



STATE OF NEW MEXICO

ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

GARREY CARRUTHERS  
GOVERNOR

May 8, 1989

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Meridian Oil, Inc.  
21 Desta Drive  
Midland, Texas 79705

Gentlemen:

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This case will be heard before an examiner on May 24, 1989, at 8:15 a.m. in the Oil Conservation Division Conference Room, State Land Office Building, Santa Fe, New Mexico. A copy of the advertisement for this hearing is enclosed.

Sincerely,

*Florene Davidson*

Florene Davidson  
OC Staff Specialist

enc.

*9109 Reopened*



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105 South 4th Street  
Artesia, New Mexico 88210

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OIL CONSERVATION DIV.  
SANTA FE

Attention: Ms. Florene Davidson

Re: Case No. 9109

Dear Ms. Davidson:

Your letter, dated May 8, 1989, received by Yates Petroleum Corporation May 11, 1989 calls for reopening of Case No. 9109 in order to show cause that the pool should not be redesignated as an oil pool and Special Rules and Regulations reinstated. The case is scheduled for May 24 hearing.

Due to the short time between receipt of this notice and hearing date, we respectfully request a continuance of this hearing to on or about June 21, 1989. If this continuance is not to be granted, please let us know at your earliest convenience. Thank you for your consideration.

Very truly yours,

YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION

Randy G. Patterson  
Land Manager

RGP/mw

cc: Meridian Oil Inc.

MERIDIAN OIL

May 19, 1989

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Attention: Ms. Florene Davidson

RE: Case No. 9109

Dear Ms. Davidson:

In reference to your letter dated May 8, 1989 which calls for the reopening of Case No. 9109 scheduled for the May 24 hearing, Meridian respectfully requests a continuance. Due to the lack of sufficient preparation time, we request that the subject hearing be scheduled on or about June 21, 1989. If this continuance is not to be granted, please notify us at your earliest convenience. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

MERIDIAN OIL INC.



T. H. Oille  
Regional Reservoir Engineer

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June 28, 1989

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Mr. David Vandiver  
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Attorneys at Law  
Seventh and Mahone, Suite E  
Artesia, New Mexico

Re: CASE NO. 9109 (Reopened)  
ORDER NO. R-8446-A

Applicant:

OCD (Yates Petroleum Corporation)

Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith are two copies of the above-referenced Division order recently entered in the subject case.

Sincerely,

*Florene Davidson*

FLORENE DAVIDSON  
OC Staff Specialist

Copy of order also sent to:

Hobbs OCD           x            
Artesia OCD           x            
Aztec OCD                           

Other Thomas Kellahin