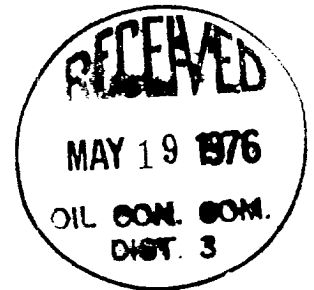


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Mr. A. R. Kendrick, Supervisor
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Re: Deviation Tests
No. 1-"B" USA Gentle
~~No. 2-"L" USA Gentle~~
Sec. 17, T 28N, R 11W
San Juan County, New Mexico

Dear Sir:

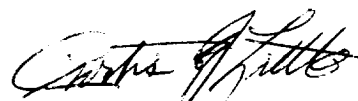
The No. 1-"B" USA Gentle in Section 17, T 28N, R 11W was spudded December 7, 1975 and reached TD of 1427' on December 10, 1975. Tubing was set at 1416' and the Fruitland was perforated between 1346 and 1396 feet.

The No. 2-"L" USA Gentle in Section 17, T 28N, R 11W was spudded on January 28, 1976 and reached TD of 1400' on January 30, 1976. Tubing was set at 1394' and the Fruitland was perforated between 1352 and 1372 feet.

Mr. L. E. Wilson was the drilling contractor for the two wells. I was not aware a deviation was required for such a shallow depth. Any wells drilled in the future will adhere to this requirement. The two wells have been connected to El Paso's system but cannot be turned on due to lack of approval of Form C-104.

Any consideration for a waiver of the deviation rule will be very much appreciated.

Yours very truly,


Curtis J. Little

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Approve C-104's for both wells
ad. 1500' ...