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Response Required - Deadline Enclosed

Field Inspection Program "Preserving the Integrity of Our Environment"

NM OIL CONSERVATION

ARTESIA DISTRICT

SEP 3 0 2016

22-Sep-16

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YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION

105 S 4TH ST

ARTESIA NM 88210

LETTER OF VIOLATION - Inspection

Dear Operator:

The following inspection(s) indicate that the well, equipment, location or operational status of the well(s) failed to meet standards of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division as described in the detail section below. To comply with standards imposed by Rules and Regulations of the Division, corrective action must be taken immediately and the situation brought into compliance. The detail section indicates preliminary findings and/or probable nature of the violation. This determination is based on an inspection of your well or facility by an inspector employed by the Oil Conservation Division on the date(s) indicated.

Please notify the proper district office of the Division, in writing, of the date corrective actions are scheduled to be made so that arrangements can be made to reinspect the well and/or facility.

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WHITWORTH RU STATE No.003

M-12-9S-26E

30-005-62112-00-00

Inspection Date

Type Inspection

Inspector

Violation?

*Significant Non-Compliance?

Corrective Action Due By:

Inspection No.

09/22/2016 Routine/Periodic Gilbert Cordero

12/26/2016

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Well Sign (Rule 19.15.16.8). SIGN IS NOT LEGIBLE

assue has been taken care of on 9/28/16.