

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

**IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING  
CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION  
DIVISION FOR THE PURPOSE OF  
CONSIDERING:**

**CASE NO. 13253  
ORDER NO. R-12182**

**APPLICATION OF YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION FOR AN ORDER  
AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF THREE WELLS IN THE OIL/POTASH AREA,  
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

**ORDER OF THE DIVISION**

**BY THE DIVISION:**

This case came on for hearing at 8:15 a.m. on July 22, 2004, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Michael E. Stogner.

NOW, on this 4<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2004, the Division Director, having considered the record and the recommendations of the Examiner,

**FINDS THAT:**

The applicant's request for dismissal should be granted.

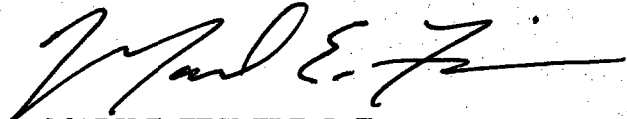
**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:**

Case No. 13253 be dismissed.

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



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MARK E. FESMIRE, P. E.  
Director