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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
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ARTESIA, OFFICE

December 23, 1963

International Oil & Gas Corporation  
P. O. Box 427  
Artesia, New Mexico

Re: Las Cruces 069494  
Expiring December 31, 1963

Gentlemen:

Your Notice of Intention to Drill well No. 2 McKee Federal (copy attached) in the NW1/4, sec. 24, T. 20 S., R. 25 E., N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico to a depth of 650' to test the Grayburg formation is hereby approved subject to compliance with the provisions of the Oil and Gas Operating Regulations and subject to the following conditions:

1. Drilling operations so authorized are subject to the attached sheet for general conditions of approval.
2. A daily progress report is to be furnished in duplicate from spud date until completion of the well.
3. Drilling rig must not be moved from well without prior approval from the Survey (30 CFR 221.34c).

If the lease is to be considered for extension by diligent drilling operations, the lease rental must be timely paid.

Very truly yours,

*Robert L. Beckman*

Robert L. Beckman  
Acting District Engineer