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Mrs. R. E. Beasley
Box 27
Las Cruces, New Mexico

Re: Docket No. DMEA-4295 (Uranium-copper)
Springfield Group
Grant County, New Mexico

Dear Mrs. Beasley:

Your letter, dated March 3, 1957, in which you request the commercial value of certain specimens of rock, has been referred to this Division for reply.

A careful study of the correspondence relating to the subject docket shows no evidence that the specimens you mention were sent to, or received by, this Agency. Therefore, we are unable to comply with your request.

Sincerely yours,

Ernest Wm. Ellis, Chief
Rare and Miscellaneous
Metals Division

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cc to: Mr. Murphy
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Las Cruces, New Mexico
March 3, 1957

United States Department of the Interior
Defense Minerals Exploration Administration
Washington 25, D.C.

Re: Docket No.
DMEA 4295 Uranium & copper
Spring field Group
Grant County, New Mexico

Dear Sir,—
Please send me a copy of the commercial value of the specimens we sent you of this rock. We have a party interested in opening this up. I have all the letters from you pertaining to application of the loan but have misplaced the one showing percentage of commercial value.

Many thanks
Sincerely Mrs. R. E. Beasley

Surname copy

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UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
DEFENSE MINERALS EXPLORATION ADMINISTRATION
WASHINGTON 25, D.C.

Mrs. R. E. Beasly and
Mr. A. E. Beasly
Box 27
Las Cruces, New Mexico

AUG 24 1956

Re: Docket No. DMEA-4295 (Uranium-copper)
Springfield Group
Grant County, New Mexico

Dear Mrs. Beasly:

This is with reference to our letter of August 6, and previous letters, dated May 18, and July 5, 1956, in which we requested that you submit certain essential information which would enable us to process the above-docketed application.

Your response, in part written on our letter of August 6, indicates that you are unable to submit this additional information, and also, that you might not be able to contribute your share of the costs of the proposed project. In the case of a project costing $25,000.00, the Operator's share of the cost would be $6,250.00.

In view of your letter and your inability to supply the additional information requested, we are considering your application as having been withdrawn and are placing it in our inactive file.

We regret the necessity of taking such action, however, it is taken without prejudice to your proposed project. If at some future time you desire to reopen this case, you may do so by filing a new application referring to the subject application by the DMEA docket number, and furnishing the information previously requested, together with any other information that you think might be helpful.

Sincerely yours,

C. O. Mittendorf (for)

Administrator

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cc to: Docket
Admr. Reading File
Code 700
Mr. Murphy
DMEA Field Team, Region III (2)
Messrs. JECrawford, Rm. 3643
THKiilsgaard, Rm. 5224
JOHosted, Rm. 3210, GSA

(Recd. Interior Aug. 21, 1956)
(The original letter was written on Mr. Ellis' letter of Aug. 6 to the Applicant requesting whether Ap. was interested in proceeding with application as they did not answer previous letters from Ellis)

COPY

Ernest Wm. Ellis
United States Department of the Interior
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Sir:

The reason we have not answered this questionaire is as I have told you before that, as a daughter of a miner for 45 years in my estimation one cannot, it is impossible to answer these questions - Like any thing else - If a woman has $25.00 for thepurchase of a hat she usually gets a 25.00 hat - It she has only $5.00 for a hat she gets a five dollar one -

We asked for $25,000.00 to start this copper and uranium project - All items such as labor equiptment and all the rest would be purchased as cheaply as possible but not until it was purchased could we give an account - Good mining labor is here and cheap - Our son Albert has begun operations on another copper mine for a private concern near this uranium & copper - He has bought equiptment & hired men and the minein full operations - The Minerals division must of necessity put full faith in our miners here that they will do the best they can on the amount of money allowed us -

Let me put it this way - You your self pick up this questionair or even the president off hand answer it when neither of you know before hand what amount of money you are allowed to spend - One could purchase a new jack hammer or one could purchase a second hand jack hammer which both serve the same purpose still one cost twice as much as the other - Again I say here we are in the mountains a family with a new daughter and penniless because of the United States Government taking our land home cattle & goats our business and we are trying to get into another business We have found copper & uranium are willing to operate it if we get finincial assistance - For a Mother who has had surgery seven times and now this new baby to raise on absuoultely nothing but milk & eggs again I say you have treated my husband like dirt because he was andis a rancher - The only other thing he can do to make money is mine - and all this dilly dally to get started. Send us the money & we'll show you what we can do - Every dollar spent will be itemized.

/s/ Mrs. R. E. Beasley

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
DEFENSE MINERALS EXPLORATION ADMINISTRATION
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

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Messrs. R. E. and A. E. Beasly
Box 27
Las Cruces, New Mexico

Re: Docket No. DMEA-4295 (Uranium-copper)
Springfield Group
Grant County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

Reference is made to our letters, dated May 18 and July 5, 1956, concerning information which we require to process your above-docketed application.

Inasmuch as we have received no reply, we assume that you no longer desire to proceed with the application. We wish to cooperate with you in the matter of allowing ample time, but if the needed data have not been received within thirty days from the date of this letter, we will then consider the docket closed.

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Ernest Wm. Ellis

Ernest Wm. Ellis, Chief
Rare and Miscellaneous
Metals Division

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of money allowed us -
let me put it this way - you your
self pick up this questionnaire or
even the president off hand
answer it when neither of you
know before hand what amount
of money you are allowed to
spend - one could purchase a
new jack hammer or one could purchase
a second hand jack hammer which
both serve the same purpose still
one cost twice as much as the other.
Again I say leave us out in the mountains
a family with a very daughter and penniless
because of the United States government taking
our land homestead & go to our homes and

We are trying to get into mining business
We have found copper & uranium
are building to operate it if we get
~~financial~~ financial assistance.
~~Help~~ For a mother who has had
surgery seven times and now this
new baby to raise on absolutely
nothing but milk & eggs again
I pray you have healed my husband
like did because he was and
is a rancher - The only other thing
he can do to make money is mine -
And all this dilly daddy to get the
send us the money & we'll show
you what we can do - he may
dollar spent will be stamped -

Mrs. R. E. Beasley

MF-103
(Revised April 1952)

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
DEFENSE MINERALS EXPLORATION ADMINISTRATION

Form Approved.
Budget Bureau No. 42-R1035.2.

Sample

APPLICATION FOR AID IN AN EXPLORATION PROJECT, PURSUANT TO DMEA ORDER 1, UNDER THE DEFENSE PRODUCTION ACT OF 1950, AS AMENDED

Not to be filled in by applicant

Docket No. 4295
Metal or Mineral Mineral
Date Received June 1st 1956
Estimated Cost $25,000.00
Participation (Government %)

Rec'd. Aug. 21-1956

INSTRUCTIONS

1. *Name of applicant.*—(*a*) State here your full legal name, in the form in which you will wish to contract, and your mailing address: R. E. Beasley
Albert E. Beasley

(*b*) If other than an individual, add to your name above whether a corporation, partnership, etc., and the name of the State in which incorporated or otherwise organized.

(*c*) If a corporation, add to above statement, titles, names and addresses of officers.

(*d*) If a partnership, add to the above statement the names and addresses of all partners.

2. *General.*—Read DMEA Order 1, "Government Aid in Defense Exploration Projects," before completing this application. Submit this application and all accompanying papers in quadruplicate (four copies), with your name and address on each sheet of the application and on all accompanying papers. Where sufficient space is not provided on the form for all required information, state it on an accompanying paper, with a reference in each case to the instruction to which it refers by number. Comply with all applicable instructions; or, if not applicable, so state. File the application with Defense Minerals Exploration Administration, Department of the Interior, Washington 25, D. C., or with the nearest field executive officer thereof.

3. *Applicant's property rights.*—(*a*) State the legal description of the land upon which you wish to explore, including all land which you possess or control that may be benefited by the exploration, and excluding any land or interest in land which is not to be included in the exploration project contract

(*b*) State any mine name by which the property is known. Springfield Group

(*c*) State your interest in the land, whether owner, lessee, purchaser under contract, or otherwise Owner

(*d*) If you are not the owner, submit with this application a copy of the lease, contract, or other document under which you control the property.

(*e*) If you own the land, describe any liens or encumbrances on it None

(*f*) If the land consists of unpatented claims, add to the description above, the book and page numbers for each recorded location notice.

4. *Physical description.*—(*a*) Describe in detail any mining or exploration operations which have been or now are being conducted upon the land, including existing mine workings and production facilities. State your interest, if any, in such operations. Also describe accessibility of mine workings for examination purposes.

(*b*) State past and current production, and ore reserves, if any, giving quantities and grades. None

(*c*) Describe the geologic features of the property, including mineralization, type of deposit (vein, bedded, etc.), and your reasons for wishing to explore. Illustrate with maps or sketches. Send with your application (but not necessarily as a part of it) any geologic or engineering report, assay maps, or other technologic information you may have, indicating on each whether you require its return to you. Vein

(*d*) State the facts with respect to the accessibility of the project: Access roads, distances to shipping, supply and residence points. good road

(*e*) State the availability of manpower, materials, supplies, equipment, water, and power. plenty available

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5. *The exploration project.*—(*a*) State the mineral or minerals for which you wish to explore .....

(*b*) Describe fully the proposed work, including a map or sketch of the property showing a plan (and cross sections if needed) of any present mine workings, and the location of the proposed exploration work as related to such features as contacts, veins, ore-bearing beds, etc. Common ocuze/mining unknown

(*c*) The work will start within 14 days and be completed within unknown months from the date of an exploration project contract.

(*d*) State the operating experience and background of the applicant with relation to the ability to carry out such exploration project, and also that of the person or persons who will supervise the operations.

6. *Estimate of costs.*—Furnish a detailed estimate of the costs of the proposed work (you will have to use a separate sheet), under the following headings. Add the totals under all headings to give the estimated total cost of the project. unknown

(*a*) *Independent contracts.*—(Note.—If the applicant does not intend to let any of the work to contractors, write "none" after this item. To the extent that the work is to be contracted, do not repeat the cost of the contract-work in subsequent items.) State the cost of any proposed independent contracts for the performance of all or any part of the work, expressed in terms of units of work (such as per foot of drilling, per foot of drifting, per hour of bulldozer operations, per cubic yard of material moved, etc.).

(*b*) *Labor, supervision, consultants.*—Include an itemized schedule of numbers, classes and rates of wages, salaries or fees for necessary labor, supervision and engineering and geological consultants.

(*c*) *Operating materials and supplies.*—Furnish an itemized list, including items of equipment costing less than $50 each, and power, water and fuel.

(*d*) *Operating equipment.*—Furnish an itemized list of any operating equipment to be rented, purchased, or which is owned and will be furnished by the Operator, with the estimated rental, purchase price, or suggested use-allowance based on present value, as the case may be.

(*e*) *Rehabilitation and repairs.*—Furnish a detailed list showing the cost of any necessary initial rehabilitation or repairs of existing buildings, installations, fixtures, and movable operating equipment, now owned by the Operator and which will be devoted to the exploration project.

(*f*) *New buildings, improvements, installations.*—Furnish a detailed list showing the cost of any necessary buildings, fixed improvements, or installations to be purchased, installed or constructed for the benefit of the exploration project.

(*g*) *Miscellaneous.*—Furnish a detailed list showing the cost of repairs to and maintenance of operating equipment (not including initial rehabilitation or repairs of the Operator's equipment), analytical work, accounting, workmen's compensation and employers' liability insurance, and payroll taxes.

(*h*) *Contingencies.*—Give an estimate of any necessary allowances for contingencies not included in the costs stated above.

NOTE.—No items of general overhead, corporate management, interest, taxes (other than payroll and sales taxes), or any other indirect costs, or work performed or costs incurred before the date of the contract, should be included in the estimate of costs.

7. (*a*) Are you prepared to furnish your share of the cost of the proposed project in accordance with the regulations on Government participation (Sec. 7, DMEA No. 1)?

(*b*) How do you propose to furnish your share of the costs?

☐ Money ☐ Use of equipment owned by you ☐ Other

Explain in detail on acompanying paper.

CERTIFICATION

The undersigned, whether as an individual, corporate officer, partner, or otherwise, both in his own behalf and acting for the applicant, certifies that the information set forth in this form and accompanying papers is correct and complete, to the best of his knowledge and belief.

Dated ....., 195...

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(Applicant)

By.....

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Title 18, U. S. Code (Crimes), Section 1001, makes it a criminal offense to make a willfully false statement or representation to any department or agency of the United States as to any matter within its jurisdiction.

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Note: Section 7 requires business transactions be begun - unavoidably impossible to calculate this

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UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
DEFENSE MINERALS EXPLORATION ADMINISTRATION
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

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AUG - 6 1956

Messrs. R. E. and A. E. Beasly
Box 27
Las Cruces, New Mexico

Re: Docket No. DMEA-4295 (Uranium-copper)
Springfield Group
Grant County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

Reference is made to our letters, dated May 18 and July 5, 1956, concerning information which we require to process your above-docketed application.

Inasmuch as we have received no reply, we assume that you no longer desire to proceed with the application. We wish to cooperate with you in the matter of allowing ample time, but if the needed data have not been received within thirty days from the date of this letter, we will then consider the docket closed.

Sincerely yours,

Ernest Wm. Ellis, Chief
Rare and Miscellaneous
Metals Division

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cc to: Admr.'s Reading File
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Messrs. JECrawford, Rm. 3641
THKiilsgaard, Rm. 5224
JOHosted, Rm. 3210, GSA
Code 700, Mr. Murphy
DMEA Field Team, Region III (2)

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UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
DEFENSE MINERALS EXPLORATION ADMINISTRATION
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

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Messrs. R. E. and A. E. Beasly
Box 27
Las Cruces, New Mexico

Re: Docket No. DMEA-4295 (Uranium-copper)
Springfield Group
Grant County, New Mexico

Sirs:

Reference is made to our letter dated May 18, 1956, relating to the captioned docket.

Action on your application is pending receipt of the information requested in the above-mentioned letter. If you are no longer interested in the processing of this application, please advise us.

Sincerely yours,

Ernest Wm. Ellis, Chief
Rare and Miscellaneous
Metals Division

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UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
DEFENSE MINERALS EXPLORATION ADMINISTRATION
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

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MAY 18 1956

Messrs. R. E. and A. E. Beasly
Box 27
Las Cruces, New Mexico

Re: Docket No. DMEA-4295 (Uranium-copper)
Springfield Group
Grant County, New Mexico

Sirs:

The above-docketed application for aid in an exploration project has been referred to this Division for further action.

We note that you have submitted only two copies of the application form MF-103, and one copy of the supplemental information. Moreover, no maps were submitted. In order to process your application, this Agency requires four (4) copies of the application and all accompanying papers.

For your information and aid in submitting a comprehensive application, we are enclosing the following:

1. Three copies (1 extra) of Application Form MF-103;
2. One copy of DMEA Order-1 Amended;
3. One copy of Amendment 2 - DMEA Order-1 Amended; and
4. One copy of a booklet outlining the Defense Minerals Exploration Program.

In the booklet, under the caption "Foreword" you will note the sentence underlined in red, stating that this Agency does not participate in mere prospecting and grubstaking operations, as these expressions are commonly understood. If an applicant can present satisfactory geologic evidence that the proposed exploration work, in a specific area, has a possible chance of discovering significant deposits of strategic minerals or metals, then this Agency will recommend that the area should be explored.

In the extra "sample" copy of Form MF-103, we have underlined in red pencil, the information that we require to further process your application.

We will hold the application in abeyance for a reasonable length of time in order that you may submit the additional information we require. If you anticipate that you will require more than 30 days from the date of this letter to assemble and submit the information, kindly advise this office the approximate date we may expect to receive it.

Sincerely yours,

F. L. Knouse, Acting Chief
Rare and Miscellaneous
Metals Division

Enclosures

FMMurphy/izm 5-18-56
cc to: Docket
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Mr. Murphy
Admr.'s Reading File
DMEA Field Team, Region III (2)
Messrs. JECrawford, Rm. 3643
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May 17, 1956

Mr. Albert Edward Beasley
Box 27
Las Cruces, New Mexico

Subject: DMEA - 4295
Re: Exploration Assistance
Springfield Group

Dear Mr. Beasley

The receipt of your application dated March 30, 1956 for exploration assistance under the Defense Production Act of 1950, as amended, is hereby acknowledged.

Your application has been assigned Docket Number DMEA - 4295 and referred to the Rare & Misc. Metals Division.

Kindly identify all future correspondence relating to your application by this docket number.

Sincerely yours,

Robert E. Adams, Chief
Operations Control and
Statistics Division

May 17, 1956

Memorandum

To: Executive Officer, DMEA Field Team, Region III

From: Chief, Operation's Control and Statistics Division

Subject: Assignment of Docket Number

There is listed below the assigned docket number to an application recently received from Region III.

DMEA
- 4295 Albert Edward Beasley

Robert E. Adams
Chief, Operation's Control
and Statistics Division

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
DEFENSE MINERALS EXPLORATION ADMINISTRATION
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

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MAY 17 1956

May 14, 1956

224 New Customhouse
Denver 2, Colorado

How about this?

Memorandum

To: Secretary to the Operating Committee, DMEA

From: Field Team, Region III

Subject: Application of Albert Edward Beasley, et al. (Uranium)
Grant County, New Mexico

Enclosed is everything which has been submitted to this office by the Applicant:

1. A letter from Mrs. R. E. Beasley dated May 6 _____

2. Two copies of Form MF-103 showing different Applicants

3. Four pencil sheets of additional information

4. Two copies of our letter to the Applicant.

DMEA Field Team, Region III

E. N. Harshman

By E. N. Harshman
Acting Executive Officer

Enclosures

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
DEFENSE MINERALS EXPLORATION ADMINISTRATION
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

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May 14, 1956

224 New Customhouse
Denver 2, Colorado

Mrs. R. E. Beasley
Box 27
Las Cruces, New Mexico

Dear Mrs. Beasley:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter dated May 6 and the additional information which was included concerning your mining claims in Grant County, New Mexico.

All of the information which you submitted to us has been forwarded the Washington office, DMEA, and you will hear from them at an early date.

Very truly yours,

E. N. Harshman

E. N. Harshman
Acting Executive Officer, DMEA
Field Team, Region III

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cc: Sec. Op. Comm. (2)
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MF-103
(Revised April 1952)

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
DEFENSE MINERALS EXPLORATION ADMINISTRATION

Form Approved.
Budget Bureau No. 42-R1035.2.

DMEA
Date Rec'd
MAY 14 1956

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MAY 17 1956
BUREAU OF MINES
Denver, Colorado

APPLICATION FOR AID IN AN EXPLORATION PROJECT, PURSUANT TO DMEA ORDER 1, UNDER THE DEFENSE PRODUCTION ACT OF 1950, AS AMENDED

Not to be filled in by applicant

Docket No. DMEA-4295
Metal or Mineral Uranium
Date Received 5/17/56
Estimated Cost $25,000.00
Participation (Government %)

INSTRUCTIONS

1. *Name of applicant.*—(*a*) State here your full legal name, in the form in which you will wish to contract, and your mailing address: Albert Edward Beasley
Robert Edward Beasley & Chester Arther Beasley
Box 27, Las Cruces New Mexico
Partnership with the same address

(*b*) If other than an individual, add to your name above whether a corporation, partnership, etc., and the name of the State in which incorporated or otherwise organized.

(*c*) If a corporation, add to above statement, titles, names and addresses of officers.

(*d*) If a partnership, add to the above statement the names and addresses of all partners.

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3. *Applicant's property rights.*—(*a*) State the legal description of the land upon which you wish to explore, including all land which you possess or control that may be benefited by the exploration, and excluding any land or interest in land which is not to be included in the exploration project contract 26 Unpatented Mining Claims
Situated in section 9, Township 18s Range 17w
Grant County, New Mexico, Recorded in the County
Court house as Springfield ~~[illegible]~~ and Windchester

(*b*) State any mine name by which the property is known. Known to the A.E.C as Springfield Group

(*c*) State your interest in the land, whether owner, lessee, purchaser under contract, or otherwise Owner

(*d*) If you are not the owner, submit with this application a copy of the lease, contract, or other document under which you control the property.

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(*d*) State the facts with respect to the accessibility of the project: Access roads, distances to shipping, supply and residence points.

(*e*) State the availability of manpower, materials, supplies, equipment, water, and power.

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These two parties bought 33⅓% of two claims from Windchester

5. *The exploration project.*—(*a*) State the mineral or minerals for which you wish to explore Uranium and Copper

(*b*) Describe fully the proposed work, including a map or sketch of the property showing a plan (and cross sections if needed) of any present mine workings, and the location of the proposed exploration work as related to such features as contacts, veins, ore-bearing beds, etc.

(*c*) The work will start within 15 days and be completed within 12 months from the date of an exploration project contract.

(*d*) State the operating experience and background of the applicant with relation to the ability to carry out such exploration project, and also that of the person or persons who will supervise the operations.

6. *Estimate of costs.*—Furnish a detailed estimate of the costs of the proposed work (you will have to use a separate sheet), under the following headings. Add the totals under all headings to give the estimated total cost of the project:

(*a*) *Independent contracts.*—(Note.—If the applicant does not intend to let any of the work to contractors, write "none" after this item. To the extent that the work is to be contracted, do not repeat the cost of the contract-work in subsequent items.) State the cost of any proposed independent contracts for the performance of all or any part of the work, expressed in terms of units of work (such as per foot of drilling, per foot of drifting, per hour of bulldozer operations, per cubic yard of material moved, etc.).

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(*b*) How do you propose to furnish your share of the costs?

☐ Money ☑ Use of equipment owned by you ☑ Other Labor + Management.

Explain in detail on acompanying paper.

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The undersigned, whether as an individual, corporate officer, partner, or otherwise, both in his own behalf and acting for the applicant, certifies that the information set forth in this form and accompanying papers is correct and complete, to the best of his knowledge and belief.

Dated _____, 195__

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(Applicant)

By_____

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
DEFENSE MINERALS EXPLORATION ADMINISTRATION

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APPLICATION FOR AID IN AN EXPLORATION PROJECT, PURSUANT TO DMEA ORDER 1, UNDER THE DEFENSE PRODUCTION ACT OF 1950, AS AMENDED

Not to be filled in by applicant

Docket No. DMEA-4298
Metal or Mineral Uranium-Copper
Date Received 5/11/56
Estimated Cost $25,000.00
Participation (Government %) (75%) 62½%

INSTRUCTIONS

1. *Name of applicant.*—(*a*) State here your full legal name, in the form in which you will wish to contract, and your mailing address: Robert Edward Beasley and
Robert Edward Beasley
Box 27 Las Cruces, New Mexico
Partnership with Same Address.

(*b*) If other than an individual, add to your name above whether a corporation, partnership, etc., and the name of the State in which incorporated or otherwise organized.

(*c*) If a corporation, add to above statement, titles, names and addresses of officers.

(*d*) If a partnership, add to the above statement the names and addresses of all partners.

2. *General.*—Read DMEA Order 1, "Government Aid in Defense Exploration Projects," before completing this application. Submit this application and all accompanying papers in quadruplicate (four copies), with your name and address on each sheet of the application and on all accompanying papers. Where sufficient space is not provided on the form for all required information, state it on an accompanying paper, with a reference in each case to the instruction to which it refers by number. Comply with all applicable instructions; or, if not applicable, so state. File the application with Defense Minerals Exploration Administration, Department of the Interior, Washington 25, D. C., or with the nearest field executive officer thereof.

3. *Applicant's property rights.*—(*a*) State the legal description of the land upon which you wish to explore, including all land which you possess or control that may be benefited by the exploration, and excluding any land or interest in land which is not to be included in the exploration project contract Unpatented Mining Claims Situated in Section 9 Township 18S Range 17W Grant County New Mexico inside the Gila National Forest. The Claims are located as Springfield # at County Court House.

(*b*) State any mine name by which the property is known. Springfield Group.

(*c*) State your interest in the land, whether owner, lessee, purchaser under contract, or otherwise Owner

(*d*) If you are not the owner, submit with this application a copy of the lease, contract, or other document under which you control the property.

(*e*) If you own the land, describe any liens or encumbrances on it None

(*f*) If the land consists of unpatented claims, add to the description above, the book and page numbers for each recorded location notice.

4. *Physical description.*—(*a*) Describe in detail any mining or exploration operations which have been or now are being conducted upon the land, including existing mine workings and production facilities. State your interest, if any, in such operations. Also describe accessibility of mine workings for examination purposes.

(*b*) State past and current production, and ore reserves, if any, giving quantities and grades.

(*c*) Describe the geologic features of the property, including mineralization, type of deposit (vein, bedded, etc.), and your reasons for wishing to explore. Illustrate with maps or sketches. Send with your application (but not necessarily as a part of it) any geologic or engineering report, assay maps, or other technologic information you may have, indicating on each whether you require its return to you.

(*d*) State the facts with respect to the accessibility of the project: Access roads, distances to shipping, supply and residence points.

(*e*) State the availability of manpower, materials, supplies, equipment, water, and power.

5. *The exploration project.*—(*a*) State the mineral or minerals for which you wish to explore Uranium and Copper

(*b*) Describe fully the proposed work, including a map or sketch of the property showing a plan (and cross sections if needed) of any present mine workings, and the location of the proposed exploration work as related to such features as contacts, veins, ore-bearing beds, etc.

(*c*) The work will start within 1 days and be completed within ..... months from the date of an exploration project contract.

(*d*) State the operating experience and background of the applicant with relation to the ability to carry out such exploration project, and also that of the person or persons who will supervise the operations.

6. *Estimate of costs.*—Furnish a detailed estimate of the costs of the proposed work (you will have to use a separate sheet), under the following headings. Add the totals under all headings to give the estimated total cost of the project:

(*a*) *Independent contracts.*—(Note.—If the applicant does not intend to let any of the work to contractors, write "none" after this item. To the extent that the work is to be contracted, do not repeat the cost of the contract-work in subsequent items.) State the cost of any proposed independent contracts for the performance of all or any part of the work, expressed in terms of units of work (such as per foot of drilling, per foot of drifting, per hour of bulldozer operations, per cubic yard of material moved, etc.).

(*b*) *Labor, supervision, consultants.*—Include an itemized schedule of numbers, classes and rates of wages, salaries or fees for necessary labor, supervision and engineering and geological consultants.

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Dated March 3, 1956

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Beasley
(Applicant)

By Albert E. Beasley co-owner
and son of above couple

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Bert Beasley

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713 Champaine
May 6 —

Sir —
We don't know what
all the expenses will
be. Road completed
Absolute for money
to carry on — Send
a man with
$25.00 immediately
will license all expenses
as they come —
Had hoped the Texas
to work — Want action
immediately on a telegram to

H.W.C.

The president of the
United States follows
No one on this from
Can tell what day may
will be until they be
"on hands and feet"
Praise them —

Mrs. N. E. Beasley

Mine: Uncommon
Growing up —

(b) Allow $250.00 for Engineering & geological consultants.

(c) One Hardman Hamner air compressor 125 233.00 per month - payments. 2 jack hammers 1466.00 300 ft. of 2 inch pipe & 300 ft of 3½ inch pipe - $300.00

1000 gal. per month of gas $400.00 per year

400 gal diesel fuel for tractor - One boat $900.00

2,000.00 lumber $200.00

(d) Operation equipment

(d) The property is 8 miles from a paved highway and twenty-five miles from Silver City N. Mex.

(e) There is everything available in Silver City as far as man power Materials Supplies and equipment, Water is available near the property.

(5) (a) We wish to explore for uranium & copper.

(b) We wish to drive (3 00) ft. tunnel and a 300 ft. shaft and exploring the vein in both directions with a caterpillar tract

Sketch & map will be attached

Q All men have had some
exploration experience &
the men we have in charge
will be fully equipped
for process in this
project.
The man in charge
of the project will have
had several years
experience of hard
rock mining in the
Corp of Mex in his own
name, Name W.T. Beasley
of Lincoln, N. Mex.
(6) Estimate of costs
(a) Independent contracts
~~work~~ We intend to give
the men for a contract for
15 a ft. for their labor
where we furnish the equipment.

4 (a) Nothing but ordinary location work has been done on the property. There have been spent approx. The construction of a road and the opening of a ditch under supervision of our men and money.

(b) There has never been any production by us -

(c) This is a granite formation and Mica schist mountain. The uranium & copper is in a vein in a quartz & the reason we wish to sell now is on the A E C recommendation

We have no geological reports.