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APPLICATION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME FOR COMMENCEMENT OF TEST WELL

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TO THE DIRECTOR OF THE UNITED STATES GEOLOGICAL SURVEY:

Stanolind Oil and Gas Company, as Unit Operator of the Unit Agreement for the Development and Operation of the Polecat Canyon Unit Area, County of Chaves, State of New Mexico, has heretofore completed the first test well referred to in Article 9 of said Unit Agreement, such well being a dry hole. The said Unit Operator is now obligated to commence the drilling of an additional Siluro-Devonian test well on the unit area on or before May 13, 1953; however, further study is being made of this area and Unit Operator believes that a reasonable extension of time for the commencement of such additional test well would be proper.

Premises considered, Stanolind Oil and Gas Company, Unit Operator under the Polecat Canyon Unit Agreement, hereby makes application to the Director of the United States Geological Survey, pursuant to Article 9 of said Unit Agreement, for an extension of six months for the commencement of the additional test well hereinabove referred to, so that said test well shall be commenced on or before November 13, 1953. A similar application has been filed with the Commissioner of Public Lands of the State of New Mexico and the Oil Conservation Commission of the State of New Mexico.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this application is hereby made this 29th day of April, 1953.

ATTEST:

[Signature]
Assistant Secretary

STANOLIND OIL AND GAS COMPANY
Unit Operator of the Polecat Canyon
Unit Agreement

BY [Signature]
Attorney-in-Fact

APPROVED
[Signature]

The foregoing application is hereby approved this _____ day of _____, 1953, and the time for the commencement of the test well referred to in the foregoing application is hereby extended to November 13, 1953.

DIRECTOR OF THE UNITED STATES
GEOLOGICAL SURVEY

MAY 29 1953
Date Approved.....

BY _____

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Director, U. S. Geological Survey