

Uniced States Department of the Interior

P. 0. Box 1157 Hobbs, New Mexico 88240

July 9, 1979

Bass Enterprises Production Company

P. 0. Box 2760

Midland, Texas 79702

Re: Well No. 1 Hat Mesa

Lease NM-10470 1980' FNL, 660' FWL

Sec. 10, T. 21 S., R. 32 E. Lea County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

More than 90 days have elapsed since the Application for Permit to Drill the referenced well was approved. Since we have not received any notice that drilling operations were commenced, our approval of the application has now expired.

If you should desire to drill a well at this location at some future date, a new Application for Permit to Drill may be resubmitted at that time.

Sincerely yours,

James F. Sims District Engineer

cc: Hobbs

Roswell

BLM/Carlsbad NMOCD/Hobbs (2) Mining Branch/Carlsbad

