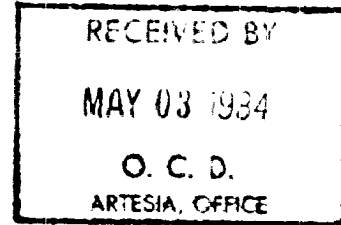


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RE: Burkham Fed. Com. #1
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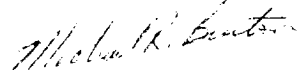
Dear Sir:

Please find enclosed seven (7) copies of the following:

1. Letter requesting administrative approval of unorthodox location.
2. Plat showing acreage dedicated
3. Geologic exhibits
4. Form C-101
5. Form C-102

Six (6) copies of all of this information has been sent to the District Office in Artesia.

Sincerely,



Michael R. Burton
Senior Drilling Engineer

MRB:cc

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