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. 13045 ORDER NO. R-11942

APPLICATION OF YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION FOR AN UNORTHODOX LOCATION, CHAVES COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE DIVISION

BY THE DIVISION:

This case came on for hearing at 8:15 a.m. on April 10, 2003, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner David R. Catanach.

NOW, on this <u>22nd</u> day of April, 2003, 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. 13045 is hereby dismissed.

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

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Director