

**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. 12549

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OIL CONSERVATION DIV.

**APPLICATION OF YATES PETROLEUM
CORPORATION FOR APPROVAL OF
A UNIT AGREEMENT, LEA COUNTY,
NEW MEXICO .**

PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

This Pre-Hearing Statement is submitted by Campbell, Carr, Berge & Sheridan, P.A., as required by the Oil Conservation Division.

APPEARANCES OF PARTIES

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STATEMENT OF CASE

APPLICANT

Applicant in the above-styled cause seeks approval of the North Papalotes State Exploratory Unit for an area comprising 1600 acres more or less, of State lands in Sections 25, 26 and 36 of Township 14 South, Range 34 East, which is located approximately 10 miles northwest of Lovington, New Mexico.

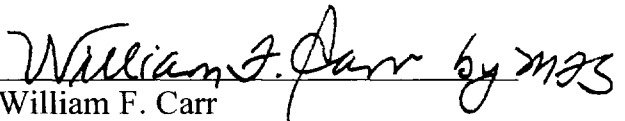
PROPOSED EVIDENCE

APPLICANT

WITNESSES (Name and Expertise)	ESTIMATED TIME	EXHIBITS
Robert Bullock (Landman)	Approx. 10 Minutes	5
Eric Cummins (Geology)	Approx. 10 Minutes	3

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

Yates Petroleum Corporation has none at this time.


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