

BEFORE THE
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
NEW MEXICO DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION
OF CHESAPEAKE OPERATING INC. FOR
AN UNORTHODOX OIL WELL LOCATION,
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

CASE NO. 11894
ORDER NO. R-10937

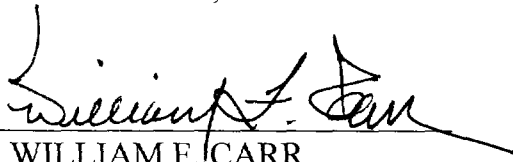
APPLICATION FOR HEARING DE NOVO

YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION ("Yates") a party of record adversely affected by the decision of the Oil Conservation Division in Cases 11894 (Order No. R-10937) herein, hereby apply for a hearing De Novo before the full Commission, pursuant to NMSA 1978, Section 70-2-13.

Respectfully submitted,

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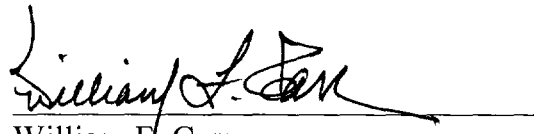
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing Application for Hearing De Novo was hand-delivered and/or mailed this 15th day of January, 1998 to the following:

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