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. 10644 ORDER NO. R-9835

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

ORDER OF THE DIVISION

BY THE DIVISION:

This cause came on for hearing at 8:15 a.m. on January 21, 1993, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Michael E. Stogner.

NOW, on this 26th day of January, 1993, the Division Director, having considered the record and the recommendations of the Examiner, and being fully advised in the premises,

FINDS THAT:

- (1) Due public notice having been given as required by law, the Division has jurisdiction of this cause and the subject matter thereof.
- (2) The applicant, Yates Petroleum Corporation, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests from the surface to the base of the Abo formation underlying the NW/4 of Section 10, Township 5 South, Range 24 East, NMPM, Chaves County, New Mexico, forming a standard 160-acre gas spacing and proration unit for any and all formations and/or pools developed on 160-acre spacing within said vertical extent, which presently includes, but is not limited to, the Undesignated Pecos Slope-Abo Gas Pool. Said unit is to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at a standard gas well location in Unit C of said Section 10.
 - (3) At this time the applicant has requested that this case be dismissed.
 - (4) The applicant's request for dismissal should be granted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

Case No. 10644 is hereby dismissed.

DONE at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on the day and year hereinabove designated.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

WILLIAM J. LEMAY

Director