

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR GEOLOGICAL SURVEY

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Helbing and Podpechan 418 Hinkle Building Roswell, New Mexico

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Gentlemen:

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Your Notice of Intention to Drill Shell-Federal well No. 1 (copy attached) in the NWAMER sec. 35, T. 20 S., R. 33 E., N.M.P.M., Lea County, New Mexico, lease New Mexico 0890-C, has been referred to this office for approval. The lease lies within the "Potash Area" designated by the Secretary of the Interior and is subject to the stipulation that all wells drilled to formations above the base of the Delaware sand or to a depth above 5000 feet, whichever is the lesser, must be approved by the Director of the Geological Survey.

Pursuant to authority delegated to me by the Director, U. S. Geological Survey, on Nevember 28, 1961, I hereby approve the Motice of Intention to Drill the Shell-Federal well No. 1 to a depth of approximately 3,450 feet to test the Seven Rivers formation.

Please notify the District Engineer, U. S. Geological Survey, Artesia, New Mexico, in sufficient time for a representative to witness all cementing operations.

Very truly yours,

(Orig. Sgd.) CARL C. TRAYWICK

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Acting Regional Oil and Gas Supervisor

Attachment

Copy to: Washington (w/cy Notice)

MMOCC-Artesia (2) (w/2cys Notice)

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Mining Supervisor, Carlsbad (2) (w/2cys Notice)

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SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS

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(INDICATE ABOVE BY CHECK MARK NATURE OF REPORT, NOTICE, OR OTHER DATA)

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Well No. 1 is located	d 660 ft. from ${N \brace S}$ line	and 1980 ft. from $\left\{\begin{matrix} E \\ W \end{matrix}\right\}$ line of sec	35
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The elevation of the derrick floor above sea level is 3676. ft.

DETAILS OF WORK

(State names of and expected depths to objective sands; show sizes, weights, and lengths of proposed casings; indicate mudding jobs, comenting points, and all other important proposed work)

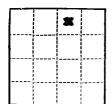
Intend to drill approximately 3450 foot Seven Rivers test with retary toels. Will drill 300 feet of 11 inch hele and cement 300 feet of 8-5/8" 24# casing with enough cement to circulate, then drill 7-7/8" hole to total depth of 3450 feet. If preductive, will set 3450 feet of 4-1/2" 9.6# pipe and cement from bottom of pipe to base of salt, then stage cement above salt to surface.

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	HELBING AND PODPECHAN	ARTOSIA, OTFILE
Address	416 Hinkle Building	
	Roswell, New Mexico	By Frenk W. Podpechan)
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-Pudget Bureau No. 42-R358.4. orm Approved.

Land Office Santa Fe, N. M. (SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE)



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