



STATE OF KANSAS
 STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION
 CONSERVATION DIVISION

800 BITTING BUILDING
 WICHITA, KANSAS

November 3, 1953

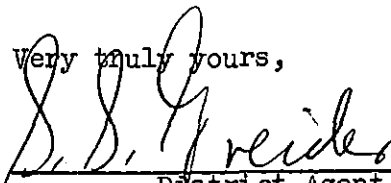
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T. A. Morgan, Director
 State Corporation Commission
 800 Bitting Building
 Wichita, Kansas

Dear Sir:

I have this date 11/3/53, 19 , given verbal permission to the following plugging operation:

OPERATOR Stearns Drilling Company
 ADDRESS Box 313, Russell, Kansas
 FARM NAME Kontz Well No. 1
 DESCRIPTION SE SW SW Sec. 3 Twp. 26S Rge. 4W
 COUNTY Reno
 TOTAL DEPTH 4245 Oil Gas Dry Hole X
 PLUGGING CONTRACTOR Company tools
 Plugging Fee to be paid by Stearns Drilling Company
 Address Box 313, Russell, Kansas

Very truly yours,

 District Agent

November 3, 1953
 Date