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NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
 - Engineering Bureau -
 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, NM 87505



ADMINISTRATIVE APPLICATION CHECKLIST

THIS CHECKLIST IS MANDATORY FOR ALL ADMINISTRATIVE APPLICATIONS FOR EXCEPTIONS TO DIVISION RULES AND REGULATIONS WHICH REQUIRE PROCESSING AT THE DIVISION LEVEL IN SANTA FE

Application Acronyms:

[NSL-Non-Standard Location] [NSP-Non-Standard Proration Unit] [SD-Simultaneous Dedication]
 [DHC-Downhole Commingling] [CTB-Lease Commingling] [PLC-Pool/Lease Commingling]
 [PC-Pool Commingling] [OLS - Off-Lease Storage] [OLM-Off-Lease Measurement]
 [WFX-Waterflood Expansion] [PMX-Pressure Maintenance Expansion]
 [SWD-Salt Water Disposal] [IPI-Injection Pressure Increase]
 [EOR-Qualified Enhanced Oil Recovery Certification] [PPR-Positive Production Response]

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[1] TYPE OF APPLICATION - Check Those Which Apply for [A]

- [A] Location - Spacing Unit - Simultaneous Dedication
☐ NSL ☐ NSP ☐ SD

Check One Only for [B] or [C]

- [B] Commingling - Storage - Measurement
☒ DHC ☐ CTB ☐ PLC ☐ PC ☐ OLS ☐ OLM

- [C] Injection - Disposal - Pressure Increase - Enhanced Oil Recovery
☐ WFX ☐ PMX ☐ SWD ☐ IPI ☐ EOR ☐ PPR

- [D] Other: Specify _____

[2] NOTIFICATION REQUIRED TO: - Check Those Which Apply, or ☒ Does Not Apply

- [A] ☐ Working, Royalty or Overriding Royalty Interest Owners
 [B] ☐ Offset Operators, Leaseholders or Surface Owner
 [C] ☐ Application is One Which Requires Published Legal Notice
 [D] ☐ Notification and/or Concurrent Approval by BLM or SLO
U.S. Bureau of Land Management - Commissioner of Public Lands, State Land Office
 [E] ☐ For all of the above, Proof of Notification or Publication is Attached, and/or,
 [F] ☐ Waivers are Attached

[3] SUBMIT ACCURATE AND COMPLETE INFORMATION REQUIRED TO PROCESS THE TYPE OF APPLICATION INDICATED ABOVE.

[4] CERTIFICATION: I hereby certify that the information submitted with this application for administrative approval is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge. I also understand that no action will be taken on this application until the required information and notifications are submitted to the Division.

Note: Statement must be completed by an individual with managerial and/or supervisory capacity.

Sam Brandon

Area Engineer

1/2/08

Print or Type Name

Signature

Title

Date

sbrandon1@ypcnm.com
 e-mail Address

Yates Petroleum Corporation

105 South Fourth Street, Artesia, New Mexico 88210

FAX

Date: 1/2/08

Number of Pages: 4

To: Kimberly

From: Debbie Chavez

Phone:

Phone: (575)748-4361

Fax: (575)748-4585

Fax: (505)476-3462

Kimberly,

Please let me know if you need anything else. Thank you.

Debbie Chavez

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1301 W. Grand Avenue, Artesia, NM 88210

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Form C-102

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☐ AMENDED REPORT**WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT**

¹ API Number 30-025-38090		² Pool Code 96997		³ Pool Name Eight Mile Draw; Atoka (Gas)	
⁴ Property Code 33253		⁵ Property Name Willie State Unit			⁶ Well Number 6
⁷ OGRID No. 025575		⁸ Operator Name Yates Petroleum Corporation			⁹ Elevation 4146'

¹⁰ Surface Location

U/L or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Ida	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
K	25	11S	34E	K	1980	South	1980	West	Lea

¹¹ Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface

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¹² Dedicated Acres 320	¹³ Joint or Infill	¹⁴ Consolidation Code	¹⁵ Order No.
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No allowable will be assigned to this completion until all interests have been consolidated or a non-standard unit has been approved by the division.

¹⁶ 	¹⁷ OPERATOR CERTIFICATION I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief, and that this organization either owns a working interest or unleased mineral interest in the land including the proposed bottom hole location or has a right to drill this well in this location pursuant to a contract with an owner of such a mineral or working interest, or to a voluntary pooling agreement or a compulsory pooling order heretofore entered by the division. Signature Date 1/2/08 Debbie Chavez Printed Name	
	¹⁸ SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION I hereby certify that the well location shown on this plat was plotted from field notes of actual surveys made by me or under my supervision, and that the same is true and correct to the best of my belief. Date of Survey Signature and Seal of Professional Surveyor: Certificate Number	

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MARTIN YATES, III
1912-1985

FRANK W. YATES
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December 26, 2007

David Catanach
State of New Mexico
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
1220 South Saint Francis Drive
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Dear Mr. Catanach,

Yates Petroleum Corporation hereby seeks administrative approval to downhole commingle the production from the Eight Mile Draw, Atoka, and Eight Mile Draw Morrow pools in our Willie State Unit No. 6 located in Unit N of Section 25, Township 11 South, Range 34 East, Lea County.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please call me at (575) 748-4281.

Sincerely,

Sam Brandon
Area Engineer

SB

Enclosures



PATRICK H. LYONS
COMMISSIONER

State of New Mexico
Commissioner of Public Lands

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January 16, 2008

Yates Petroleum Corporation
105 South Fourth Street
Artesia, New Mexico 88210-2118

Attn: Mr. Sam Brandon

Re: Downhole Commingling Application
Willie State Unit Well No. 6 Unit Letter N
Section 25-11S-34E API No. 30-025-38090
Eight Mile Draw (Atoka), and Eight Mile Draw Morrow Pools
Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Brandon:

Thank you for your application to downhole commingle the Eight Mile Draw (Atoka), and Eight Mile Draw Morrow Pools from the referenced well in Lea County, New Mexico.

Since it appears that all the New Mexico Oil Conservation's (OCD) rules and regulations have been complied with, and there will be no loss of revenue to the State of New Mexico as a result of your proposed operation, your application is approved. Any deviation from the substance of your application will be cause for rescinding our approval, and approval is subject to like approval by the OCD.

Please submit a copy of the OCD's approval order as soon as possible.

Your filing fee in the amount of \$30.00 has been recieved.

If you have any questions or if we may be of further help, please contact Pete Martinez at (505) 827-5791.

Very truly yours,

PATRICK H. LYONS
COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC LANDS

BY:

JAMI BAILEY, Director
Oil, Gas and Minerals Division
PL/JB/jm

Enclosure

xc: Reader File

OCD—Ed Martin,

-State Land Office Beneficiaries -

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Form C-107A
Revised May 15, 2000

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
2040 South Pacheco
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505
APPLICATION FOR DOWNHOLE COMMINGLING

APPLICATION TYPE
☒ Single Well
☐ Establish Pre-Approved Pools
EXISTING WELLBORE
☒ Yes ☐ No

Yates Petroleum Corporation 105 South Fourth Street Operator Address
Willie State Unit 6 N 25 11S 34E Lease
Lease Well No. Unit Letter-Section-Township-Range County
OGRID No. 025575 Property Code API No. 30-025-38090 Lease Type Federal ☒ State ☐ Fee

DATA ELEMENT	UPPER ZONE UNDES	INTERMEDIATE ZONE	LOWER ZONE
Pool Name	Eight Mile Draw (Atoka)		Eight Mile Draw Morrow
Pool Code			
Top and Bottom of Pay Section (Perforated or Open-Hole Interval)	11887-11895'		12159-12174' & 12191-12202'
Method of Production (Flowing or Artificial Lift)	Flowing		Flowing
Bottomhole Pressure (Note: Pressure data will not be required if the bottom perforation in the lower zone is within 150% of the depth of the top perforation in the upper zone)	NA	NA	4006 psi (4/30/07)
Oil Gravity or Gas BTU (Degree API or Gas BTU)	NA	NA	NA
Producing, Shut-In or New Zone	New Zone		Producing
Date and Oil/Gas/Water Rates of Last Production. (Note: For new zones with no production history, applicant shall be required to attach production estimates and supporting data.)		Date: Rates:	Date: 12/19/07 Rates: 3 BOPD, 0 BWPD 191 MCFD
Fixed Allocation Percentage (Note: If allocation is based upon something other than current or past production, supporting data or explanation will be required.)	Oil Gas	Oil Gas % %	Oil Gas

ADDITIONAL DATA

Are all working, royalty and overriding royalty interests identical in all commingled zones? Yes ☒ No ☐
If not, have all working, royalty and overriding royalty interest owners been notified by certified mail? Yes ☐ No ☐
Are all produced fluids from all commingled zones compatible with each other? Yes ☒ No ☐
Will commingling decrease the value of production? Yes ☐ No ☒
If this well is on, or communitized with, state or federal lands, has either the Commissioner of Public Lands or the United States Bureau of Land Management been notified in writing of this application? Yes ☒ No ☐
NMOCD Reference Case No. applicable to this well:

Attachments:
C-102 for each zone to be commingled showing its spacing unit and acreage dedication.
Production curve for each zone for at least one year. (If not available, attach explanation.)
For zones with no production history, estimated production rates and supporting data.
Data to support allocation method or formula.
Notification list of working, royalty and overriding royalty interests for uncommon interest cases.
Any additional statements, data or documents required to support commingling.

PRE-APPROVED POOLS

If application is to establish Pre-Approved Pools, the following additional information will be required:

List of other orders approving downhole commingling within the proposed Pre-Approved Pools
List of all operators within the proposed Pre-Approved Pools
Proof that all operators within the proposed Pre-Approved Pools were provided notice of this application.
Bottomhole pressure data.

I hereby certify that the information above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

SIGNATURE Sam Brandon TITLE Area Engineer DATE : December 26, 2007
TYPE OR PRINT NAME: Sam Brandon TELEPHONE NO. (575)-748-4281

A production curve for the Morrow interval is included with the application. Atoka will be perforated through-tubing. Allocation will be determined based on production increase after perforating.

WILLIE STATE UNIT #6 (057910-006)

