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October 19, 1956

New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission P. O. Box 871 Santa Fe, New Mexico

Attention Mr. Daniel S. Nutter

McDaniel Investment Company HMB #1 NE/4 NE/4 Section 36, T 25 N, R 18 E, NMPM, Colfax County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

Thank you for your letter of October 11, 1956, enclosing approved copies of Forms C-102 and C-103.

Our HMB Well #1 has approximately 46 feet of fish in the hole at 657 feet. We fished approximately ten days in an effort to recover the fish and then attempted to sidetrack about 37 feet below the top of the fish, but have been unable to recover it. We have temporarily suspended operations and will advise you of our further decision shortly.

Very truly yours, Aries R. Toledges

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