type  
 Registered  Certified  
 Express Mail  Insured  
 Return Receipt for Merchandise  COD

7. Date of Delivery  
MAR 03 1997

8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid)

5. Received By: (Print Name)

6. Signature: (Addressee or Agent)  
[Signature]

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US Postal Service  
Receipt for Certified Mail  
No Insurance Coverage Provided.  
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Sent to Maralo  
Street & Number

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3. Article Addressed to:  
 Maralo, Inc.  
 P. O. Box 832  
 Midland, TX 79702  
 Attn: Mr. R. A. Lowery

4a. Article Number  
P 059 490 932

4b. Service Type  
 Registered  Certified  
 Express Mail  Insured  
 Return Receipt for Merchandise  COD

7. Date of Delivery  
FEB 28 1997

8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid)

5. Received By: (Print Name)

6. Signature: (Addressee or Agent)  
[Signature]

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