South Central Region Roswell District P.O. Drawer 1857 Roswell, New Mexico 88201

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August 11, 1981

CERTIFIED MAIL RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

> Lease No. LC-061581 Well No. 3 Gulf Federal Location 14 SELNW Sec. 24 T. 265. R. 29E. Approval Date 4/9 56 EVED

Ford Chapman and Associates P.O. Box 2376 Midland, Texas 79702

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O. C. D. ARTESIA, OFFICE

Gentlemen:

Your application to drill the captioned well was approved for a one year period. Inasmuch as the approval expired before drilling operations commenced, our approval of the application is hereby rescinded.

If you decide to drill this well at a future date, you should resubmit an Application to Drill for approval.

Sincerely yours,

(Orig. Sgd.) James A. Gillham

James A. Gillham District Supervisor

cc: <u>NMOCD-Artesia</u> BLM-Carlsbad Lease File-Roswell District Lease File-SCR Sub-District-Artesia Roswell District Chrono Certified Receipt No.-3667098

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