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VIA FACSIMILE AND FIRST CLASS MAIL

Mr. William J. LeMay, Director  
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Re: Application of Yates Petroleum Corporation  
for Compulsory Pooling/Roy "EG" Federal Com.  
No. 1 Well

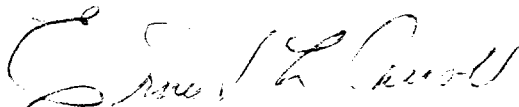
Dear Mr. LeMay:

Enclosed please find for filing an original and three copies of Yates Petroleum Corporation's Application as captioned above. We would ask that this matter be set for the August 6, 1992, hearing, and that we be provided a copy of the docket.

Thank you very much.

Very truly yours,

LOSEE, CARSON, HAAS & CARROLL, P.A.



Ernest L. Carroll

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Enclosures

xc w/encl: Mike Burch

**BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION  
OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO**

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JUL 16 1992  
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

**IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF  
YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION FOR  
COMPULSORY POOLING, EDDY COUNTY,  
NEW MEXICO**

CASE NO. 10520

**APPLICATION**

COMES NOW YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION, by and through its attorneys, Losee, Carson, Haas & Carroll, P. A. and in support hereof, respectfully states:

1. Applicant has the right to drill its Ross "EG" Federal Com #10 Well in the Canyon Formation as an oil well, which is to be located at a point 1980 feet from the north line and 1,980 feet from the east line of Section 20, Township 19 South, Range 25 East, N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico.

2. The applicant has dedicated northeast quarter of said section to this well, and there are interest owners in the proration unit who have not agreed to pool their interests.

3. Applicant should be designated the operator of the well and the proration unit.

4. To avoid the drilling of unnecessary wells, to protect correlative rights and to afford to the owner of each interest in said unit, the opportunity to recover or receive without unnecessary expense his just and fair share of the oil in said unit, all mineral interests, whatever they may be, from the surface to the base of the Canyon Formation underlying the NE/4 of said Section 20 should be pooled.

5. That any non-consenting working interest owner that does not pay his share of estimated well costs should have withheld

from production his share of the reasonable well costs, plus an additional 200% thereof as a reasonable charge for the risk involved in the drilling of the well.

6. Applicant should be authorized to withhold from production the proportionate share of a reasonable supervision charge for drilling and producing wells attributable to each non-consenting working interest owner.

WHEREFORE, applicant prays that:

A. This application be set for hearing before an examiner and that notice of said hearing be given as required by law.

B. Upon hearing the Division enter its order pooling all mineral interest, whatever they may be, from the surface to the base of the the Canyon Formation of said NE/4 of Section 20, Township 19 South, Range 25 East, N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico, to form a 160-acre spacing unit dedicated to applicant's Ross "EG" Federal Com #10 Well.

C. And for such other relief as may be just in the premises.

YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION

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