



UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
GEOLOGICAL SURVEY
Box 113
Hobbs, New Mexico

IN REPLY REFER TO:

May 3, 1957

Sinclair Oil And Gas Company
P. O. Box 1470
Midland, Texas

Re: Lease New Mexico 011327

Gentlemen:

Receipt is acknowledged of "Notice of Intention to Drill" dated May 1, 1957, covering your well No. 1 General 214 on the subject leasehold in the NE 1/4 sec. 17, T. 22 N., R. 36 E., S. 1 N., Jalisco Pool, Lea County, New Mexico.

Your proposed work is approved subject to compliance with the provisions of the "Oil and Gas Operating Regulations" revised May 25, 1942, copy of which will be furnished you on request, and subject to the following conditions:

1. Drilling operations so authorized are subject to the attached sheet (revised February 1949) for general conditions of approval.
2. Obtain approval of this office prior to running and cementing the 5" casing. The 5" casing should be run at least to the top of the Yates sand. (For proposal to leave 1,000 feet of open hole in the Yates sand.)
3. Cement behind the 5" casing must cover the salt section as determined by temperature survey or the salt section must be isolated by a two-stage cementing process.

Please note the lease number prefix is "New Mexico" rather than "Lea" or "Texas".

Very truly yours,

W. L. Mont

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District Engineer

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