

Lonnie J. Buck

PRINCIPAL

901 N. Jefferson, Hobbs, New Mexico

Address

By

Lonnie J. Buck
Signature

Title

(Note: Principal, if corporation, affix corporate seal here.)

Hartford Accident & Indemnity Company

SURETY

P.O. Box 1258, Hobbs, New Mexico 88240

Address

By

Pat Cargile
Pat Cargile Attorney-in-Fact

(Note: Corporate surety affix corporate seal here.)

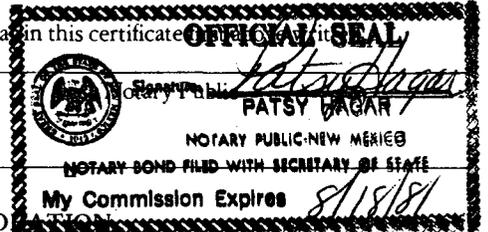
ACKNOWLEDGEMENT FORM FOR NATURAL PERSONS

STATE OF New Mexico
COUNTY OF Lea) ss.

On this 22nd day of March, 19 79, before me personally appeared Lonnie J. Buck, to me known to be the person (persons) described in and who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged that he (they) executed the same as his (their) free act and deed.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal on the day and year in this certificate first above written.

My Commission expires



ACKNOWLEDGEMENT FORM FOR CORPORATE SURETY

STATE OF _____)
COUNTY OF _____) ss.

On this _____ day of _____, 19_____, before me personally appeared _____, to me personally known who, being by me duly sworn, did say that he is _____ and that the foregoing instrument was signed and sealed on behalf of said corporation by authority of its board of directors, and acknowledged said instrument to be the free act and deed of said corporation.

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Notary Public

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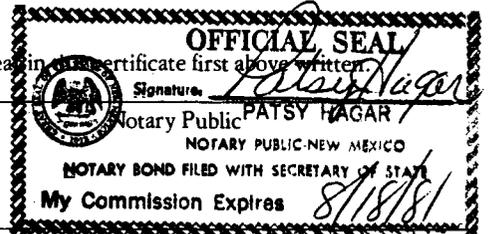
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APPROVED BY:

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF NEW MEXICO

By

James W. Pomeroy

Date

HARTFORD ACCIDENT AND INDEMNITY COMPANY

Hartford, Connecticut

POWER OF ATTORNEY

Know all men by these Presents, That the HARTFORD ACCIDENT AND INDEMNITY COMPANY, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Connecticut, and having its principal office in the City of Hartford, County of Hartford, State of Connecticut, does hereby make, constitute and appoint

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its true and lawful Attorney(s)-in-Fact, with full power and authority to each of said Attorney(s)-in-Fact, in their separate capacity if more than one is named above, to sign, execute and acknowledge any and all bonds and undertakings and other writings obligatory in the nature thereof on behalf of the company in its business of guaranteeing the fidelity of persons holding places of public or private trust; guaranteeing the performance of contracts other than insurance policies; guaranteeing the performance of insurance contracts where surety bonds are accepted by states and municipalities, and executing or guaranteeing bonds and undertakings required or permitted in all actions or proceedings or by law allowed.

and to bind the HARTFORD ACCIDENT AND INDEMNITY COMPANY thereby as fully and to the same extent as if such bonds and undertakings and other writings obligatory in the nature thereof were signed by an Executive Officer of the HARTFORD ACCIDENT AND INDEMNITY COMPANY and sealed and attested by one other of such Officers, and hereby ratifies and confirms all that its said Attorney(s)-in-Fact may do in pursuance hereof.

This power of attorney is granted by and under authority of the following provisions:

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ARTICLE IV

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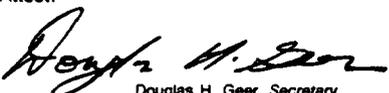
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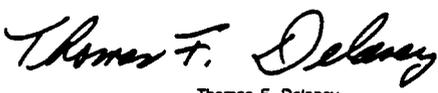
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Now, therefore, the signatures of such Officers and the seal of the Company may be affixed to any such power of attorney or to any certificate relating thereto by facsimile, and any such power of attorney or certificate bearing such facsimile signatures or facsimile seal shall be valid and binding upon the Company and any such power so executed and certified by facsimile signatures and facsimile seal shall be valid and binding upon the Company in the future with respect to any bond or undertaking to which it is attached.

In Witness Whereof, the HARTFORD ACCIDENT AND INDEMNITY COMPANY has caused these presents to be signed by its Assistant Vice-President, and its corporate seal to be hereto affixed, duly attested by its Secretary, this 9th day of August, 1976.

Attest:
HARTFORD ACCIDENT AND INDEMNITY COMPANY

Douglas H. Geer, Secretary


Thomas F. Delaney
Assistant Vice-President

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 } ss.
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 } ss.
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Gloria Mazotas, Notary Public
My Commission Expires March 31, 1978

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Signed and sealed at the City of Hartford. Dated the 22nd day of March 19 79

Form S-3507-6 Printed in U.S.A.

John E. Lukens
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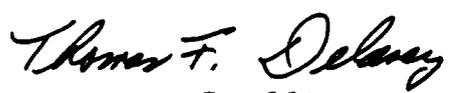
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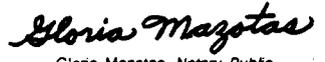

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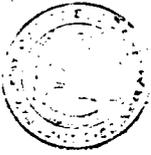
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ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

BRUCE KING
GOVERNOR

LARRY KEHOE
SECRETARY

March 27, 1979

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SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87501
(505) 827-2434

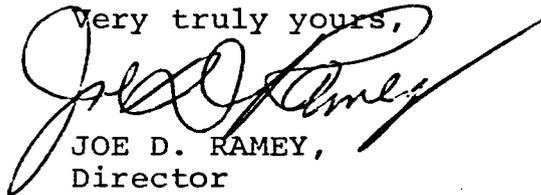
Daniels Insurance
P. O. Box 1258
Hobbs, New Mexico 88240

Re: \$5,000 One-Well Plugging Bond
Lonnie J. Buck, Principal
Hartford Accident & Indemnity
Company, Surety
990' FWL and 2310' FSL of
Sec. 25, T-25-S, R-36-E,
Lea County, Depth: 3,500 ft.
Bond No. 4397551

Gentlemen:

The Oil Conservation Division hereby approves
the above-captioned one-well plugging bond.

Very truly yours,



JOE D. RAMEY,
Director

JDR/LT/dr

cc: Oil Conservation Division
Hobbs, New Mexico

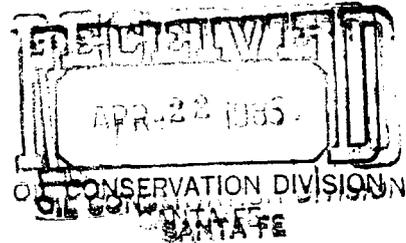
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April 18, 1985

State of New Mexico
Energy & Minerals Department
Oil Conservation Division
P O Box 2088
Santa Fe NM 87501

Re: \$5,000.00 One-well plugging bond--Lonnie J. Buck, Principal
Hartford Accident and Indemnity Company, Surety,
660 feet FNL1980FEL, NW1/4/NE1/4, Sec. 7, T-19-S, R-37-E,
Lea County, Bond #RN4397598

\$5,000.00 One-well plugging bond--Lonnie J. Buck, Principal
Hartford Accident and Indemnity Company, Surety, SW1/4, SW1/4,
660 feet FWL, 670 feet, FSL, Sec. 25, T-25-S, R-36-E,
Lea County, Bond #RN4397560

\$5,000.00 One-well plugging bond--Lonnie J. Buck, Principal
Hartford Accident and Indemnity Company, Surety, 990 feet,
FWL, 2,310 feet, FSL, NW corner of SW 1/4, Sec. 25, T-25-S,
R-36-E, Lea County, Bond #RN4397551

Gentlemen:

Please advise if we can obtain the releases of the above-captioned
bonds. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Kay Ponder

KP/ljm



TONEY ANAYA
GOVERNOR

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

April 29, 1985

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SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87501
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Daniels Insurance Co.
P. O. Box 1258
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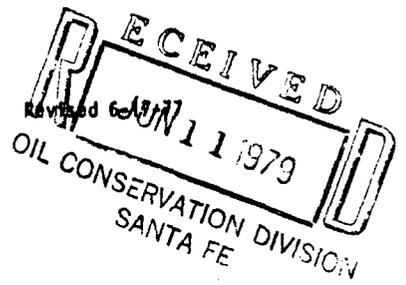
Dear Ms. Ponder:

I have received your request for cancellation of this bond also. This bond cannot be released either and I would suggest contacting Melba Carpenter in the Hobbs district office as to the explanation.

If there is anything I can do to be of assistance, please advise.

Sincerely,

DIANE RICHARDSON
Administrative Secretary



STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ONE-WELL PLUGGING BOND

FOR CHAVES, EDDY, LEA, MCKINLEY, RIO ARRIBA, ROOSEVELT, SANDOVAL, AND SAN JUAN COUNTIES ONLY

BOND NO. 4397560 (For Use of Surety Company)

AMOUNT OF BOND \$5,000.00

COUNTY Lea

NOTE: For wells less than 5,000 feet deep, the minimum bond is \$5,000.00*
For wells 5,000 feet to 10,000 feet deep, the minimum bond is \$7,500.00*
For wells more than 10,000 feet deep, the minimum bond is \$10,000.00

*Under certain conditions, a well being drilled under a \$5,000.00 or \$7,500.00 bond may be permitted to be drilled as much as 500 feet deeper than the normal maximum depth, i.e., a well being drilled under a \$5,000.00 bond may be permitted to go to 5,499 feet, and a well being drilled under a \$7,500.00 bond may be permitted to go to 10,500 feet.

File with Oil Conservation Commission, P. O. Box 2088, Santa Fe 87501

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That Lonnie J. Buck (An individual) ... as PRINCIPAL, and Hartford Accident & Indemnity Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Connecticut ... as SURETY, are held firmly bound unto the State of New Mexico, for the use and benefit of the Oil Conservation Commission of New Mexico pursuant to Section 65-3-11, New Mexico Statutes Annotated, 1953 Compilation, as amended, in the sum of Five Thousand and no/100----- Dollars lawful money of the United States, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made, said PRINCIPAL and SURETY hereby bind themselves, their successors and assigns, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

The conditions of this obligation are such that:

WHEREAS, The above principal has heretofore or may hereafter enter into oil and gas leases, or carbon dioxide (CO2) gas leases, or helium gas leases with the State of New Mexico; and

WHEREAS, The above principal has heretofore or may hereafter enter into oil and gas leases, or carbon dioxide (CO2) gas leases, or helium gas leases on lands patented by the United States of America to private individuals, and on lands otherwise owned by private individuals; and

WHEREAS, The above principal, individually, or in association with one or more other parties, has commenced or may commence the drilling of one well not to exceed a depth of 3325 feet, to prospect for and produce oil or gas, or carbon dioxide (CO2) gas or helium gas, or does own or may acquire, own or operate such well, or such well started by others on land embraced in said State oil and gas leases, or carbon dioxide (CO2) leases, or helium gas leases, and on land patented by the United States of America to private individuals, and on land otherwise owned by private individuals, the identification and location of said well being SW 1/4, SW 1/4, 660' from West Line, 670' from South Line Section 25, Township 25 (North), Range 36 (East), N.M.P.M. (Here state exact legal subdivision by 40-acre tract or lot) Lea County, New Mexico.

NOW, THEREFORE, If the above bounden principal and surety or either of them or their successors or assigns, or any of them, shall plug said well when dry or when abandoned in accordance with the rules, regulations, and orders of the Oil Conservation Commission of New Mexico in such way as to confine the oil, gas, and water in the strata in which they are found, and to prevent them from escaping into other strata;

THEN, THEREFORE, This obligation shall be null and void; otherwise and in default of complete compliance with any and all of said obligations, the same shall remain in full force and effect.

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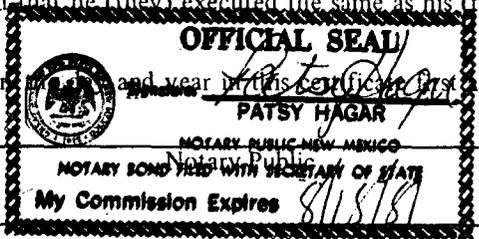
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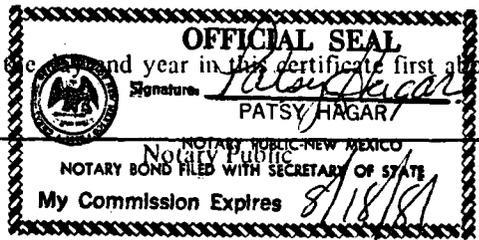
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Now, therefore, the signatures of such Officers and the seal of the Company may be affixed to any such power of attorney or to any certificate relating thereto by facsimile, and any such power of attorney or certificate bearing such facsimile signatures or facsimile seal shall be valid and binding upon the Company and any such power so executed and certified by facsimile signatures and facsimile seal shall be valid and binding upon the Company in the future with respect to any bond or undertaking to which it is attached.

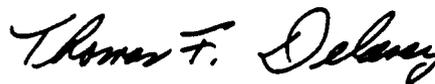
In Witness Whereof, the HARTFORD ACCIDENT AND INDEMNITY COMPANY has caused these presents to be signed by its Assistant Vice-President, and its corporate seal to be hereto affixed, duly attested by its Secretary, this 9th day of August, 1976.

Attest:

HARTFORD ACCIDENT AND INDEMNITY COMPANY


Douglas H. Geer, Secretary




Thomas F. Delaney
Assistant Vice-President

STATE OF CONNECTICUT, }
COUNTY OF HARTFORD, } ss.

On this 9th day of August, A.D. 1976, before me personally came Thomas F. Delaney, to me known, who being by me duly sworn, did depose and say: that he resides in the County of Hartford, State of Connecticut; that he is the Assistant Vice-President of the HARTFORD ACCIDENT AND INDEMNITY COMPANY, the corporation described in and which executed the above instrument; that he knows the seal of the said corporation; that the seal affixed to the said instrument is such corporate seal; that it was so affixed by order of the Board of Directors of said corporation and that he signed his name thereto by like order.

STATE OF CONNECTICUT, }
COUNTY OF HARTFORD, } ss.




Gloria Mazotas, Notary Public
My Commission Expires March 31, 1978

CERTIFICATE

I, the undersigned, Assistant Secretary of the HARTFORD ACCIDENT AND INDEMNITY COMPANY, a Connecticut Corporation, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing and attached POWER OF ATTORNEY remains in full force and has not been revoked; and furthermore, that Article IV, Sections 8 and 11, of the By-Laws of the Company, and the Resolutions of the Board of Directors, set forth in the Power of Attorney, are now in force.

Signed and sealed at the City of Hartford. Dated the _____ day of _____ 19




John E. Lukens
Assistant Secretary

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SW/4 SW/4 of Sec. 25, T-25-S, R-36-E,
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Bond No. 4397560

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Should you have any questions on this, please call Melba Carpenter in the Hobbs office at 393-6161.

Sincerely,

DIANE RICHARDSON
Administrative Secretary

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Gentlemen:

The Oil Conservation Division hereby approves the
above-captioned one-well plugging bond.

Very truly yours,

JOE D. RAMEY,
Director

JDR/ELP/dr

cc: Oil Conservation Division
Hobbs, New Mexico

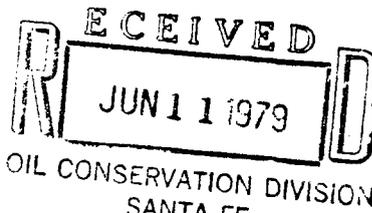
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901 N. Jefferson
Hobbs, New Mexico 88240

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June 7, 1979

Oil Conservation Commission
P. O. Box 2088
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Re: Lonnie J. Buck - One Well Plugging Bond
No. 4397560 - Hartford Accident and Indemnity
Company

Gentlemen:

Please find enclosed the above captioned bond for filing. I trust you will find everything in order.

Should you have any questions, please advise.

Yours truly,

Patsy Hagar

PH:kh

Enclosure: as stated.