Form 3160-5 (June 1990)

#### **UNITED STATES** DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR **BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT**

### I. OIL CONS. COMMISSION P.O. BOX 1980 HOBBS NEW MEXICO 88240

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Budget Bur	cau No.	1004-0135	
Expires:	March	31, 1993	

5.	Lease	Designation	and	Serial	No.	_
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SUNDRY NOTICES  Do not use this form for proposals to de  Use "APPLICATION FO	6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name		
SUBMIT	7. If Unit or CA, Agreement Designation		
1 Type of Well    X Oil   Gas   Other  2 Name of Operator	8910115660  8. Well Name and No.  Young Unit #26		
YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION	(505) 748-1471)	9. API Well No.	
3 Address and Telephone No. 105 South 4th St., Artesia,	30-025-00861  10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area		
4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey I. 330 FSI. & 990 FEL of Section	Young Queen H. County or Parish, State		
CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX	(s) TO INDICATE NATURE OF NOTICE, REPO	Lea Co., NM RT, OR OTHER DATA	
TYPE OF SUBMISSION	TYPE OF ACTION	1	
X Notice of Intent Subsequent Report	Abandonment Recompletion Plugging Back	Change of Plans New Construction Non-Routine Fracturing	
Final Abandonment Notice	Casing Repair Altering Casing Other	Water Shut-Off Conversion to Injection Dispose Water (Note: Report results of multiple completion on Well Completion or Recompletion Report and Log form)	
give subsurface locations and measured and true verting Plugging procedure discussed and Joe Lara w/BLM in Carlsb.	all pertinent details, and give pertinent dates, including estimated date of startin ical depths for all markers and zones pertinent to this work.)  between Rex Gates, engineer with Yate and on July 25, 1995. Propose to plug	g any proposed work. If well is directionally drilled, es Petroleum Corporation and abandon as follows	
4. Set a 100' cement plug a		Tag plug.	

NOTIFY BLM-CARLSBAD (505-887-6544) 24 HOURS PRIOR TO COMMENCING PLUGGING OPERATIONS

7. Set a 100' cement plug across the 8-5/8" stub. WOC. Tag plug. 8. Set a 50' cement plug at surface.

6. Cut and pull 8-5/8" casing.

Install regulation abandonment marker.

14. I hereby certify	that the for	rgoing is true ar	d correct	Title	Production Clerk		Date July 25, 1995	
(This space for Approved by _ Conditions of a	(OR	Gate office use)  IG. SGD.  ny: See	) JOE G.	LARA Title_	PETROLEUM E	NGINEER	Date 7/31/95	

Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001, makes it a crime for any person knowingly and willfully to make to any department or agency of the United States any false, fictitious or fraudulent statements or representations as to any matter within its jurisdiction.

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## BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT CARLSBAD RESOURCE AREA

#### Permanent Abandonment of Wells on Federal Lands

#### Conditions of Approval

- 1. <u>Approval:</u> Plugging operations shall commence within 90 days from the approval date of plugging procedure.
- 2. <u>Notification:</u> Contact the appropriate BLM office at least 24 hours prior to the commencing of any plugging operations. For wells in Eddy County call (505)887-6544; for wells in Lea County call (505) 393-3612.
- 3. <u>Blowout Preventers:</u> A blowout preventer (BOP), as appropriate, shall be installed before commencing any plugging operation. The minimum BOP requirement is a 2M system for a well not deeper than 9,090 feet; a 3M system for a well not deeper than 13,636 feet; and a 5M system for a well not deeper than 22,727 feet.
- 4. <u>Mud Requirement:</u> Mud shall be placed between all plugs. Minimum consistency of plugging mud shall be obtained by mixing at the rate of 25 sacks (50 pounds each) of gel per 100 barrels of water. Minimum nine (9) pounds per gallon.
- 5. <u>Cement Requirement:</u> Sufficient cement shall be used to bring any required plug to the specified depth and length. Any given cement volumes on the proposed plugging procedure are merely estimates and are not final.

Unless otherwise specified in the approved procedure, the cement plug shall consist of either class "C", for up to 7,500 feet of depth, mixed at 14.8 lbs./gal. with 6.3 gallons of fresh water per sack or class "H", for deeper than 7,500 feet plugs, mixed at 16.4 lbs./gal. with 4.3 gallons of fresh water per sack.

- 6. <u>Dry Hole Marker:</u> All casing shall be cut-off at the base of the cellar or 3 feet below final restored ground level (whichever is deeper). The well bore shall then be capped with a 4-inch pipe, 10-feet in length, 4 feet above ground and embedded in cement. The following information shall be permanently inscribed on the dry hole marker: Well name and number, the name of the operator, the lease serial number, the surveyed location (the quarter-quarter section, section, township and range or other authorized survey designation acceptable to the authorized officer; such as metes and bounds).
- 7. <u>Subsequent Plugging Reporting:</u> Within 30 days after plugging work is completed, file one original and five copies of the Subsequent Report of Abandonment, Form 3160-5 to BLM. The report should give in detail the manner in which the plugging work was carried out, the extent (by depths) of cement plugs placed, and the size and location (by depths) of casing left in the well. Show <u>date</u> well was plugged.

Following the submittal and approval of the Subsequent Report of Abandonment, surface restoration conditions of approval will be developed and furnished to you.

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