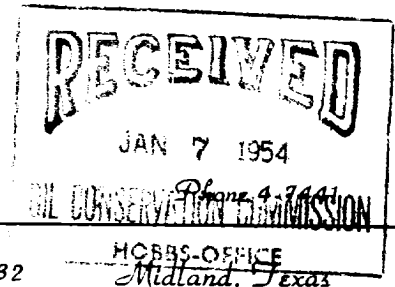


Ralph Lowe



Box 832

January 6, 1954

Oil Conservation Commission
State of New Mexico
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Re: Application for
exemption to rule
4, order R-368-A

Gentlemen:

By this letter Ralph Lowe requests exemption to rule 4, order R-368-A for Shell State "B" No. 1, located 1980' from South and West line of Section 16, Township 23-S, Range 36-E, Lea County, New Mexico.

This well was originally completed March 1, 1945.

By copy of this letter of application, all operators within a 1320 foot radius of this well are hereby notified.

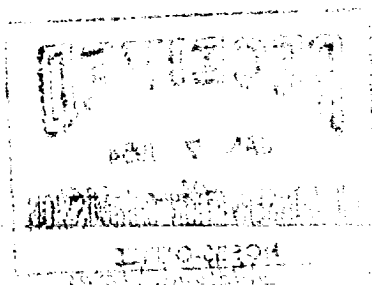
Respectfully submitted

RALPH LOWE

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cc: The Texas Company
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Shell Oil Company
Magnolia Petroleum Company
Texas Pacific Coal and Oil Company



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