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. 10422

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

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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

This pre-hearing statement is submitted by Conoco, Inc. as required by the Oil Conservation Division.

APPEARANCE OF PARTIES

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APPLICANT

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STATEMENT OF CASE

APPLICANT

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OPPOSITION OR OTHER PARTY

Conoco, Inc. is a working interest owner in the proposed spacing unit and desires to reach a voluntary agreement with the applicant concerning the drilling of this well. Conoco is opposed to having its interest subject to a compulsory pooling order because the parties have not yet exhausted a good faith effort to attain a voluntary agreement.

PROPOSED EVIDENCE

APPLICANT

WITNESSES	EST. TIME	EXHIBITS
OPPOSITION		
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Davis Scott (Landman)	30 - 45 minutes	unknown at this time

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PROCEDURAL MATTERS

None applicable at this time.

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