



IN REPLY REFER TO:

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
GEOLOGICAL SURVEY

DRAVE 1857
Artesia, New Mexico

T.S.F.

(C.P.)

October 18, 1962

Texaco Inc.
P. O. Box 3109
Midland, Texas

Gentlemen:

Your Notice of Intention to drill well No. 2 Mining #45 N.W. 1/4 (copy attached) in the 1/4 sec. 27, T. 18 S., R. 30 E., E.P.I.S., Curry County, New Mexico, Lease New Mexico 033775, to a depth of 3,300 feet to test the Paynter, has been forwarded to this office for my review.

Pursuant to authority delegated to the General Oil and Gas Supervisor on May 10, 1962, 27 G.O.G.S., I hereby approve the Notice of Intention to drill described in the foregoing.

Please notify the District Engineer, Geological Survey, Artesia, New Mexico, in sufficient time for a representative to witness all concreting operations.

Very truly yours,

(Orig.Sgd.) CARL C. TRAYWICK
For J. W. M. ADAMS
Regional Oil and Gas Supervisor

Attachment

Copy to: Washington
Mining Branch (2)
DOCC-Artesia (2) (w/2 cyc offices) ✓
Artesia
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J.W.M.A. 10/8/62