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VIA HAND DELIVERY

Mark E. Fesmire, Director
Oil Conservation Division
New Mexico Energy, Minerals &
Natural Resources Department
1220 South St. Francis Drive
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504

**Re: CASE NO. 13462: Application of Yates Petroleum Corporation for
Compulsory Pooling, Lea County, New Mexico**

Dear Mr. Fesmire:

Yates Petroleum Corporation respectfully requests that the above-referenced case, scheduled for hearing on June 30, 2005, be dismissed. Your attention to this request is appreciated.

Sincerely,

William F. Carr

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cc. Robert Bullock

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