



June 17, 1959

Mid-America Minerals, Inc.
500 Mid-America Bank Bldg.
Oklahoma City 2, Okla.

Attention: Mr. W.N. Little

Gentlemen:

Reference is made to your Notice of Intention to Drill the No. 1-24 Federal well in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 24, Township 11 North, Range 97 West, Moffat County, Colorado, which is herewith returned unapproved.

If you will refer to Rule 317, you will note that wells drilled in excess of 2500 feet must be 600 feet from lease or property lines. We assume a 40-acre tract to be the lease extent unless otherwise indicated on the intention. From this, you will see that this well is too close to be approved by this office.

We have enclosed a copy of the Rules and Regulations, as well as some new forms for your future use. Will you please review the above and advise.

Your Designation of Agent has been accepted and filed. We are returning the duplicate copy for your use.

Very truly yours,

OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION COMMISSION

William R. Smith, Senior Petroleum Engineer

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By Airmail