

February 15, 2002

David Catanach
State of New Mexico
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
2040 S. Pacheco Street
Santa Fe, NM 87505-5472

Dear Mr. Catanach,

Yates Petroleum Corporation hereby seeks administrative approval to downhole commingle the production from Big Dog Atoka, Undesignated Morrow and Undesignated Chester pools in our Big Bear "ATN" No. 2 located in Unit L of Section 29, Township 15 South, Range 35 East, Lea County.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please call me at (505) 748-4281. Thank you.

Sincerely,



Sam Brandon
Operations Engineer

GSB/cm

Enclosures

