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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

NEW MEXICO DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES

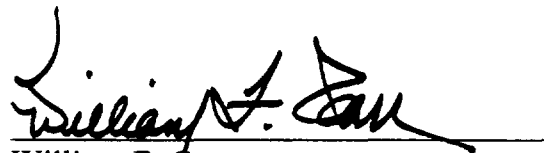
APPLICATION OF YATES PETROLEUM  
CORPORATION FOR AN UNORTHODOX  
WELL LOCATION AND  
SIMULTANEOUS DEDICATION,  
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

CASE NO. 12024

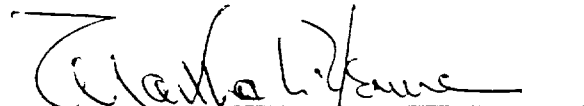
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STATE OF NEW MEXICO       )  
  ) ss.  
COUNTY OF SANTA FE       )

William F. Carr, attorney in fact and authorized representative of Yates Petroleum Corporation, the Applicant herein, being first duly sworn, upon oath, states that notice has been given to all interested persons entitled to receive notice of this application under Oil Conservation Division rules, and that notice has been given at the addresses shown on Exhibit "A" attached hereto.

  
William F. Carr

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 5th day of August, 1998.

  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

August 19, 1999

**EXHIBIT A**

Stevens & Tull, Inc.  
Post Office Box 11005  
Midland, TX 79702

Nearburg Exploration Company, LLC  
3300 North "A" Street  
Building 2, Suite 120  
Midland, TX 79705

Nadel and Gusman Permian, LLC  
601 N. Marienfeld  
Suite 508  
Midland, TX 79701

American Exploration Company  
1331 La Mar, Suite 900  
Houston, TX 77010

Ralph A. Vanderwart  
Flying H.  
New Mexico 88322

Bureau of Land Management  
2909 West Second Street  
Roswell, NM 88201

**BEFORE THE  
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Santa Fe, New Mexico

Case No. 12024 Exhibit No. 13

Submitted by: Yates Petroleum Corporation

Hearing Date: August 6, 1998

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& SHERIDAN, P.A.  
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July 16, 1998

**CERTIFIED MAIL**  
**RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**

**TO AFFECTED PARTIES IN SECTION 7, TOWNSHIP 21 SOUTH, RANGE 22 EAST,  
NMPM, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**

Re: Application of Yates Petroleum Corporation for an unorthodox well location and  
simultaneous dedication, Eddy County, New Mexico

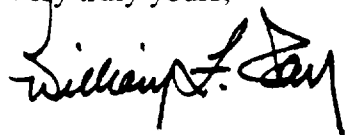
Gentlemen:

This letter is to advise you that Yates Petroleum Corporation has filed the enclosed application with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division seeking an exception to the provisions of Oil Conservation Division General Rule 104 C (2) (b) for its Little Box Canyon AOX Federal Well No. 2 well to be drilled at an unorthodox well location 1980 feet from the North line and 1190 feet from the West line of Section 7, Township 21 South, Range 22 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico. Yates also seeks authorization to simultaneously dedicate the W/2 of said Section 7 to the Little Box Canyon AOX Federal Well No. 2 and the Little Box Canyon AOX Federal Well No. 1 which is located at a previously approved unorthodox well location in the Morrow formation 800 feet from the South line and 1600 feet from the West line of said Section 7.

This application has been set for hearing before a Division Examiner on August 6, 1998. You are not required to attend this hearing, but as an owner of an interest that may be affected by this application, you may appear and present testimony. Failure to appear at that time and become a party of record will preclude you from challenging the matter at a later date.

Parties appearing in cases have been requested by the Division (Memorandum 2-90) to file a Prehearing Statement substantially in the form prescribed by the Division. Prehearing statements should be filed by 4:00 o'clock p.m. on the Friday before a scheduled hearing.

Very truly yours,



WILLIAM F. CARR  
ATTORNEY FOR YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION

Enc.

cc: Douglas W. Hurlbut

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*W. Walker*

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