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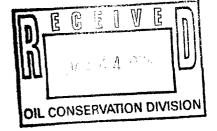
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William J. LeMay Oil Conservation Division 310 Old Santa Fe Trail Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504

Re: NMOCD Case 10905

Application of Yates Petroleum Company

for Compulsory Pooling Eddy County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. LeMay:

On behalf of Nearburg Exploration Company and Nearburg Producing Company, please find enclosed our Entry of Appearance in the referenced case currently set for hearing on the Examiner's docket of February 3, 1994.

Very truly yours,

W. Thomas Kellahin

cc: Earnest L. Carroll, Esq.

(attorney for Yates Petroleum Company)

cc: Nearburg Exploration Company

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF YATES PETROLEUM COMPANY FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

CASE NO. 10905

ENTRY OF APPEARANCE AND MOTION FOR CONTINUANCE

Comes now Kellahin and Kellahin and enters their appearance in this case on behalf of Nearburg Exploration Company and Nearburg Producing Company.

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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that I cause to be mailed a true and correct copy of the foregoing to all counsel of record this January 24, 1994.

W. Thomas Keliahin