

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

P. O. BOX 871

SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

January 10, 1960

Mr. Willard C. Franks
P. O. Box 163
Briggsdale, Colorado

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to your letter of January 4, 1961, requesting permission to submit a plugging bond in lieu of the bond submitted by Trio Oil Company to cover wells drilled on the Rinehart Property. After a discussion of the situation with the Secretary-Director of the Commission, it has been decided to grant your request but with reservations.

Inasmuch as the plugging of Rinehart Well No. 2 has not been approved, a change of ownership of a drilling well must be filed by the new operator on Form C-103 as directed by Rule 1106 of the Rules and Regulations of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission. Transfer of the well must be verified in writing by the previous owner, if being preferred, the letter of confirmation be sent direct from the previous owner to this office. If re-entry of the Rinehart Well No. 2 is contemplated, the well must be treated as a new location and Form C-101 submitted and approval obtained before work commences.

Examination of the well files of the Rinehart wells shows that much correspondence was required by this office in attempts to have you comply with the Rules and Regulations of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission. Should you again be acting as agent in future operations on said well or other

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Wells in the State of New Mexico, any disregard for Rules and Regulations will not be tolerated. It is suggested that you become thoroughly familiar with the Rules and Regulations as strict compliance with same will be expected.

Very truly yours,

J. E. KAPTEINA
District Engineer

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COMMISSION OF CONSTITUTIONAL REFORM

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CITY OF MEXICO

Attest:
Secretary

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Chairman
Commission

Attest:
Secretary