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October 25, 2005

Mr. Tim Gum Oil Conservation Division 1301 West Grand Avenue Artesia, NM 88210 GECEIVED GCT 3 I 2005 OCU-AMITESIA

Dear Mr. Gum:

Yates Petroleum Corporation respectfully requests a six month extension of time be allowed to accomplish closure of the following work-over pit:

WELL NAME	API NUMBER	SEC-	TWN	RNG
Carol VI Federal Com 1	30-005-62008	24	7S	22E

The extension is needed due to waiting on equipment.

Your attention to this matter is appreciated. Should you have any questions, you may contact Mike Stubblefield at 505-748-4500.

Sincerely,

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Mike Stubblefield Environmental Regulatory Agent

Extension Granted

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