

UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

Office NEVADA

Serial No. 32100

OFFER TO LEASE AND LEASE FOR OIL AND GAS  
(Sec. 17 Noncompetitive Public Domain Lease)

The undersigned hereby offers to lease all or any of the lands described in item 2 that are available for lease, pursuant and subject to the terms and provisions of the Act of February 25, 1920 (41 Stat. 437, 30 U. S. C. sec. 181), as amended, hereinafter referred to as the Act and to all reasonable regulations of the Secretary of the Interior now or hereafter in force, when not inconsistent with any express and specific provisions herein, which are made a part hereof.

**McMoran-Freeport Oil Company**

Please verify the mailing address of any change of address.

P. O. Box 61922  
(Number and Street)  
New Orleans, Louisiana 70161  
(City, State, ZIP Code)

Mount Diablo  
Meridian

2. Land requested: State Nevada County Elko & Eureka T. -27-N : R-52-E : / Meridian  
-27-N -53-E  
TOWNSHIP 27 NORTH, RANGE 52 EAST (Curka P.)  
Section 1: Lots 1,2,3&4, S $\frac{1}{2}$ N $\frac{1}{2}$ , S $\frac{1}{2}$   
Section 13: ALL  
Section 25: ALL  
TOWNSHIP 27 NORTH, RANGE 53 EAST (Elko Co.)  
Section 3: Lots 1,2,3&4, S $\frac{1}{2}$ N $\frac{1}{2}$ , S $\frac{1}{2}$   
Section 5: Lots 1,2,3&4, S $\frac{1}{2}$ N $\frac{1}{2}$ , S $\frac{1}{2}$   
Section 7: Lots 1,2,3,4,5,6,7&8, E $\frac{1}{2}$ N $\frac{1}{2}$ , E $\frac{1}{2}$   
Section 9: ALL  
Section 15: ALL  
Total Area 5,235.16 Acres

3. Land included in lease: State Nevada County Elko & Eureka T. : R. Meridian  
T. 27 N., R. 52 E., MDN, Nevada  
sec. 1, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, S $\frac{1}{2}$ N $\frac{1}{2}$ , S $\frac{1}{2}$ (all);  
sec. 13, all;  
sec. 25, all.  
NOT IN A KNOWN GEOLOGIC  
STRUCTURE ON DATE OF  
USGS REPORT  
T. 27 N., R. 53 E., MDN, Nevada  
sec. 3, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, S $\frac{1}{2}$ N $\frac{1}{2}$ , S $\frac{1}{2}$ (all);  
sec. 5, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, S $\frac{1}{2}$ N $\frac{1}{2}$ , S $\frac{1}{2}$ (all);  
sec. 7, lots 1 thru 8, E $\frac{1}{2}$ N $\frac{1}{2}$ , E $\frac{1}{2}$ (all);  
sec. 9, all;  
sec. 15, all.  
Total Area 5235.16 Acres Rental retained \$ 5236.00

(Offeror does not fill in this block) Total Area 5235.16 Acres Rental retained \$ 5236.00  
4. Amount remitted: Filing fee \$10, Rental \$ 5,236.00 Total \$ 5,246.00

5. Undersigned certifies as follows:  
(a) Offeror is a citizen of the United States. Native born \_\_\_\_\_ Naturalized \_\_\_\_\_ Corporation or other legal entity (specify what kind): A Delaware Corporation (See Corporate Qualification File No. W-56943 at the Bureau of Land Management Office in Cheyenne, Wyoming.)  
(b) Offeror's interests, direct and indirect, do not exceed 200,000 acres in oil and gas options or 248,000 chargeable acres in lease options, offers to lease and leases in the same State, or 300,000 chargeable acres in lease, offers to lease and options in each leasing district in Alaska. (c) Offeror accepts as a part of this lease, to the extent applicable, the stipulations provided for in 43 CFR 3103.2. (d) Offeror is 21 years of age or over (or if a corporation or other legal entity, is duly qualified as shown by state-tracted surveys by appropriate subdivisions thereof, or all unsurveyed lands not covered by protracted surveys by metes and bounds, and further states that there are no settlers on unsurveyed lands described herein.  
6. Offeror  is  is not the sole party in interest in this offer and lease, if issued. (If not the sole party in interest, statements should be filed as prescribed in Item 6 of the Special Instructions.)  
7. Offeror's signature to this offer shall also constitute offeror's signature to, and acceptance of, this lease and any amendment thereto that may cover any land described in this offer open to lease application at the time the offer was filed but omitted from this lease for any reason, or signature to, or acceptance of, any separate lease for such land. The offeror further agrees that (a) this offer cannot be withdrawn, either in whole or in part, unless the withdrawal is received by the land office before this lease; an amendment to this lease, or a separate lease, whichever covers the land described in the withdrawal, has been signed in behalf of the United States, and (b) this offer and lease shall apply only to lands not within a known geologic structure of a producing oil or gas field.  
8. If this lease form does not contain all of the terms and conditions of the lease form in effect at the date of filing, the offeror further agrees to be bound by the terms and conditions contained in that form.  
9. It is hereby certified that the statements made herein are complete and correct to the best of offeror's knowledge and belief and are made in good faith.

Offeror duly executed this instrument this 14th day of February, 1981  
By: James H. Frizell  
(Signature)  
James H. Frizell, Sr. Vice President.  
(Attorney-in-fact)

This lease for the lands described in item 3 above is hereby issued, subject to the provisions of the offer and on the reverse side hereof.  
Subject to the attached stipulations  
THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
By: William K. Stover Acting  
Chief, Branch of Lands (Signing officer) JUL 31 1981  
& Minerals Operations (Title)

Effective date of lease AUG 01 1981  
THIS OFFER MAY BE REJECTED AND RETURNED TO THE OFFEROR AND WILL AFFORD THE OFFEROR NO PRIORITY IF IT IS NOT PROPERLY FILLED IN AND EXECUTED OR IF IT IS NOT ACCOMPANIED BY THE REQUIRED DOCUMENTS OR PAYMENTS.

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LEASE TERMS

Section 1. Rights of owner. The lessee in granting the petroleum rights and... Section 2. Term of lease. This lease shall be in full force and effect from the date...

Section 3. Obligations of lessee. The lessee shall be obligated to pay to the owner... Section 4. Obligations of owner. The owner shall be obligated to provide...

Section 5. Assignment and sublease. The lessee shall have the right to assign or sublease... Section 6. Force majeure. In the event of force majeure, the lessee shall be relieved...

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INSTRUCTIONS

1. Offer to be made by the lessee to the owner... 2. Offer to be made by the owner to the lessee... 3. Offer to be made by the lessee to the owner...

4. Offer to be made by the owner to the lessee... 5. Offer to be made by the lessee to the owner... 6. Offer to be made by the owner to the lessee...

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STATE OF LOUISIANA )  
                          ) SS  
PARISH OF ORLEANS )

On MAY 12, 1983 personally appeared before me,  
a notary public, James R. Frizell, who acknowledged that he executed the  
above instrument as his free and voluntary act on behalf of Freeport Oil  
Company whose name was changed by merger to McMoran-Freeport Oil Company.

Walter D. Sanchez  
Notary Public



At Death  
My commission expires:

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