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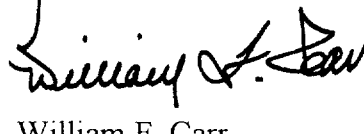
Case 12727

Re: Application of David Petroleum Corporation and Yates Petroleum Corporation for
Compulsory Pooling, Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Ms. Wrotenbery:

Enclosed in triplicate is the Application of David Petroleum Corporation and Yates Petroleum Corporation in the above-referenced case as well as a copy of the legal advertisement. The Applicants request that this matter be placed on the docket for the September 20, 2001 Examiner hearings.

Very truly yours,



William F. Carr

Enclosures

cc: Mr. Bill Owen (w/enclosures)
David Petroleum Corporation

Mr. Randy Patterson (w/enclosures)
Yates Petroleum Corporation

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