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Mr. Jerry Sexton, Supervisor
New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission
Box 1980
Hobbs, New Mexico 88240

Re: Application for Permit to Drill in
Hillburn City Area
Township 14 South, Range 36 East, NMPM
Section 20: $W\frac{1}{2}$
Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Jerry:

Yates Petroleum Corporation would like to withdraw their application for permit to drill in the Northwest of Section 20, Township 14 South, Range 36 East. This request is conditional upon the simultaneous withdrawal of the Adobe APD for their well in the northeast of Section 20, T14S-R36E.

Our thanks for your assistance in this request.

Very truly yours,

Jack W. McCaw
Land Department

By: Budd H. Hebert

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