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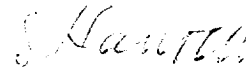
Carlsbad, New Mexico
February 5, 1966

Mr. V. E. Staley
Pan American Petroleum Corporation
P. O. Box 68
Hobbs, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Staley:

Please find enclosed authorization for you to drill well as indicated in your letter and notice of intention to drill. As holder of a potash lease, we make no objection as long as the well is drilled in accordance with the NMOCC Order R-111A, as amended.

Yours very truly,



D. S. Harroun

Enc. .