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April 3, 1980

W. H. McKinley
3109 Diamond A Drive
Roswell, New Mexico 88201

Gentlemen:

W. H. MCKINLEY
McKinley Fed No. 3
660 FNL 1980 FEL Sec. 1 T.17S R.30E
Eddy County Lease No. LC 029339-B

Above Data Required on Well Sign

Your APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL the above-described well to a depth of 3,300 feet to test the San Andres formation is hereby approved subject to compliance with the OIL AND GAS OPERATING REGULATIONS (30 CFR 221) and the following conditions:

1. Drilling operations authorized are subject to compliance with the GENERAL REQUIREMENTS FOR OIL AND GAS OPERATIONS ON FEDERAL LEASES, dated July 1, 1978.
2. Prior to commencing construction of road, pad, or other associated developments, operator will provide the dirt contractor with a copy of the SURFACE USE PLAN and this approval including the GENERAL REQUIREMENTS.
3. All access roads will be limited to a 12 foot wide driving surface, excluding turnarounds. Surface disturbance associated with road construction will be limited to 20 feet in width.
4. Submit a Daily Report of Operations from spud date until the Well Completion Report (form 9-330) is filed. The progress report should be not less than 8" x 5" in size and each page should identify the well.
5. All permanent above-ground structures and equipment shall be painted in accordance with the attached Painting Requirements. The color used should simulate Sandstone Brown (Federal Standard No. 595A, color 20318 or 30318).
6. Notify the Survey by telephone 24 hours prior to spudding well.
7. Cement behind the 8-5/8" casing must be circulated.
8. Please have anyone contacting the Survey in regard to this well to identify the well with all of the information required above for the well sign.

Sincerely yours,

George H. Stewart
Acting District Engineer