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O. C. D. ARTESIA, OFFICE

Bettis, Boyle, & Stevall P. O. Box 1240 Graham, TX 76046

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Gentlemen:

Your application for Permit to Drill the Lotos Federal No. 1 Well in the NW1SEE sec. 9, T. 24 S., R. 31 E., Eddy County, New Mexico, lease NN-29234, to a depth of 15,100 feet to test the Morrow formation in the oil-potash area, is hereby approved as amended by stipulations attached to the application.

One copy of the application is returned herewith. Please notify the Bureau of Land Management office checked on the attached special stipulations, in sufficient time for a representative to witness all cementing operations.

Approval of this application does not warrant or certify that the applicant holds legal or equitable title to these rights in the subject lease which would entitle the applicant to conduct operations thereon.

Sincerely,

Herbert L. Hubbard

Francis R. Cherry, Jr. FOR District Manager

i Enclosure

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