

P.O. DRAWER 1857  
ROSWELL, NEW MEXICO 88201

January 25, 1983

Alpha Twenty-One Production Company  
2100 First National Bank Building  
Midland, TX 79701

Lease No. NM-40658  
Well No. 5-Buckskin Federal  
Sec. 18, T. 24 S., R. 38 E.  
Lea County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

Your Application for Permit to Drill the referenced well was approved for a one year period. An extension to commence drilling operations was approved for 6 months ending Dec. 22, 1982. Since no operations have been commenced on the well the permit to drill is considered terminated.

If you decide to drill this well at a future date, you should resubmit the Application for Permit to Drill.

Sincerely yours,

(ORIG. SGD.) ARMANDO A. LOPEZ

James A. Gillham  
District Supervisor  
Oil and Gas

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