



IN REPLY REFER TO:

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
GEOLOGICAL SURVEY
P. O. Box 965
Farmington, New Mexico

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October 17, 1955

United States Smelting Refining and Mining Company
Box 1877
Midland, Texas

Re: Jicarilla Contract 72

Gentlemen:

Receipt is acknowledged of your "Notice of Intention to Drill" dated October 13, 1955 covering your well No. 1-2 Jicarilla in NW 1/4 sec. 2, T. 23 N., R. 4 W., N. M. P. M., Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, Wildcat pool.

Your proposed work is hereby approved subject to compliance with the provisions of the "Oil and Gas Operating Regulations" revised May 25, 1942, a copy of which will be sent to you on request, and subject to the following conditions:

1. Drilling operations so authorized are subject to the attached sheet for general conditions of approval.
2. Furnish copies of all logs.

Very truly yours,

P. T. McGrath
District Engineer



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cc: Jicarilla Agency