

October 8, 1958

AIR MAIL

Commissioner of Public Lands
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Attn: Oil and Gas Division

Re: State Lease E-2109 - Santiago
Oil & Gas Company, State
Lease Well No. 1-30.

Gentlemen:

I have received a verified operations report covering subject well from September 6, 1958, to October 6, 1958, both inclusive. We trust this meets with your approval. Should additional information or this information in another form, be needed, please let us know.

For your information, and by way of explanation as to why drilling was not resumed immediately following your letter of September 30th to Pan American, in view of the state of equipment at the time, the contractor on this job, committed the only error and it has required a little time to locate another contractor with a rig readily available capable of drilling to a maximum depth of 13,500 feet. Contract has been awarded with Lowe Drilling Company to drill said well and as soon as location and derrick can be completed, the rig will be moved in, rigged up, and work will commence with diligence and be prosecuted thereafter continuously and in a workmanlike manner.

In the event you have forms on which to report drilling or re-working operations in cases such as this, I shall thank you to send me a supply for use over the next few months time it will be required to complete this well.

Thanking you for your favors, I am,

Yours very truly,

W. Edward Lea
General Counsel

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Inc.

cc: Pan American Petroleum Corporation