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Yates Petroleum Corporation Attention: Clifton R. May 105 South Fourth Street Artesia, NM 88210

RE: Julia "AJL" Federal Well No. 1 NM-67712 1980' FNL & 660' FEL, Sec. 34, T21S, R30E Eddy County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. May:

On October 1, 1992, Yates Petroleum Corporation filed a Sundry Notice to extend the Application for Permit to Drill (APD) at the above referenced location. I am pleased to approve the extension of the APD at the present location. Your copy of the Sundry notice is enclosed.

Through our analysis of the APD, we have determined that the well site is located a sufficient distance from minable ore zones that potash resources should not be impacted.

If you need any additional information, please contact Tony Herrell in the Carlsbad Resource Area at (505) 887-6544.

Sincerely,

Larry L. Woodard

Larry L. Woodard State Director

1 Enclosure

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