

NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
Santa Fe, New Mexico

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DRILL OR RECOMPLETE

Notice must be given to the District Office of the Oil Conservation Commission and approval obtained before drilling or recompletion begins. If changes in the proposed plan are considered advisable, a copy of this notice showing such changes will be returned to the sender. Submit this notice in **QUINTUPLICATE**. One copy will be returned following approval. See additional instructions in Rules and Regulations of the Commission.

300 San Jacinto Building, Houston 2, Texas
(Place)

September 23, 1957
(Date)

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

Gentlemen:

You are hereby notified that it is our intention to commence the (Drilling) (Recompletion) of a well to be known as

Austral Oil Exploration Company Incorporated

(Company or Operator)

W. M. Snyder "B"

(Lease)

Well No. **1**, in **I** (Unit) The well is

located **3656.4** feet from the **North** line and **660** feet from the

East

line of Section **6**, T. **16S**, R. **36E**, NMPM.

(GIVE LOCATION FROM SECTION LINE) **Undesignated** Pool, **Lea** County

D	C	B	A
E	F	G	H
L	K	J	I
M	N	O	P

If State Land the Oil and Gas Lease is No.

If patented land the owner is **W. M. Snyder**

Address **Lovington, New Mexico**

We propose to drill well with drilling equipment as follows: **Rotary Power Rig to total depth**

The status of plugging bond is **\$10,000 in effect. Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland, Policy No. 5358512.**

Drilling Contractor **Cactus Drilling Company**

We intend to complete this well in the **Wolfcamp** formation at an approximate depth of **11,000** feet.

CASING PROGRAM

We propose to use the following strings of Casing and to cement them as indicated:

Size of Hole	Size of Casing	Weight per Foot	New or Second Hand	Depth	Sacks Cement
18"	13-3/8"	48#	New	400	300
12-1/4"	8-5/8"	32#	New	4,700	1,000
7-7/8"	5-1/2" (Liner)	17#	New	4,500 to 11,000	300

If changes in the above plans become advisable we will notify you immediately.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION (If recompletion give full details of proposed plan of work.)

PLEASE WIRE APPROVAL COLLECT

Approved....., 19.....
Except as follows:

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

By *E. F. Isler*

Title

Sincerely yours,

AUSTRAL OIL EXPLORATION COMPANY INCORPORATED

(Company or Operator)

By *Winston G. Smith*

Position **Division Engineer**

Send Communications regarding well to

Name **Winston G. Smith**

Address **300 San Jacinto Building, Houston 2, Tex.**