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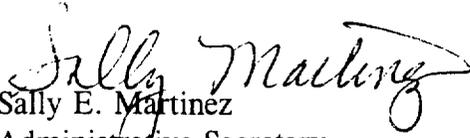
ATTN: David Vandiver

**RE: CASE NO. 11630
ORDER NO. R-10705**

Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith are two copies of the above-referenced Division order recently entered in the subject case.

Sincerely,


Sally E. Martinez
Administrative Secretary

cc: BLM Carlsbad Office

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. 11630
ORDER NO. R-10705

APPLICATION OF YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION FOR COMPULSORY
POOLING, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE DIVISION

BY THE DIVISION:

This cause came on for hearing at 8:15 a.m. on November 7, 1996 at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Michael E. Stogner.

NOW, on this 15th day of November, 1996, the Division Director, having considered the record and the recommendations of the Examiner, and being fully advised in the premises,

FINDS THAT:

- (1) Due public notice having been given as required by law, the Division has jurisdiction of this cause and the subject matter thereof.
- (2) The applicant, Yates Petroleum Corporation, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests from the surface to the base of the Morrow formation underlying the E/2 of Section 15, Township 18 South, Range 29 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico, thereby forming a standard 320-acre gas spacing and proration unit for any and all formations and/or pools developed on 320-acre spacing within said vertical extent. Said unit is to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at a standard gas well location thereon.
- (3) Prior to the hearing, the applicant requested this matter be dismissed.
- (4) Dismissal of this case should therefore be granted.

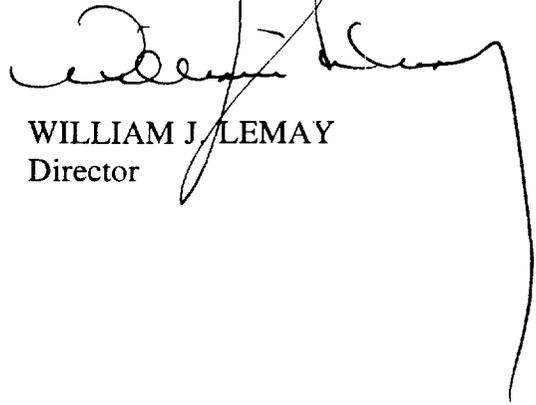
IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

Case No. 11630 is hereby dismissed.

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



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WILLIAM J. LEMAY
Director