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Mr. Gin
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Dear Mr. Gin:

Reference is made to your phone conversation yesterday regarding wells in the SE/4 SE/4 of Section 11, Township 1 North, Range 102 West in the Rangely Field, Rio Blanco County, Colorado.

An investigation indicates that there are three wells currently drilled in that particular quarter-quarter section. They are the Newton #1 - 2110 feet North of the South line and 396 feet West of the East line; the Newton #5 - 1130 feet North of the South line and 900 feet West of the East line; and the Newton #6 - 1050 feet North of the South line and 1050 feet West of the East line.

I do not have any information on the individual well completion potentials; however, in January two wells were producing and produced 777 barrels and in February two wells produced 582 barrels and in March three wells were producing and produced 630 barrels. No production has been indicated prior to January, 1957.

I hope you will find this information of value, and if we can render further service at a later date, do not hesitate to call upon us.

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William R. Smith
Chief Petroleum Engineer

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February 21, 1991

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Dear Mr. Lubel:

Your letter of February 15, 1991 has been received. The enclosed copies of correspondence may serve to further muddy the waters. A brief review of the records at the Commission does show wells with the same names "Newton-Gov't X" in both Sections 11 and 12. The records also show the three wells in Section 11 were all plugged for mechanical or geologic reasons by 1957. A very small amount of oil may have been produced. There is no record of any wells producing at this time in the SE1/4 SE1/4 of Section 11. The name duplication may be the reason Mr. Smith attributed production to the well names.

The Commission has public files for wells in the SE1/4 of Section 11 and 12. It is assumed the Bureau of Land Management has the old USGS records and lease information. The Commission does not have the time resources to do detailed research. You or an associate would be welcome to review these records. Should you wish to retain the services of others capable of doing copying and research, you might wish to contact either Linda Flis at 303-733-4311 or William Freeman at 303-825-2051. I am sorry there are not easy answers to your questions.

Very truly yours,

Dennis R. Bicknell

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cc:Well File