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Oil Conservation Commission
Sante Fe,
New Mexico

Attention Mr. A. L. Porter:

Dear Sir:

I was talking to Mr. Mose Armstrong sometime ago, in regards to opening up an old hole, that was drilled, plugged and abandoned about 1954. This well was drilled by Kersey & Company, 1980' from the South line and 1980' from the East line in Unit J, Section 32, Township 17S, Range 28E. (This lease was released to E. Jeffers and J. E. Bedingfield about March, 1958,)

Bedingfield and Jeffers drilled a well 1650' from the East line and 1650' from the South line of said Section 32, Township 17S, Range 28E, in which we made a well from the Premier about 1900' which is now making about 5 barrels per day. We drilled this well under the name Burnham Oil Company, which we called State 1-22.

We are desirous of opening up the old Kersey ^{well} in the center of said Forty, and trying to make a well out of it in the Premier Sand. As Mr. Armstrong advised me, it would be necessary to take this up with you as said wells are closer than 660' together.

So, we will be glad to hear from you at your earliest convenience and of the date that you would like to hold hearing on same, and we will undertake to be present. I am enclosing a small plat herewith showing locations and producing wells adjoining this Forty.

Thanking you for your consideration in this matter, I wish to remain yours respectfully.....

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Enclosure