RE: Registration No. 55-
File No.

Dear Well Owner:

Enclosed is a copy of the Notice of Intention (NOI) to drill a well which you recently filed. This NOI is being returned to you as evidence of your compliance with A.R.S. § 45-596.

Your notice of intention for the referenced well indicates that the principal use of water will be supplying four households.

Title 45, Arizona Revised Statutes, does not offer the Department of Water Resources any statutory guidance which restricts or regulates the number of residences which may be served by an exempt well except that an exempt well which serves multiple households may not be the basis for establishing a service area designation inside of an active management area. The Department of Water Resources does not consider your specific situation to be a violation of the Groundwater Code. However, other state agencies, such as the Arizona Corporation Commission and the Department of Environmental Quality, may have regulations and policies which pertain to your circumstances.

The Department of Water Resources has processed your notice of intention and has issued an authority to drill this proposed well. However, our drilling authority is not a permit to violate other laws. You should understand that your stated use of water from this well may require compliance with regulations of other state agencies.

Sincerely,

Lawrence A. (Al) Ramsey
Chief, Operations Division

cc: AZ Department of Environmental Quality
AZ Corporation Commission
Mark Frank, Director, Phoenix Active Management Area