File No. 29554

The Texas Company, a Delaware Corporation, Optionee

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RELINQUISHMENT OF OPTION

#136293

Lester C. Hotchkiss and Alpha L. Hotchkiss, Optionors

Relinquishment of Option

THE TEXAS COMPANY, a Delaware corporation, the Optionee named in that certain option engagreements and dated March 29, 1950, and recorded in the office of the County Recorder of White Pine County, Nevada in Book 151, Pages 282-287 of Miscellaneous Records and also recorded in the office of the County Recorder of Eureka County, Nevada in Book F, Page 150 of Miscellaneous Records, wherein LESTER C. HOTCHKISS and ALPHA L. HOTCHKISS, are named as Optionors, relating to the land covered by those certain United States oil and gas leases Serial Nos. Nevada 0677, and Nevada 01878 (Part of Nevada 0677 (a)), does hereby relinquish and surrender said option and all rights thereunder.

Dated May 27, 1952

THE TEXAS COMPANY

(Notarial Seal)

By L. B. Snedden
Its Attorney-in-Fact
L.B. Snedden

Attest: E.B. Liles

Assistant Secretary

E.B. Liles

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

ON THIS 27th day of May, in the year 1952, before me, RICHARD A. PAIMER, a Notary Bublic in and for the said County and State, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared L.B. Snedden, known to me to be the person who executed the within instrument on behalf of The Texas Company, a Delaware corporation, the corporation therein named, and whose name is subscribed to the within instrument as the Attorney-in-Fact of said corporation, and acknowledged to me that he subscribed the name of said corporation thereto as principal, and his own name as Attorney-in-Fact, and acknowledged to me that such corporation executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal the day and year in this certificate first above written.

Richard A. Palmer

Notary Public in and for said

County and State.

My Commission expires: 4-8-56

(Notarial Seal)
Recorded at the Request of The Texas Co., September 2 A.D. 1952 at 45 minutes past 4 P.M.