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3162.3-1 (067) NM-NM-14328 July 7-13-94

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Yates Petroleum Corporation Attn: Clifton R. May 105 South Fourth Street Artesia, New Mexico 88210

Gentlemen:

Your Application for Permit to Drill (APD), the Anita "ALD" Federal Well No. 4 , 660 feet F NL and 1980 feet F WL, Section 17, T. 21 S., R. 32 E., Lea County, New Mexico, Lease No. NM- $_{\rm NM-14328}$, has expired because drilling has not commenced within one year of approval as stated in the General Requirements for Oil and Gas Operations on Federal Leases.

If construction activities have occurred on the referenced drill site, please contact this office at (505) 887-6544 for surface restoration instructions.

If you wish to drill this well at some later date, please refile your application.

Sincerely,

Timothy P. O'Srian

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