

District I
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240
District II
1301 W. Grand Avenue, Artesia, NM 88210
District III
1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410
District IV
1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

State of New Mexico
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources

Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Dr.
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Form C-144
March 12, 2004

For drilling and production facilities, submit to appropriate NMOCD District Office.
For downstream facilities, submit to Santa Fe office

Pit or Below-Grade Tank Registration or Closure

Is pit or below-grade tank covered by a "general plan"? Yes xx No ☐

Type of action: Registration of a pit or below-grade tank ☒ Closure of a pit or below-grade tank ☐

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DEBBIE COWAN

Operator: Yates Petroleum Corporation Telephone: (505) 748-4372 e-mail address: debbiec@ypcnm.com
Address: 105 South 4th Street, Artesia, NM 88210
Facility or well name: Saguaro AGS Federal Com. #15 API #: 30-015-33867 U/L or Qtr/Qtr E Sec 23 T 20S R 24E
County: Eddy Latitude _____ Longitude _____ NAD: 1927 ☐ 1983 ☐ Surface Owner - Federal ☒ State ☐ Private ☐ Indian ☐

Pit Type: Drilling <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Production <input type="checkbox"/> Disposal <input type="checkbox"/> Workover <input type="checkbox"/> Emergency <input type="checkbox"/> Lined <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unlined <input type="checkbox"/> Liner type: Synthetic <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Thickness <u>12 mil</u> Clay <input type="checkbox"/> Volume _____ bbl	Below-grade tank Volume: _____ bbl Type of fluid: _____ Construction material: _____ Double-walled, with leak detection? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> If not, explain why not. _____	
Depth to ground water (vertical distance from bottom of pit to seasonal high water elevation of ground water.)	Less than 50 feet	(20 points)
	50 feet or more, but less than 100 feet	(10 points)
	100 feet or more	(0 points)
Wellhead protection area: (Less than 200 feet from a private domestic water source, or less than 1000 feet from all other water sources.)	Yes	(20 points)
	No	(0 points)
Distance to surface water: (horizontal distance to all wetlands, playas, irrigation canals, ditches, and perennial and ephemeral watercourses.)	Less than 200 feet	(20 points)
	200 feet or more, but less than 1000 feet	(10 points)
	1000 feet or more	(0 points)
Ranking Score (Total Points)		10 Points

If this is a pit closure: (1) attach a diagram of the facility showing the pit's relationship to other equipment and tanks. (2) Indicate disposal location:

onsite ☐ offsite ☐ If offsite, name of facility _____ (3) Attach a general description of remedial action taken including remediation start date and end date. (4) Groundwater encountered: No ☐ Yes ☐ If yes, show depth below ground surface _____ ft. and attach sample results. (5) Attach soil sample results and a diagram of sample locations and excavations.

I hereby certify that the information above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. I further certify that the above-described pit or below-grade tank has been/will be constructed or closed according to NMOCD guidelines ☐, a general permit ☒, or an (attached) alternative OCD-approved plan ☐.

Date: February 09, 2005

Printed Name/Title Cy Cowan/Regulatory Agent

Signature

by Debbie L. Cowan

Your certification and NMOCD approval of this application/closure does not relieve the operator of liability should the contents of the pit or tank contaminate ground water or otherwise endanger public health or the environment. Nor does it relieve the operator of its responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, or local laws and/or regulations.

Approval:

Date:

FEB 10 2005

Printed Name/Title

Signature

[Signature]

N.M. Oil Cons. DIV-Dist. 2
1301 W. Grand Avenue
Artesia, NM 88210

earthen pits are used in
association with the drilling of this
well, an OCD pit permit must be
obtained prior to pit construction

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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ODD-ARTESIA

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL OR REENTER

OMB No. 1004-0136

Expires November 30, 2000

5. Lease Serial No.

NM-043625

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

Not Applicable

7. If Unit or CA Agreement, Name and No.

12710

8. Lease Name and Well No.

Saguaro AGS Federal Com. #15

9. API Well No.

30-015-33867

10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory

S. Dagger Draw Upper Penn.

11. Sec., T., R., M., or BLM Survey or Area

15475

Section 23, T20S-R24E

12. County or Parish

Eddy

13. State

NM

1a. Type of Work: ☒ DRILL ☐ REENTER

b. Type of Well: ☒ Oil Well ☐ Gas Well ☐ Other ☐ Single Zone ☐ Multiple Zone

2. Name of Operator

Yates Petroleum Corporation

3A. Address 105 South Fourth Street

Artesia, New Mexico 88210

3b. Phone No. (include area code)

(505) 748-1471

4. Location of Well (Report location clearly and in accordance with any State requirements. *)

At surface

1780' FNL and 660' FWL; Unit Letter E

At proposed prod. Zone

same as above

14. Distance in miles and direction from nearest town or post office*

Approximately 31 miles SW of Artesia, New Mexico

15. Distance from proposed*

location to nearest
property or lease line, ft.
(Also to nearest drig. unit line, if any)

660'

16. No. of Acres in lease

17. Spacing Unit dedicated to this well

320

18. Distance from proposed*
to nearest well, drilling, completed,
applied for, on this lease, ft.

19. Proposed Depth

8200'

20. BLM/BIA Bond No. on file

585997

21. Elevations (Show whether DF, KDB, RT, GL, etc.)

3649' GL

22. Approximate date work will start*

ASAP

23. Estimated duration

30 Days

24. Attachments

CARLSBAD CONTROLLED WATER BASIN

The following, completed in accordance with the requirements of Onshore Oil and Gas Order No. 1, shall be attached to this form:

1. Well plat certified by a registered surveyor.

2. A Drilling Plan.

3. A Surface Use Plan (if the location is on National Forest System Lands, the
SUPO shall be filed with the appropriate Forest Service Office.

4. Bond to cover the operations unless covered by an existing bond on file (see
Item 20 above).

5. Operator certification.

6. Such other site specific information and/or plans as may be required by the
authorized office.

25. Signature

Cy Cowan

Name (Printed/Typed)

Cy Cowan

(505) 748-4372

Date

7/28/04

Email: debbiec@ypcnm.com

Title: Regulatory Agent / Land Department

Approved by (Signature)

/s/ Joe G. Lara

Name (Printed/Typed)

/s/ Joe G. Lara

Date

18 SEP 2004

Title

FIELD MANAGER

Office

CARLSBAD FIELD OFFICE

Application approval does not warrant or certify that the applicant holds legal or equitable title to those rights in the subject lease which would entitle the applicant to conduct
operations thereon.

Conditions of approval, if any, are attached.

APPROVAL FOR 1 YEAR

Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001 and Title 43 U.S.C. Section 1212, make it a crime for any person knowingly and willfully to make to any department or agency of the United
States any false, fictitious or fraudulent statements or representations as to any matter within its jurisdiction.

*(Instructions on reverse)

APPROVAL SUBJECT TO
GENERAL REQUIREMENTS
AND SPECIAL STIPULATIONS
ATTACHED

Witness Surface Casing