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OIL CON. DIV.  
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Mr. T. R. Kreager  
Area Manager  
Bureau of Land Management  
Roswell Resource Area  
P. O. Box 1857  
Roswell, New Mexico 88202

Re: 3100 (06680); NMNM 36379; SDR 95-008;  
3165.3 (93200); Order dated May 15, 1995, by  
the Roswell Resource Area of the Bureau of Land  
Management to Yates Petroleum Corporation

Dear Mr. Kreager:

By Decision dated August 29, 1995 (a copy of which is enclosed for your convenience), the Deputy State Director of the New Mexico State Office of the Bureau of Land Management upheld that certain Order contained in a letter dated May 15, 1995, from Earl E. Smith, acting for T. R. Kreager, Area Manager of the Roswell Resource Area, to Yates Petroleum Corporation. Yates Petroleum Corporation owns the majority of the record title interest in United States Oil and Gas Leases NM 20328 and NM 36707. The Tommy Federal No. 1 Well is located on Oil and Gas Lease NM 20328 in SE 1/4 SE 1/4 Section 24, Township 9 South, Range 22 East, N.M.P.M., Chaves County, New Mexico, and the Eddelman Federal No. 2 Well is located on Oil and Gas Lease NM 36707 in SW 1/4 NE 1/4 Section 9, Township 7 South, Range 22 East, N.M.P.M., Chaves County, New Mexico.

As required by the Decision of August 29, 1995, this letter will serve as the request of Yates Petroleum Corporation, as record title holder of NM 20328 and NM 36707, that Yates Petroleum Corporation be assigned as the new operator for the Tommy Federal No. 1 Well and the Eddelman Federal No. 2 Well located on the above-described lands. Abo Petroleum Corporation, Myco Industries, Inc. and Yates Drilling Company, which also hold record title interests in the leases, concur in this

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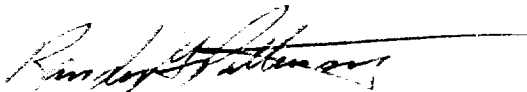
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request. Yates Petroleum Corporation has in force an approved nationwide bond to cover operations on federal oil and gas leases.

Please contact me if you should require anything further in order to approve Yates Petroleum Corporation as the operator of these two wells.

Very truly yours,

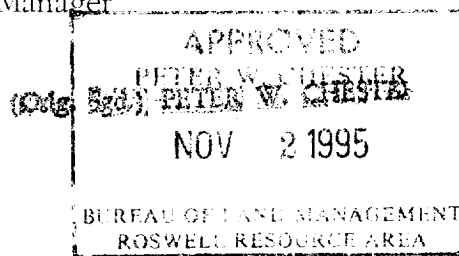
YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION



Randy G. Patterson  
Land Manager

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cc: Bechtel Energy Partners  
Texaco Exploration and Producing, Inc.



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