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Mr. Chris Beadle
Inspector
New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department
Oil Conservation Division
District 2
1301 W. Grand
Artesia, New Mexico 88210

Subject:

Notice of Violation – Inspection #iCLB0522840819

Yates Energy Corporation

Lonesome Dove Federal No. 001

API #30-015-26072

The violations mentioned in your letter of August 16, 2005 will be corrected as follows:

A new well sign has been made and will be in place sometime during The day on September 19, 2005.

A letter stating that the above actions have been completed will be sent to your office.

Truly yours,

Sheryl L. Jonas

Agent for Yates Energy Corp.

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NOTICE OF VIOL

16-Aug-05

YATES ENERGY CORP

PO BOX 2323

ROSWELL NM 88202

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.

INSPECTION DETAIL SECTION

LONESOME DOVE FEDERAL No.001

N-26-23S-23E

30-015-26072-00-00

Inspection

Date

Type Inspection

Inspector

*Significant

Corrective

Inspection No.

08/16/2005

Routine/Periodic

Violation?

Non-Compliance?

Action Due By:

Chris Beadle

this is New Mexico

Yes

No

9/16/2005

iCLB0522840819

Violations

weil Identification Signs (Rule 103)

Comments on Inspection:

Well sign is not legible. Please contact NMOCD District 2 Office when well sign is corrected.

Well # 001 LONESOME DORE Federal

YAKES ENERGY CORPORATION
600'FSL+1810'FWL UNITLEHER N dec 26, T-23-5, R-23-E

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ADI # 30-015-26072-00-00

AUG 2 2 2005

Bill to YATES ENERGY COT, 900'Briant & ASSECT P.O. BOX 10487 Midland, 7x 7970

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In the event that a satisfactory response is not received to this letter of direction by the "Corrective Action Due By:" date shown above, further enforcement will occur. Such enforcement may include this office applying to the Division for an order summoning you to a hearing before a Divison Examiner in Santa Fe to show cause why you should not be ordered to permanently plug and abandon this well. Such a hearing may result in imposition of CIVIL PENALTIES for your violation of OCD rules.

Sincerely.

Artesia OCD District Office

Note: Information in Detail Section comes directly from field inspector data entries - not all blanks will contain data.

*Significant Non-Compliance events are reported directly to the EPA. Region VI. Dallas, Texas.