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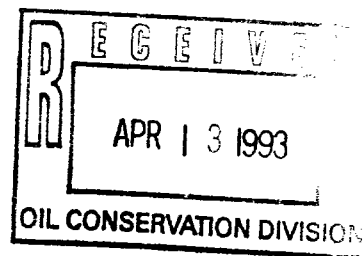
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Mr. David R. Catanach
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Re: Case Nos. 10708 and 10709:
Applications of Yates Petroleum Corporation for Compulsory Pooling, Eddy
County, New Mexico

Dear David:

Enclosed for your consideration are the proposed Orders of Yates Petroleum Corporation in each of the above-referenced cases. As I advised you on April 8, 1993 in prior similar cases, the Division had required that we provide recommended language concerning subsequent drilling on the pooled acreage. This topic is addressed in Finding 14 and Order Paragraph 14 of each of the enclosed Orders.

If you have questions concerning the enclosed, please advise.

Very truly yours,

WILLIAM F. CARR

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Enclosures

cc w/enc.: Janet Richardson
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