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EQUUS BEDS GROUNDWATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICT NO. 2

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January 9, 1980

Floyd Holle
Box 148
Bentley, Kansas 67016

Dear Mr. Holle:

As per your request of January 3, 1980, this office has made an evaluation of a proposed well location near the center of the Northwest Quarter of Section 26, Township 24 South, Range 2 West. The evaluation was made to determine if a permit for a well could be approved. According to the evaluation, a permit for a well could not be approved at that location.

The Revised Management Program of the Equus Beds Groundwater Management District states that after April 11, 1979, no more than 4025 acre-feet of water may be appropriated within a two-mile radius of a proposed well location. According to the evaluation, the total appropriations for Wichita wells alone within the two-mile circle is 8724 acre-feet. With an additional 2000 to 4000 acre-feet appropriated for irrigation within the circle, the total appropriations far exceed the guideline of 4025 acre-feet. Again, this means that an application for a well at the location described above could not be approved.

If you have any questions, please contact me.

Very truly yours,
EQUUS BEDS GROUNDWATER
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Thomas C. Bell
Manager

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