

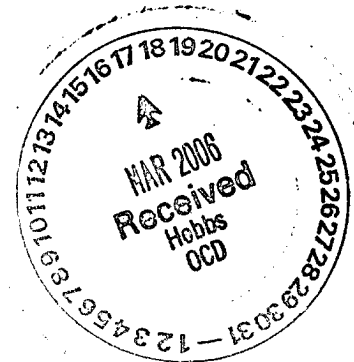
OPERATOR YATES PETROLEUM CORP.
WELL/LEASE MERLE STATE UNIT 3
COUNTY LEA

008-0023

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
DEVIATION REPORT

30-025-37545

395	1.00
867	0.75
1,368	1.75
1,875	1.50
2,349	1.00
2,822	2.50
2,951	2.00
3,205	2.00
3,455	1.75
3,965	0.50
4,485	0.75
4,986	0.75
5,460	0.75
5,966	1.00
6,473	1.00
6,979	1.00
7,483	0.75
7,966	0.50
8,446	0.75
8,946	1.00
9,537	0.75
10,054	0.50
10,554	0.75
11,054	0.75
11,554	0.75
12,045	1.00
12,519	2.00
12,670	2.00



BY: Steve Moore

STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF MIDLAND

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me on March 13, 2006, by Steve Moore on behalf of Patterson-UTI Drilling Company LP, LLLP.

Joni D. Hodges
Notary Public for Midland County, Texas
My Commission Expires: 4/08/07

