UNITED STATES

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Geological Survey

P. O.Box 1346 Hobbs, New Mexico

June 1, 1951

The Texas Company P. O. Box 1720 FortWorth, Texas

Re: Las Cruces 032545(b)

Gentlemen:

Receipt is acknowledged of "Notice of Intention to Drill" dated May 28, 1951 covering your well No. 1 - NCT-4 located on subject land in the $SW_4^{\frac{1}{2}}NE_4^{\frac{1}{4}}$, section 35, T.23S.,R. 37E., Langlie-Mattix 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, a copy of which has been furnished you, and subject to the following conditions.

- 1. Drilling operations so authorized are subject to attached sheet for general conditions of approval.
- 2. The 8 5/8" casing should be cemented with sufficient cement to reach the surface.
- 3. Copies of sample log, electrical log, temperature and other surveys made are requested.

Yours very truly,

/s/ M. H. Soyster District Engineer

CC: Mr. Roy Yarbrough from The Texas Company (CBW) 5-5-51 " TPD fromCBW 5-5-51