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October 27, 2006

Oil Conservation Division 1625 N. French Drive Hobbs, NM 88240

Dear Sir

Yates Petroleum Corporation respectfully requests an extension period in order to accomplish closure of the following workover pit:

WELL NAME	API NUMBER	SEC-TWN-RNG
Dempster State Unit 1	30-025-36077	30 - 11S - 36E

The extension is requested due to waiting on equipment.

Your attention to this matter is appreciated. Should you have any questions, you may contact me at 505-748-4500.

Sincerely,

Mike Stubblefield **Environmental Regulatory Agent**

MIKE,

YOUR EXTENSION IS GRANTED UNTIL 4-30-06. Hay W. Wink