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Subject: Eddy County, New Mexico
Henshaw Deep Unit
Non-Commercial Status and
Development Plans

Director
United States Geological Survey
Department of the Interior
Washington 25, D. C.

Through: Regional Director
United States Geological Survey
Roswell, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

This is to inform you that Henshaw Deep Unit Well No. 1 is now off production after having depleted the Devonian gas reservoir at 11,680 to 11,690 feet. The well, completed on July 28, 1960, produced a cumulative total of 90 mmmcf gas and 2780 barrels of condensate. We now plan to re-complete this well in a Pennsylvanian porous interval and test for production. If a successful producer is obtained we will file a plan of development within six months as required by the unit agreement. In the event commercial production is not established, we plan to drill a second well by January 28, 1961 (six months from official completion date.)

Since commercial production has not been established in Well No. 1 in the Devonian zone a plan of development has not as yet been submitted.

Yours very truly,

Original Signed By:

R. L. Rankin

R. L. Rankin, Chairman
Operators' Committee
Henshaw Deep Unit