District Engineer
U. S. Geological Survey

## Gentlemen:

This refers to the Form 9-331C, Application to Drill, Deepen or Plugback accompanying this letter. The undersigned hereby states that he has personally contacted *EFFIE BRININSTOOL*, the owner of the surface land where the proposed work is to be conducted and advised him of the proposed work, the construction site and pertinent roads included in the project. It is further stated that, upon being fully advised of the extent of the work and the effect upon the surface, said owner has consented to the said work and that agreement as to the compensation for damages to the surface estate has been reached.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF LEA

Subscribed and sworn to before me this  $14^{+h}$  day of MARCH, 1975

Notary Public

My commission expires 2-20-77

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OIL CONSERVATION COMM. HOBBS, N. M.