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November 4, 1998

Mr. James Bruce Attorney-at-Law Post Office Box 1056 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504

Re: De Novo Case Nos. 11958, 11959.

and 11934

Applications of Ocean Energy Resources, Inc. and Yates Petroleum Corporation for compulsory pooling and unorthodox well location. Lea

County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Bruce:

The above-mentioned consolidated De Novo cases, which were scheduled for hearing before the Oil Conservation Commission on November 16, 1998, are hereby dismissed pursuant to the request of the De Novo applicant, Ocean Energy Resources, Inc. Division Order No. R-11061 is hereby continued in full force and effect until further notice.

Sincerely,

Jori Wrotenberg LORI WROTENBERY

Division Director

cc: Tom Kellahin William F. Carr