

SURRENDER OF OIL AND GAS LEASE IN WHOLE

WHEREAS, Under date of October 1, 1987, the Secretary of the Interior of the United States, pursuant to the terms and provisions of the Act of Congress, approved February 25, 1920 (41 Stat. 437), as amended, issued that certain Oil and Gas Lease bearing Serial Number N-46838 to HUNT OIL COMPANY OF NEVADA, recorded in Book 165, Page 263, Entry No. 112585 of the records of Eureka County, Nevada, and covering the following described lands situated in Eureka County, Nevada, to-wit:

Township 28 North, Range 50 East
Section 26: All
Section 35: All
Containing 1,280.00 acres, more or less

WHEREAS, HUNT OIL COMPANY OF NEVADA, Fountain Place, 1445 Ross at Field, Dallas, Texas 75202, is the present owner and holder of said Oil and Gas Lease and all rents, royalties, and other obligations due and payable under said lease have been duly paid to the United States of America and there is not now due or owing any wages or monies to workmen employed in operations conducted on the above described lands, and the public interest will not be impaired if said lease is surrendered in its entirety; and full provisions for the conservation and protection of the said property have been made by the Lessee and,

WHEREAS, HUNT OIL COMPANY OF NEVADA now desires to surrender to the United States of America, pursuant to the right of surrender, contained in said lease, all of the above described lands.

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the premises, the undersigned, Hunt Oil Company of Nevada, the present owner of said lease, does hereby surrender, release, assign and relinquish to the United States of America all of its right, title and interest in and to the lands described above.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this instrument is executed this 20th day of September, 1993.

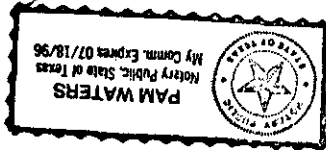
HUNT OIL COMPANY OF NEVADA

By: Max A. Perkins
Max A. Perkins, Vice President
Exploration

STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF DALLAS

This instrument was acknowledged before me on September 20th, 1993, by Max A. Perkins, Vice President-Exploration of HUNT OIL COMPANY OF NEVADA, a Delaware corporation, on behalf of said corporation.



Notary Public

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EUREKA COUNTY NEVADA
M.M. REBALEATI, RECORDER
FILE NO. FEE \$ 7.00

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Hunt Oil Co. of Nev.

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