# 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:

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

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#### PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

This Prehearing Statement is submitted by Holland & Hart, LLP as required by the Oil Conservation Division Rule 1208.B.

#### **APPEARANCES OF PARTIES**

#### **APPLICANT**

#### **ATTORNEY**

CASE NO. 12761

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## **STATEMENT OF CASE**

Yates Petroleum Corporation seeks approval of the Mocha State Unit for an area comprising 2880 acres of State of New Mexico lands in Sections 33, 34 and 35 of Township 12 South, Range 34 East, and Sections 2 and 11 of Township 13 South, Range 34 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico.

### PROPOSED EVIDENCE

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**WITNESS: ESTIMATED TIME: EXHIBITS** 

John Amiet (Geologist) Approx. 15 min. Approx. 6

# PROCEDURAL MATTERS

None at this time.

Attorney for Yates Petroleum Corporation