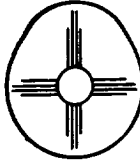


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Hobbs, New Mexico

Attention: Roy Yarbrough

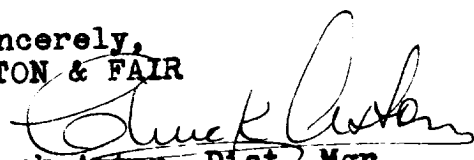
Dear Roy:

Enclosed you will find a Notice of Intention to Drill on Aston & Fair, State 5 BX. As you will note, this well is in the same forty acres with Aston & Fair, State 5 B which is now producing at the rate of less than two barrells per day, and therefore, non-commercial.

The location requested for State 5 BX is necessitated and substantiated by geological information as it is the only logical location on this forty acres where a commercial well could be drilled.

Trusting this information is sufficient for you to authorize the drilling of this well, I remain,

Sincerely,
ASTON & FAIR


Chuck Aston, Dist. Mgr.

CA:ph
Enc.