



HECTOR OILS LIMITED

STONEY INDIAN RESERVE
MORLEY - ALBERTA

CALGARY OFFICE

721 2nd Street West,
December 14, 1938.

For the information of ^{the} Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa.

Col. F. M. Steel,
Petroleum Engineer,
Dept. Indian Affairs,
503 Calgary Public Building,
Calgary, Alta.

Dear Sir: Re: Hector Oils Limited Leases

Recently we advised you that negotiations for the completion of Hector-Norcen No. 1 Well on the Stoney Indian Reserve would probably be consummated before the end of the year. However, we are advised now that nothing further can be done until after the holidays, and from experience we would conclude possible drilling will not commence before March or April at least.

We regret, after the accommodation the Department has shown us by extending payment on rentals, to be obliged to ask for another six months' extension in which to get development under way and lease rentals fully satisfied.

Obstacles have made it extremely difficult for us, but we have kept unceasingly at it, and with every assurance, now, of ultimate success.

Will you kindly place this request before the Department and accept our gratitude for your co-operation in getting development under way. Co-operation must be, in order to place this field in the forefront.

Yours very truly,

HECTOR OILS LIMITED,

[Signature]
P. J. HOOP,
President.



CHIEF HECTOR

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