

March 14th, 1905.

Old Spanish Grants, Inc. 714 South Hill Street, Los Angeles, California.

Attention Mr. A. F. Bergere, President.

Gentlemen:

This will acknow edge receipt of Form SG 101, "Notice of Intention to Drill New Well" for your State Well No. 1 in SECSW: of Sec. 2, T. 85., R. 23 E., Chaves County.

You are advised that it will be necessary to submit and receive the approval of a bond in connection with this well assuring compliance with New Mexico laws, rules and regulations dealing with oil and gas. Enclosed is a form of bond that will meet with the approval of this office. It should be a surety company bond in the amount of \$2000.00 if you do not plan to go deeper than two thousand feet. The amount of the bond should be increased somewhat if a greater depth is anticipated. It is essential that an approved bond be filed in this office before Form GlOl can be approved. We trust that you will attend to the bond at your earliest convenience.

Form SG 101 is being forwarded to Mr. F. J. Vesely, State 011 and Gas Inspector, Carlsbad, New Mexico, as he is authorized to approve this and other related forms of the State Geologist. In the future, please send these forms direct to Mr. F. J. Vesely.

Form SG 101 should have been submitted in triplicate instead of in duplicate. We have made a typewritten copy which will be forwarded to you as your copy when approval is finally given.

Very truly yours,

E. H. Wells State Geologist

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