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OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

STATE OF NEW MEXICO P. O. DRAWER DD - ARTESIA 88210 LAND COMMISSIONER PHIL R. LUCERO



STATE GEOLOGIST EMERY C. ARNOLD

February 6, 1978

Dorchester Exploration, Inc. 1100 Midland Nat'l Bank Tower Midland, Texas 79701

> Re: Liggett et al Com. #1-J-6-19-26 Eddy County, N.M.

Gentlemen:

We hereby acknowledge receipt of Form C-101, Application For Permit to Drill and Form C-102, Well Location and Acreage Dedication Plat for the subject well. However, to date, according to our records you have not complied with the new Bonding recuirements, therefore we are unable to approve this Permit to Drill.

Upon receipt of notification from our Santa Fe office of your new Bond approval, we will process this application. Further, please advise if the gas is or is not dedicated to a purchaser.

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please feel free to call upon me.

Sincerely yours,

IN. a. Gressett

W. A. Gressett Supervisor, District II

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