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ARTESIA OFFICE

Mr. Paul F. Maskins
801 1st. National Bank Bldg.
Midland, Texas

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to your Notice of Intention to Drill dated October 27, 1960, covering your No. 3 Southern well in the NE 1/4 sec. 30, T. 19 S., R. 31 E., N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico, on Lease New Mexico 06814 which contains the "Potash Stipulation".

Pursuant to authority delegated by the Director, U. S. Geological Survey on June 7, 1960, I hereby approve the Notice of Intention to Drill the above described well to a depth of approximately 2300 feet to test the Yates formation. Please notify the District Engineer, U. S. Geological Survey, P. O. Box 187, Artesia, New Mexico, in sufficient time for a representative to witness all cementing operations.

Very truly yours,

(Orig. Sgd) JOHN A. ANDERSON

JOHN A. ANDERSON
Regional Oil and Gas Supervisor

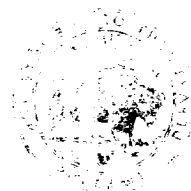
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