

IN REPLY REFER TO:



UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
GEOLOGICAL SURVEY
Drawer 1387
Roswell, New Mexico 88240

October 12, 1972

Belco Petroleum Corporation
2000 Wilco Building
Midland, Texas 79701

Gentlemen:

Your Application for Permit to Drill well No. 1 Bass Federal in the SE 1/4 sec. 30, T. 20 S., R. 33 E., Lea County, New Mexico, lease New Mexico 03023-B, to a depth of 14,500 feet to test the Devonian formation in the Potash Area is hereby approved.

One copy of the application is returned herewith. Please notify the District Engineer, Geological Survey, P. O. Box 1157, Hobbs, New Mexico 88240, in sufficient time for a representative to witness all cementing operations.

Sincerely yours,

(CC)

N. O. FREDERICK
Area Oil and Gas Supervisor

Enclosure

cc:
Washington
Mining Branch (2)
NMOCC-Hobbs (2) (w/2 cys. Notice) ✓
Hobbs
Roswell (2)