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O. C. D. ARTESIA, OFFICE

Yates Petroleum Corporation 207 South Fourth Street Artesia, New Mexico 88210

Attention: Gliserio "Rod" Rodriguez

Administrative Order NSL-1398

Gentlemen:

Reference is made to your application for a non-standard location for your McClellan "MB" Federal Well No. 3 to be located 1100 feet from the North line and 1980 feet from the West line of Section 31, Township 5 South, Range 25 East, NMPM, Abo zone, Chaves County, New Mexico.

By authority granted me under the provisions of Rule 104 F of the Division Rules and Regulations, the above-described unorthodox location is hereby approved.

Sincerely,

JOE D. RAMEY, Director

JDR/RLS/dr

cc: Oil Conservation Division - Artesia Oil & Gas Engineering Committee - Hobbs U. S. Geological Survey - Artesia