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HAND DELIVERED

Ms. Lori Wrotenbery, Director Oil Conservation Division New Mexico Department of Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources 2040 South Pacheco Street Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Re: Case 11934, 11958 and 11959; Order No. R-11061
Application of Yates Petroleum Corporation and Ocean Energy, Inc.
Section 2, Township 16 South, Range 35 East, NMPM
Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Ms. Wrotenbery,

Yates Petroleum Corporation hereby requests that the above referenced cases be continued from the Oil Conservation Commission October 15, 1998 hearing docket and set for hearing at the earliest available date in November, 1998.

James G. Bruce, attorney for Ocean Energy, Inc. concurs in this request.

Your attention to this matter is appreciated.

WILLIAM F. CARR

Very truly yours,

Attorney for Yates Petroleum Corporation

cc: James G. Bruce, Esq. Randy Patterson