



# United States Department of the Interior

GEOLOGICAL SURVEY  
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Durango, Colorado 81301

302-247-5144

October 16, 1978

Paul E. Haskins  
P. O. Box 4621  
Midland, Texas 79702

Dear Mr. Haskins:

As Designated Operator of Federal lease NM-2194, you have advised by letter dated October 9, 1978, that Permian Basin Petroleum Corporation, record lessee and bonded principal, has advised you that necessary funds to plug the No. 1 Federal 17 well located on subject lease will be obtained within 45 days.

Your request for a 60 day delay in plugging of the well is hereby approved by this office. However, since the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division has ordered the plugging of this well, it is suggested that you obtain concurrence from that Agency.

Sincerely yours,

(Orig. Sgd.) J. W. LONG  
Jerry W. Long  
District Engineer

cc: Continental Casualty Company  
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45 days = Dec 1, 1978  
60 days = Dec 15, 1978