SOUTHWEST POTASH CORPORATION

A DIVISION OF AMERICAN METAL CLIMAX, INC.

CARLSBAD, NEW MEXICO

EXECUTIVE OFFICES
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November 22, 1961

PLEASE REPLY TO
P. O. BOX 473
CARLSBAD, NEW MEXICO

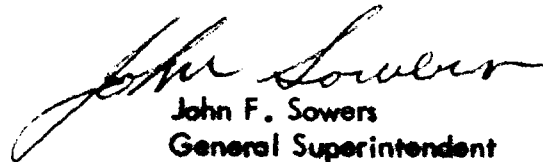Mr. Harvey E. Yates
309 Carper Building
Artesia, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Yates:

A copy of your Notice of Intention to Drill an oil well at the fol-
lowing location was received today, November 22, 1961:

> Federal No. 1, located 1980 feet from South
> line and 660 feet from East line of Section 9,
> Township 19S, Range 30E, Eddy County, N.M.

We are protesting the drilling of the well at the proposed location
since it is over open mine workings, and within our surface plant
area.

Yours very truly,

John F. Sowers
General Superintendent

JFS:lp

cc: Mr. F. H. Stewart

EXHIBIT "C"

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Oil Conservation Commission

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SECRETARY – DIRECTOR

P. O. BOX 871
SANTA FE

July 17, 1962

Mr. A. J. Losee
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Attorneys at Law
Carper Building - P. O. Drawer 239
Artesia, New Mexico

Re: Case No. 2583 and 2584
Order No. R-2280 and R-2281
Applicant:

S. P. Yates and Harvey E. Yates
(Dismissed)

Dear Sir:

     Enclosed herewith are two copies of the above-referenced Commission order recently entered in the subject case.

Very truly yours,

A. L. PORTER, Jr.
Secretary-Director

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Carbon copy of order also sent to:

Hobbs OCC   X

Artesia OCC   X

Aztec OCC

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BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING
CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION
COMMISSION OF NEW MEXICO FOR
THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING:

CASE No. 2584
Order No. R-2281

APPLICATION OF HARVEY E. YATES
FOR PERMISSION TO DRILL A WELL
IN THE POTASH-OIL AREA, EDDY
COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 o'clock a.m. on June 14, 1962, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before the Oil Conservation Commission of New Mexico, hereinafter referred to as the "Commission."

NOW, on this 17th day of July, 1962, the Commission, a quorum being present, and being fully advised in the premises,

FINDS:

(1) That due public notice having been given as required by law, the Commission has jurisdiction of this cause and the subject matter thereof.

(2) That the applicant, Harvey E. Yates, has requested that Case No. 2584 be dismissed.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

That Case No. 2584 is hereby dismissed.

DONE at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on the day and year hereinabove designated.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

EDWIN L. MECHEM, Chairman

E. S. WALKER, Member

A. L. PORTER, Jr., Member & Secretary

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