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NOTICE OF PUBLICATION

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

The State of New Mexico through its Oil Conservation Division hereby gives notice pursuant to law and the Rules and Regulations of the Division of the following public hearing to be held at 9:15 A.M. on July 28, 2005, in the Oil Conservation Division Hearing Room at 1220 South St. Francis, Santa Fe, New Mexico, before an examiner duly appointed for the hearing. If you are an individual with a disability who is in need of a reader, amplifier, qualified sign language interpreter, or any other form of auxiliary aid or service to attend or participate in the hearing, please contact: Florens Davidson at 505-475-3458 or through the New Mexico Relay Network, 1-800-659-1779 by July 16, 2005. Public documents including the agenda and minutes, can be provided in various accessible forms. Please contact Florens Davidson if a summary or other type of accessible form is needed.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO:

All named parties and persons
having any right, title, interest
or claim in the following cases
and notice to the public.

(NOTE: All land descriptions herein refer to the New Mexico Principal Meridian whether or not so stated.)

CASE 13529

Application of Yates Petroleum Corporation for approval of a Unit Agreement, Chaves County, New Mexico. Applicant seeks approval of the Stadium State Exploratory Unit from the surface to the top of the Pre-Cambrian formation in an area comprising 950 acres of State of New Mexico lands in Sections 15 and 16 in Township 12 South, Range 26 East, NMPM which is located approximately 6 miles north of Dexter, New Mexico.

Given under the Seal of the State of New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission at Santa Fe, New Mexico on this 7th day of July 2005.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Mark E. Fennire, P.E., Director

BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Santa Fe, New Mexico

Case No. 13529 Exhibit No. 2

Submitted by:

YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION

Hearing Date: July 28, 2005