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	RAL	07-105214	137097	REEVES
		Survey	Public School Land	d
		Block	58	
		Block Name		
TERMINATION		Township		
DATE 11/1/2013		Section/Tract	40	
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MAPS		Acres	Net: 80.000000	Gross: 80.000000
GIS		Depth Below	Depth Above	Depth Other
			12378	Specified Depths
\sim		Name	SWEPI LP	
Leasing:		Lease Date	8/30/2012	
Maps:		Primary Term	1 years	
. /		Bonus	\$120,000.00	
GIS: MC		Lease Royalty	0.12500000	
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MEMO TO FILES MF104548, MF104778, MF107619 & MF107769

(Copy To MF116494, MF116495, MF116496 & MF116497)

Date: 06/06/2014

From: Linda Price

RE: Lease Terminations

MF104548, MF104778, MF107619 and MF107769 were originally all part of Accounting Unit 5206.

During the period July 2012 through October 2012, there was no production reported for the Block 58 State $40 - 14 \, \text{#1H}$ (API#: 42-389-32449). Production resumed in November 2012 and continued for the duration of the review of the accounting unit.

The non-production time period coincided with the assignment by Chesapeake to SWEPI of its interest in the leases. The GLO sent SWEPI a termination letter on August 29, 2013 stating that, absent evidence that operations were conducted adequate to perpetuate the leases without a cessation of more than sixty (60) days during the period in question, the leases were terminated. In a letter dated October 14, 2013, SWEPI responded that they could find no evidence that Chesapeake conducted drilling operations adequate to perpetuate the leases without a cessation of more than sixty (60) days during the time period in question and requested that the GLO ratify the leases and stated that if the State did not ratify the leases, it would not receive royalty payments on the production.

By letter dated October 25, 2013, the GLO advised SWEPI that, based upon the TAC §9.34(e), the GLO cannot ratify leases and that, with the termination of the leases, the GLO owned 100% of the royalty. The GLO informed SWEPI that it would approve either Option 1) SWEPI could negotiate with the surface owners one-year leases back-dated to August 30, 2012, for the 200 acres covering the SE/4 SW/4, W/2 SE/4 and S/2 NE/4 of Section 40 across which the well was located, from the surface to 12,378' and with the bonus to be shared equally between the State and the surface owners or Option 2) SWEPI could negotiate new, long term leases with the surface owners at the market rate. The GLO gave SWEPI 30 days from the receipt of the options offer to respond.

By email dated November 21, 2013, SWEPI elected to pursue Option 1.

The new leases were subsequently executed and filed with the GLO. Upon receipt of the new leases, the GLO decided that the administration of the new leases would most efficiently be managed by giving them new lease numbers instead of adding the new leases to the original lease number files. The old leases were terminated* as of August 29, 2012 and new files were set up as follows:

	New Lease		New Lease	New Lease
Original Lease No.	MF No.	Agent for State	Acres	Tract Descrip.
MF104778A*	MF116494	Dela Minerals Inc.	80	W/2 of SE/4
MF104548	MF116495	Lester Charles Weatherby, Jr.	40	SE/4 SW/4
MF107619B	MF116496A	Mark A. Chapman	35	SW/4 NE/4
MF107619A	MF116496B	Estate of Kelly H. Baxter	5	SW/4 NE/4
MF107769**	MF116497A	Helen Carolyn Allen	20	SE/4 NE/4
	MF116497B	Laura Allen Quisenberry	20	SE/4 NE/4

The new leases upon which the well crosses are not unitized and, since the GLO does not use the designation of "accounting units" any longer for such situations, the GLO setup NUML 8008 (non-unitized multiple leases) for the accounting of the revenue.

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In order to give SWEPI adequate time to adjust their reporting and payment procedures, it was decided that royalty revenue would continue to be credited under the old Accounting Unit 5206 until April 30, 2014 and payments to NUML8008 would begin as of May 1, 2014. SWEPI was notified of the necessary payment and reporting changes by email dated June 6, 2014.

*MF104778A was not terminated at this time because it was part of an additional old accounting unit under review. The lease net acreage was reduced by the 160 acres of the SE/4 of Section 40. SWEPI was notified that it could immediately execute and file a certified, recorded partial release of the SE/4 of Section 40 knowing that an additional release might later be required when the review of Accounting Unit 4554 was completed, or that it could wait until the review of Accounting Unit 4554 was completed so that, if additional acreage needed to be released, only one release of all terminated acreage would have to be filed.

^{**}MF107769 was originally one lease of two undivided interests. When SWEPI took new leases, it put the two undivided interests of MF107769 into two separate, A and B, leases of MF116797.

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Jerry E. Patterson. Commissioner
By

MF 116494

General Land Office Relinquishment Act Lease Form Revised, September 1997

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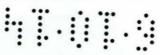
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and through its agent, DE	ELA MINERALS INC. of P.O. Box 2	2539, Midland, Texas 79702	
(Give Permanent Address)			
d agent herein referred to	o as the owner of the soil (whether	one or more), and SWEPI LP	
P.C). Box 576, Houston, T	Texas 77001	10	hereinafter called Lessee.
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In a like manner and upon like payments or tenders annually, the commencement of a well may be further deferred for successive periods of one (1) year each during the primary term. All payments or tenders of rental to the owner of the soil may be made by check or sight draft of Lessee, or any assignee of this lease, and may be delivered on or before the rental paying date. If the bank designated in this paragraph (or its successor bank) should cease to exist, suspend business, liquidate, fail or be succeeded by another bank, or for any reason fail or refuse to accept rental, Lessee shall not be held in default for failure to make such payments or tenders of rental until thirty (30) days after the owner of the soil shall deliver to Lessee a proper recordable instrument naming another bank as agent to receive such payments or tenders.

4. PRODUCTION ROYALTIES. Upon production of oil and/or gas, Lessee agrees to pay or cause to be paid one-half (1/2) of the royalty provided for in this lease to the Commissioner of the General Land Office of the State of Texas, at Austin, Texas, and one-half (1/2) of such royalty to the



owner of the soil:

(A) OIL. Royalty payable on oil, which is defined as including all hydrocarbons produced in a liquid form at the mouth of the well and also as all condensate, distillate, and other liquid hydrocarbons recovered from oil or gas run through a separator or other equipment, as hereinafter provided, shall be _____1/4______ part of the gross production or the market value thereof, at the option of the owner of the soil or the Commissioner of the General Land Office, such value to be determined by 1) the highest posted price, plus premium, if any, offered or paid for oil, condensate, distillate, or other liquid hydrocarbons, respectively, of a like type and gravity in the general area where produced and when run, or 2) the highest market price thereof offered or paid in the general area where produced and when run, or 3) the gross proceeds of the sale thereof, whichever is the greater. Lessee agrees that before any gas produced from the leased premises is sold, used or processed in a plant, it will be run free of cost to the royalty owners through an adequate oil and gas separator of conventional type, or other equipment at least as efficient, so that all liquid hydrocarbons recoverable from the gas by such means will be recovered. The requirement that such gas be run through a separator or other equipment may be waived, in writing, by the royalty owners upon such terms and conditions as they prescribe.

(D) OTHER PRODUCTS. Royalty on carbon black, sulphur or any other products produced or manufactured from gas (excepting liquid hydrocarbons) whether said gas be "casinghead," "dry," or any other gas, by fractionating, burning or any other processing shall be 1/4 part of the gross production of such products, or the market value thereof, at the option of the owner of the soil or the Commissioner of the General Land Office, such market value to be determined as follows: 1) on the basis of the highest market price of each product for the same month in which such product is produced, or 2) on the basis of the average gross sale price of each product for the same month in which such products are produced; whichever is the greater.

5. MINIMUM ROYALTY. During any year after the expiration of the primary term of this lease, if this lease is maintained by production, the royalties paid under this lease in no event shall be less than an amount equal to the total annual delay rental herein provided; otherwise, there shall be due and payable on or before the last day of the month succeeding the anniversary date of this lease a sum equal to the total annual rental less the amount of royalties paid during the preceding year. If Paragraph 3 of this lease does not specify a delay rental amount, then for the purposes of this paragraph, the delay rental amount shall be one dollar (\$1.00) per acre.

6. ROYALTY IN KIND. Notwithstanding any other provision in this lease, at any time or from time to time, the owner of the soil or the Commissioner of the General Land Office may, at the option of either, upon not less than sixty (60) days notice to the holder of the lease, require that the payment of any royalties accruing to such royalty owner under this lease be made in kind. The owner of the soil's or the Commissioner of the General Land Office's right to take its royalty in kind shall not diminish or negate the owner of the soil's or the Commissioner of the General Land Office's rights or Lessee's obligations, whether express or implied, under this lease.

7. NO DEDUCTIONS. Lessee agrees that all royalties accruing under this lease (including those paid in kind) shall be without deduction for the cost of producing, gathering, storing, separating, treating, dehydrating, compressing, processing, transporting, and otherwise making the oil, gas and other products hereunder ready for sale or use. Lessee agrees to compute and pay royalties on the gross value received, including any reimbursements for severance taxes and production related costs.

8. PLANT FUEL AND RECYCLED GAS. No royalty shall be payable on any gas as may represent this lease's proportionate share of any fuel used to process gas produced hereunder in any processing plant. Notwithstanding any other provision of this lease, and subject to the written consent of the owner of the soil and the Commissioner of the General Land Office, Lessee may recycle gas for gas lift purposes on the leased premises or for injection into any oil or gas producing formation underlying the leased premises after the liquid hydrocarbons contained in the gas have been removed; no royalties shall be payable on the recycled gas until it is produced and sold or used by Lessee in a manner which entitles the royalty owners to a royalty under this lease.

ROYALTY PAYMENTS AND REPORTS. All royalties not taken in kind shall be paid to the Commissioner of the General Land Office at Austin, Texas, in the following manner:

Payment of royalty on production of oil and gas shall be as provided in the rules set forth in the Texas Register. Rules currently provide that royalty on oil is due and must be received in the General Land Office on or before the 5th day of the second month succeeding the month of production, and royalty on gas is due and must be received in the General Land Office on or before the 15th day of the second month succeeding the month of production, accompanied by the affidavit of the owner, manager or other authorized agent, completed in the form and manner prescribed by the General Land Office and showing the gross amount and disposition of all oil and gas produced and the market value of the oil and gas, together with a copy of all documents, records or reports confirming the gross production, disposition and market value including gas meter readings, pipeline receipts, gas line receipts and other checks or memoranda of amount produced and put into pipelines, tanks, or pools and gas lines or gas storage, and any other reports or records which the General Land Office may require to verify the gross production, disposition and market value. In all cases the authority of a manager or agent to act for the Lessee herein must be filed in the General Land Office. Each royalty payment shall be accompanied by a check stub, schedule, summary or other remittance advice showing by the assigned General Land Office lease number the amount of royalty being paid on each lease. If Lessee pays his royalty on or before thirty (30) days after the royalty payment was due, then Lessee owes a penalty of 5% on the royalty or \$25.00, whichever is greater. A royalty payment which is over thirty (30) days late shall accrue a penalty of 10% of the royalty due or \$25.00 whichever is greater. In addition to a penalty, royalties shall accrue interest at a rate of 12% per year; such interest will begin to accrue when the royalty is sixty (60) days overdue. Affidavits and supporting documents which are not filed when due shall incur a penalty

10. (A) RESERVES, CONTRACTS AND OTHER RECORDS. Lessee shall annually furnish the Commissioner of the General Land Office with its best possible estimate of oil and gas reserves underlying this lease or allocable to this lease and shall furnish said Commissioner with copies of all contracts under which gas is sold or processed and all subsequent agreements and amendments to such contracts within thirty (30) days after entering into or making such contracts, agreements or amendments. Such contracts and agreements when received by the General Land Office shall be held in confidence by the General Land Office unless otherwise authorized by Lessee. All other contracts and records pertaining to the production, transportation, sale and marketing of the oil and gas produced on said premises, including the books and accounts, receipts and discharges of all wells, tanks, pools, meters, and pipelines shall at all times be subject to inspection and examination by the Commissioner of the General Land Office, the Attorney General, the Governor, or the representative of any of them.

(B) PERMITS, DRILLING RECORDS. Written notice of all operations on this lease shall be submitted to the Commissioner of the General





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(C) PENALTIES. Lessee shall incur a penalty whenever reports, documents or other materials are not filed in the General Land Office when due. The penalty for late filing shall be set by the General Land Office administrative rule which is effective on the date when the materials were due in the General Land Office.

11. DRY HOLE/CESSATION OF PRODUCTION DURING PRIMARY TERM. If, during the primary term hereof and prior to discovery and production of oil or gas on said land, Lessee should drill a dry hole or holes thereon, or if during the primary term hereof and after the discovery and actual production of oil or gas from the leased premises such production thereof should cease from any cause, this lease shall not terminate if on or before the expiration of sixty (60) days from date of completion of said dry hole or cessation of production Lessee commences additional drilling or reworking operations thereon, or pays or tenders the next annual delay rental in the same manner as provided in this lease. If, during the last year of the primary term or within sixty (60) days prior thereto, a dry hole be completed and abandoned, or the production of oil or gas should cease for any cause, Lessee's rights shall remain in full force and effect without further operations until the expiration of the primary term; and if Lessee has not resumed production in paying quantities at the expiration of the primary term, Lessee may maintain this lease by conducting additional drilling or reworking operations pursuant to Paragraph 13, using the expiration of the primary term as the date of cessation of production under Paragraph 13. Should the first well or any subsequent well drilled on the above described land be completed as a shut-in oil or gas well within the primary term hereof, Lessee may • resume payment of the annual rental in the same manner as provided herein on or before the rental paying date following the expiration of sixty (60) days from the date of completion of such shut-in oil or gas well and upon the failure to make such payment, this lease shall ipso facto terminate. If at the expiration of the primary term or any time thereafter a shut-in oil or gas well is located on the leased premises, payments may be made in accordance with the shut-in provisions hereof.

12. DRILLING AND REWORKING AT EXPIRATION OF PRIMARY TERM. If, at the expiration of the primary term, results in force so long as operations on produced on said land, but Lessee is then engaged in drilling or reworking operations thereon, this lease shall remain in force so long as operations on produced on said land, but Lessee is then engaged in drilling or reworking operations thereon, this lease shall remain in force so long as operations on growing the same prosecuted in good faith and in workmanlike manner without interruptions totaling more than sixty (60) days during any one such operation, and if they result in the production of oil and/or gas, so long thereafter as oil and/or gas is produced in paying quantities from said land, or payment of shut-in oil or gas well royalties or compensatory royalties is made as provided in this lease.

13. CESSATION, DRILLING, AND REWORKING. If, after the expiration of the primary term, production of oil or gas from the leased premises, after once obtained, should cease from any cause, this lease shall not terminate if Lessee commences additional drilling or reworking operations within sixty (60) days after such cessation, and this lease shall remain in full force and effect for so long as such operations continue in good faith and in workmanlike manner without interruptions totaling more than sixty (60) days. If such drilling or reworking operations result in the production of oil or gas, the lease shall remain in full force and effect for so long as oil or gas is produced from the leased premises in paying quantities or payment of shut-in oil or gas well royalties or payment of compensatory royalties is made as provided herein or as provided by law. If the drilling or reworking operations result in the completion of a well as a dry hole, the lease will not terminate if the Lessee commences additional drilling or reworking operations within sixty (60) days after the completion of the well as a dry hole, and this lease shall remain in effect so long as Lessee continues drilling or reworking operations in good faith and in a workmanlike manner without interruptions totaling more than sixty (60) days. Lessee shall give written notice to the General Land Office within thirty (30) days of any cessation of production.

14. SHUT-IN ROYALTIES. For purposes of this paragraph, "well" means any well that has been assigned a well number by the state agency having jurisdiction over the production of oil and gas. If, at any time after the expiration of the primary term of a lease that, until being shut in, was being maintained in force and effect, a well capable of producing oil or gas in paying quantities is located on the leased premises, but oil or gas is not being produced for lack of suitable production facilities or lack of a suitable market, then Lessee may pay as a shut-in oil or gas royalty an amount equal to double the annual rental provided in the lease, but not less than \$1,200 a year for each well capable of producing oil or gas in paying quantities. If Paragraph 3 of this lease does not specify a delay rental amount, then for the purposes of this paragraph, the delay rental amount shall be one dollar (\$1.00) per acre. To be effective, each initial shut-in oil or gas royalty must be paid on or before: (1) the expiration of the primary term, (2) 60 days after the Lessee ceases to produce oil or gas from the leased premises, or (3) 60 days after Lessee completes a drilling or reworking operation in accordance with the lease provisions; whichever date is latest. Such payment shall be made one-half (1/2) to the Commissioner of the General Land Office and onehalf (1/2) to the owner of the soil. If the shut-in oil or gas royalty is paid, the lease shall be considered to be a producing lease and the payment shall extend the term of the lease for a period of one year from the end of the primary term, or from the first day of the month following the month in which production ceased, and, after that, if no suitable production facilities or suitable market for the oil or gas exists, Lessee may extend the lease for four more successive periods of one (1) year by paying the same amount each year on or before the expiration of each shut-in year

15. COMPENSATORY ROYALTIES. If, during the period the lease is kept in effect by payment of the shut-in oil or gas royalty, oil or gas is sold and delivered in paying quantities from a well located within one thousand (1,000) feet of the leased premises and completed in the same producing reservoir, or in any case in which drainage is occurring, the right to continue to maintain the lease by paying the shut-in oil or gas royalty shall cease, but the lease shall remain effective for the remainder of the year for which the royalty has been paid. The Lessee may maintain the lease for four more successive years by Lessee paying compensatory royalty at the royalty rate provided in the lease of the market value of production from the well causing the drainage or which is completed in the same producing reservoir and within one thousand (1,000) feet of the leased premises. The compensatory royalty is to be paid monthly, one-half (1/2) to the Commissioner of the General Land Office and one-half (1/2) to the owner of the soil, beginning on or before the last day of the month following the month in which the oil or gas is produced from the well causing the drainage or that is completed in the same producing reservoir and located within one thousand (1,000) feet of the leased premises. If the compensatory royalty paid in any 12-month period is an amount less than the annual shut-in oil or gas royalty, Lessee shall pay an amount equal to the difference within thirty (30) days from the end of the 12-month period. Compensatory royalty payments which are not timely paid will accrue penalty and interest in accordance with Paragraph 9 of this lease. None of these provisions will relieve Lessee of the obligation of reasonable development nor the obligation to drill offset wells as provided in Texas Natural Resources Code 52.173; however, at the determination of the Commissioner, and with the Commissioner's written approval, the payment of compensatory royalties can satisfy the obligation to drill offset wells.

16. RETAINED ACREAGE. Notwithstanding any provision of this lease to the contrary, after a well producing or capable of producing oil or gas has been completed on the leased premises, Lessee shall exercise the diligence of a reasonably prudent operator in drilling such additional well or wells as may be reasonably necessary for the proper development of the leased premises and in marketing the production thereon.

(A) VERTICAL. In the event this lease is in force and effect two (2) years after the expiration date of the primary or extended term it shall then terminate as to all of the leased premises, EXCEPT (1) 40 acres surrounding each oil well capable of producing in paying quantities and 320 acres surrounding each gas well capable of producing in paying quantities (including a shut-in oil or gas well as provided in Paragraph 14 hereof), or a well upon which Lessee is then engaged in continuous drilling or reworking operations, or (2) the number of acres included in a producing pooled unit pursuant to Texas Natural Resources Code 52.151-52.154, or (3) such greater or lesser number of acres as may then be allocated for production purposes to a proration unit for each such producing well under the rules and regulations of the Railroad Commission of Texas, or any successor agency, or other governmental authority having jurisdiction. If at any time after the effective date of the partial termination provisions hereof, the applicable field rules are changed or the well or wells located thereon are reclassified so that less acreage is thereafter allocated to said well or wells for production purposes, this lease shall thereupon terminate as to all acreage not thereafter allocated to said well or wells for production purposes. Notwithstanding the termination of this lease as to a portion of the lands covered hereby, Lessee shall nevertheless continue to have the right of ingress to and egress from the lands still subject to this lease for all purposes described in Paragraph 1 hereof, together with easements and rights-of-way for existing roads, existing pipelines and other existing facilities on, over and across all the lands described in Paragraph 1 hereof ("the retained lands"), for access to and from the retained lands and for the gathering or transportation of oil, gas and other minerals produced from the retained lands.

(B) HORIZONTAL. In the event this lease is in force and effect two (2) years after the expiration date of the primary or extended term it shall further terminate as to all depths below 100 feet below the total depth drilled (hereinafter "deeper depths") in each well located on acreage retained in





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Paragraph 16 (A) above, unless on or before two (2) years after the primary or extended term Lessee pays an amount equal to one-half (1/2) of the bonus originally paid as consideration for this lease (as specified on page 1 hereof). If such amount is paid, this lease shall be in force and effect as to such deeper depths, and said termination shall be delayed for an additional period of two (2) years and so long thereafter as oil or gas is produced in paying quantities from such deeper depths covered by this lease.

(C) IDENTIFICATION AND FILING. The surface acreage retained hereunder as to each well shall, as nearly as practical, be in the form of a square with the well located in the center thereof, or such other shape as may be approved by the Commissioner of the General Land Office. Within thirty (30) days after partial termination of this lease as provided herein, Lessee shall execute and record a release or releases containing a satisfactory legal description of the acreage and/or depths not retained hereunder. The recorded release, or a certified copy of same, shall be filed in the General Land Office, accompanied by the filing fee prescribed by the General Land Office rules in effect on the date the release is filed. If Lessee fails or refuses to execute and record such release or releases within ninety (90) days after being requested to do so by the General Land Office, then the Commissioner at his sole discretion may designate by written instrument the acreage and/or depths to be released hereunder and record such instrument at Lessee's expense in the county or counties where the lease is located and in the official records of the General Land Office and such designation shall be binding upon Lessee for all purposes.

17. OFFSET WELLS. Neither the bonus, delay rentals, nor royalties paid, or to be paid, under this lease shall relieve Lessee of his obligation to protect the oil and gas under the above-described land from being drained. Lessee, sublessee, receiver or other agent in control of the leased premises shall drill as many wells as the facts may justify and shall use appropriate means and drill to a depth necessary to prevent undue drainage of oil and gas from the leased premises. In addition, if oil and/or gas should be produced in commercial quantities within 1,000 feet of the leased premises, or in any case where the leased premises is being drained by production of oil or gas, the Lessee, sublessee, receiver or other agent in control of the leased premises shall in good faith begin the drilling of a well or wells upon the leased premises within 100 days after the draining well or wells or the well or wells completed within 1,000 feet of the leased premises start producing in commercial quantities and shall prosecute such drilling with diligence. Failure to satisfy the statutory offset obligation may subject this lease and the owner of the soil's agency rights to forfeiture. Only upon the determination of the Commissioner of the General Land Office and with his written approval may the payment of compensatory royalty under applicable statutory parameters satisfy the obligation to drill an offset well or wells required under this paragraph.

18. FORCE MAJEURE. If, after a good faith effort, Lessee is prevented from complying with any express or implied covenant of this lease, from conducting drilling operations on the leased premises, or from producing oil or gas from the leased premises by reason of war, rebellion, riots, strikes, acts of God, or any valid order, rule or regulation of government authority, then while so prevented, Lessee's obligation to comply with such covenant shall be suspended and Lessee shall not be liable for damages for failure to comply with such covenants; additionally, this lease shall be extended while Lessee is prevented, by any such cause, from conducting drilling and reworking operations or from producing oil or gas from the leased
 premises. However, nothing in this paragraph shall suspend the payment of delay rentals in order to maintain this lease in effect during the primary term in the absence of such drilling or reworking operations or production of oil or gas.

19. WARRANTY CLAUSE. The owner of the soil warrants and agrees to defend title to the leased premises. If the owner of the soil defaults in payments owed on the leased premises, then Lessee may redeem the rights of the owner of the soil in the leased premises by paying any mortgage, taxes or other liens on the leased premises. If Lessee makes payments on behalf of the owner of the soil under this paragraph, Lessee may recover the cost of these payments from the rental and royalties due the owner of the soil.

20. (A) PROPORTIONATE REDUCTION CLAUSE. If the owner of the soil owns less than the entire undivided surface estate in the above described land, whether or not Lessee's interest is specified herein, then the royalties and rental herein provided to be paid to the owner of the soil shall be paid to him in the proportion which his interest bears to the entire undivided surface estate and the royalties and rental herein provided to be paid to the Commissioner of the General Land Office of the State of Texas shall be likewise proportionately reduced. However, before Lessee adjusts the royalty or rental due to the Commissioner of the General Land Office, Lessee or his authorized representative must submit to the Commissioner of the General Land Office a written statement which explains the discrepancy between the interest purportedly leased under this lease and the actual interest owned by the owner of the soil. The Commissioner of the General Land Office shall be paid the value of the whole production allocable to any undivided interest. However, in no event shall the Commissioner of the General Land Office receive as a royalty on the gross production allocable to the undivided interest not leased an amount less than the value of one-sixteenth (1/16) of such gross production.

(B) REDUCTION OF PAYMENTS. If, during the primary term, a portion of the land covered by this lease is included within the boundaries of a pooled unit that has been approved by the School Land Board and the owner of the soil in accordance with Natural Resources Code Sections 52.151-52.154, or if, at any time after the expiration of the primary term or the extended term, this lease covers a lesser number of acres than the total amount described herein, payments that are made on a per acre basis hereunder shall be reduced according to the number of acres pooled, released, surrendered, or otherwise severed, so that payments determined on a per acre basis under the terms of this lease during the primary term shall be calculated based upon the number of acres outside the boundaries of a pooled unit, or, if after the expiration of the primary term, the number of acres actually retained and covered by this lease.

21. USE OF WATER. Lessee shall have the right to use water produced on said land necessary for operations under this lease except water from wells or tanks of the owner of the soil; provided, however, Lessee shall not use potable water or water suitable for livestock or irrigation purposes for waterflood operations without the prior consent of the owner of the soil.

22. AUTHORIZED DAMAGES. Lessee shall pay the owner of the soil for damages caused by its operations to all personal property, improvements, livestock and crops on said land.

23. PIPELINE DEPTH. When requested by the owner of the soil, Lessee shall bury its pipelines below plow depth.

24. WELL LOCATION LIMIT. No well shall be drilled nearer than two hundred (200) feet to any house or barn now on said premises without the written consent of the owner of the soil.

25. POLLUTION. In developing this area, Lessee shall use the highest degree of care and all proper safeguards to prevent pollution. Without limiting the foregoing, pollution of coastal wetlands, natural waterways, rivers and impounded water shall be prevented by the use of containment facilities sufficient to prevent spillage, seepage or ground water contamination. In the event of pollution, Lessee shall use all means at its disposal to recapture all escaped hydrocarbons or other pollutant and shall be responsible for all damage to public and private properties. Lessee shall build and maintain fences around its slush, sump, and drainage pits and tank batteries so as to protect livestock against loss, damage or injury; and upon completion or abandonment of any well or wells, Lessee shall fill and level all slush pits and cellars and completely clean up the drilling site of all rubbish thereon. Lessee shall, while conducting operations on the leased premises, keep said premises free of all rubbish, cans, bottles, paper cups or garbage, and upon completion of operations shall restore the surface of the land to as near its original condition and contours as is practicable. Tanks and equipment will be kept painted and presentable.

26. REMOVAL OF EQUIPMENT. Subject to limitations in this paragraph, Lessee shall have the right to remove machinery and fixtures placed by Lessee on the leased premises, including the right to draw and remove casing, within one hundred twenty (120) days after the expiration or the termination of this lease unless the owner of the soil grants Lessee an extension of this 120-day period. However, Lessee may not remove casing from any well capable of producing oil and gas in paying quantities. Additionally, Lessee may not draw and remove casing until after thirty (30) days written notice to the Commissioner of the General Land Office and to the owner of the soil. The owner of the soil shall become the owner of any machinery, fixtures, or casing which are not timely removed by Lessee under the terms of this paragraph.

27. (A) ASSIGNMENTS. Under the conditions contained in this paragraph and Paragraph 29 of this lease, the rights and estates of either party to this lease may be assigned, in whole or in part, and the provisions of this lease shall extend to and be binding upon their heirs, devisees, legal representatives, successors and assigns. However, a change or division in ownership of the land, rentals, or royalties will not enlarge the obligations of Lessee, diminish the rights, privileges and estates of Lessee, impair the effectiveness of any payment made by Lessee or impair the effectiveness of any act performed by Lessee. And no change or division in ownership of the land, rentals, or royalties shall bind Lessee for any purpose until thirty (30) days after the owner of the soil (or his heirs, devisees, legal representatives or assigns) furnishes the Lessee with satisfactory written evidence of the change in ownership, including the original recorded muniments of title (or a certified copy of such original) when the ownership changed because of a conveyance. A total or partial assignment of this lease shall, to the extent of the interest assigned, relieve and discharge Lessee of all subsequent obligations under this lease. If this lease is assigned in its entirety as to only part of the acreage, the right and option to pay rentals shall be apportioned.

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as between the several owners ratably, according to the area of each, and failure by one or more of them to pay his share of the rental shall not affect this lease on the part of the land upon which pro rata rentals are timely paid or tendered; however, if the assignor or assignee does not file a certified copy of such assignment in the General Land Office before the next rental paying date, the entire lease shall terminate for failure to pay the entire rental due under Paragraph 3. Every assignee shall succeed to all rights and be subject to all obligations, liabilities, and penalties owed to the State by the original lessee or any prior assignee of the lease, including any liabilities to the State for unpaid royalties.

- (B) ASSIGNMENT LIMITATION. Notwithstanding any provision in Paragraph 27(a), if the owner of the soil acquires this lease in whole or in part by assignment without the prior written approval of the Commissioner of the General Land Office, this lease is void as of the time of assignment and the agency power of the owner may be forfeited by the Commissioner. An assignment will be treated as if it were made to the owner of the soil if the assignee is
 - (1) a nominee of the owner of the soil;
 - (2) a corporation or subsidiary in which the owner of the soil is a principal stockholder or is an employee of such a corporation or subsidiary;
 - (3) a partnership in which the owner of the soil is a partner or is an employee of such a partnership;(4) a principal stockholder or employee of the corporation which is the owner of the soil;

 - (5) a partner or employee in a partnership which is the owner of the soil;
 - (6) a fiduciary for the owner of the soil; including but not limited to a guardian, trustee, executor, administrator, receiver, or conservator for the owner of the soil; or
 - (7) a family member of the owner of the soil or related to the owner of the soil by marriage, blood, or adoption.
- 28. RELEASES. Under the conditions contained in this paragraph and Paragraph 29, Lessee may at any time execute and deliver to the owner of the soil and place of record a release or releases covering any portion or portions of the leased premises, and thereby surrender this lease as to such portion or portions, and be relieved of all subsequent obligations as to acreage surrendered. If any part of this lease is properly surrendered, the delay rental due under this lease shall be reduced by the proportion that the surrendered acreage bears to the acreage which was covered by this lease immediately prior to such surrender; however, such release will not relieve Lessee of any liabilities which may have accrued under this lease prior to the surrender of such acreage.
- 29. FILING OF ASSIGNMENTS AND RELEASES. If all or any part of this lease is assigned or released, such assignment or release must be recorded in the county where the land is situated, and the recorded instrument, or a copy of the recorded instrument certified by the County Clerk of the county in which the instrument is recorded, must be filed in the General Land Office within 90 days of the last execution date accompanied by the prescribed filing fee. If any such assignment is not so filed, the rights acquired under this lease shall be subject to forfeiture at the option of the Commissioner of the General Land Office.
- 30. DISCLOSURE CLAUSE. All provisions pertaining to the lease of the above-described land have been included in this instrument, including the statement of the true consideration to be paid for the execution of this lease and the rights and duties of the parties. Any collateral agreements concerning the development of oil and gas from the leased premises which are not contained in this lease render this lease invalid
- 31. FIDUCIARY DUTY. The owner of the soil owes the State a fiduciary duty and must fully disclose any facts affecting the State's interest in the leased premises. When the interests of the owner of the soil conflict with those of the State, the owner of the soil is obligated to put the State's interests before his personal interests.
- 32. FORFEITURE. If Lessee shall fail or refuse to make the payment of any sum within thirty days after it becomes due, or if Lessee or an authorized agent should knowingly make any false return or false report concerning production or drilling, or if Lessee shall fail or refuse to drill any offset well or wells in good faith as required by law and the rules and regulations adopted by the Commissioner of the General Land Office, or if Lessee should fail to file reports in the manner required by law or fail to comply with rules and regulations promulgated by the General Land Office, the School Land Board, or the Railroad Commission, or if Lessee should refuse the proper authority access to the records pertaining to operations, or if Lessee or an authorized agent should knowingly fail or refuse to give correct information to the proper authority, or knowingly fail or refuse to furnish the General Land Office a correct log of any well, or if Lessee shall knowingly violate any of the material provisions of this lease, or if this lease is assigned and the assignment is not filed in the General Land Office as required by law, the rights acquired under this lease shall be subject to forfeiture by the Commissioner, and he shall forfeit same when sufficiently informed of the facts which authorize a forfeiture, and when forfeited the area shall aga subject to lease under the terms of the Relinquishment Act. However, nothing herein shall be construed as waiving the automatic termination of this lease by operation of law or by reason of any special limitation arising hereunder. Forfeitures may be set aside and this lease and all rights thereunder reinstated before the rights of another intervene upon satisfactory evidence to the Commissioner of the General Land Office of future compliance with the provisions of the law and of this lease and the rules and regulations that may be adopted relative hereto.
- 33. LIEN. In accordance with Texas Natural Resources Code 52.136, the State shall have a first lien upon all oil and gas produced from the area covered by this lease to secure payment of all unpaid royalty and other sums of money that may become due under this lease. By acceptance of this lease, Lessee grants the State, in addition to the lien provided by Texas Natural Resources Code 52.136 and any other applicable statutory lien, an express contractual lien on and security interest in all leased minerals in and extracted from the leased premises, all proceeds which may accrue to Lessee from the sale of such leased minerals, whether such proceeds are held by Lessee or by a third party, and all fixtures on and improvements to the leased premises used in connection with the production or processing of such leased minerals in order to secure the payment of all royalties or other amounts due or to become due under this lease and to secure payment of any damages or loss that Lessor may suffer by reason of Lessee's breach of any covenant or condition of this lease, whether express or implied. This lien and security interest may be foreclosed with or without court proceedings in the manner provided in the Title 1, Chap. 9 of the Texas Business and Commerce Code. Lessee agrees that the Commissioner may require Lessee to execute and record such instruments as may be reasonably necessary to acknowledge, attach or perfect this lien. Lessee hereby represents that there are no prior or superior liens arising from and relating to Lessee's activities upon the above-described property or from Lessee's acquisition of this lease. Should the Commissioner at any time determine that this representation is not true, then the Commissioner may declare this lease forfeited as provided
- 34. POOLING. Lessee is hereby granted the right to pool or unitize the royalty interest of the owner of the soil under this lease with any other leasehold or mineral interest for the exploration, development and production of oil or gas or either of them upon the same terms as shall be approved by the School Land Board and the Commissioner of the General Land Office for the pooling or unitizing of the interest of the State under this lease pursuant to Texas Natural Resources Code 52.151-52.154. The owner of the soil agrees that the inclusion of this provision in this lease satisfies the execution requirements stated in Texas Natural Resources Code 52.152.
- 35. INDEMNITY. Lessee hereby releases and discharges the State of Texas and the owner of the soil, their officers, employees, partners, agents, contractors, subcontractors, guests, invitees, and their respective successors and assigns, of and from all and any actions and causes of action of every nature, or other harm, including environmental harm, for which recovery of damages is sought, including, but not limited to, all losses and expenses which are caused by the activities of Lessee, its officers, employees, and agents arising out of, incidental to, or resulting from, the operations of or for Lessee on the leased premises hereunder, or that may arise out of or be occasioned by Lessee's breach of any of the terms or provisions of this Agreement, or by any other negligent or strictly liable act or omission of Lessee. Further, Lessee hereby agrees to be liable for, exonerate, indemnify, defend and hold harmless the State of Texas and the owner of the soil, their officers, employees and agents, their successors or assigns, against any and all claims, liabilities, losses, darnages, actions, personal injury (including death), costs and expenses, or other harm for which recovery of damages is sought, under any theory including tort, contract, or strict liability, including attorneys' fees and other legal expenses, including those related to environmental hazards, on the leased premises or in any way related to Lessee's failure to comply with any and all environmental laws; those arising from or in any way related to Lessee's operations or any other of Lessee's activities on the leased premises; those arising from Lessee's use of the surface of the leased premises; and those that may arise out of or be occasioned by Lessee's breach of any of the terms or provisions of this Agreement or any other act or omission of Lessee, its directors, officers, employees, partners, agents, contractors, subcontractors, guests, invitees, and their respective successors and assigns. Each assignee of this Agreement, or an interest therein, agrees to be liable for, exonerate, indemnify, defend and hold harmless the State of Texas and the owner of the soil, their officers, employees, and agents in the same manner provided above in connection with the activities of Lessee, its officers, employees, and agents as described above. EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE EXPRESSLY LIMITED HEREIN, ALL OF THE INDEMNITY OBLIGATIONS AND\OR LIABILITIES ASSUMED UNDER THE TERMS OF THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE WITHOUT LIMITS AND WITHOUT REGARD TO THE CAUSE OR CAUSES THEREOF (EXCLUDING PRE-EXISTING CONDITIONS), STRICT LIABILITY, OR THE NEGLIGENCE OF ANY PARTY OR PARTIES (INCLUDING THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE INDEMNIFIED PARTY), WHETHER SUCH NEGLIGENCE BE SOLE, JOINT, CONCURRENT, ACTIVE, OR PASSIVE.
- 36. ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS. Lessee shall use the highest degree of care and all reasonable safeguards to prevent contamination or pollution of any environmental medium, including soil, surface waters, groundwater, sediments, and surface or subsurface strata, ambient air or any





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other environmental medium in, on, or under, the leased premises, by any waste, pollutant, or contaminant. Lessee shall not bring or permit to remain on the leased premises any asbestos containing materials, explosives, toxic materials, or substances regulated as hazardous wastes, hazardous materials hazardous substances (as the term "Hazardous Substance" is defined in the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA), 42 U.S.C. Sections 9601, et seq.), or toxic substances under any federal, state, or local law or regulation ("Hazardous Materials"), except ordinary products commonly used in connection with oil and gas exploration and development operations and stored in the usual manner and quantities. LESSEE'S VIOLATION OF THE FOREGOING PROHIBITION SHALL CONSTITUTE A MATERIAL BREACH AND DEFAULT HEREUNDER AND LESSEE SHALL INDEMNIFY, HOLD HARMLESS AND DEFEND THE STATE OF TEXAS AND THE OWNER OF THE SOIL FROM AND AGAINST ANY CLAIMS, DAMAGES, JUDGMENTS, PENALTIES, LIABILITIES, AND COSTS (INCLUDING REASONABLE ATTORNEYS' FEES AND COURT COSTS) CAUSED BY OR ARISING OUT OF (1) A VIOLATION OF THE FOREGOING PROHIBITION OR (2) THE PRESENCE, RELEASE, OR DISPOSAL OF ANY HAZARDOUS MATERIALS ON, UNDER, OR ABOUT THE LEASED PREMISES DURING LESSEE'S OCCUPANCY OR CONTROL OF THE LEASED PREMISES. LESSEE SHALL CLEAN UP, REMOVE, REMEDY AND REPAIR ANY SOIL OR GROUND WATER CONTAMINATION AND DAMAGE CAUSED BY THE PRESENCE OR RELEASE OF ANY HAZARDOUS MATERIALS IN, ON, UNDER, OR ABOUT THE LEASED PREMISES DURING LESSEE'S OCCUPANCY OF THE LEASED PREMISES IN CONFORMANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF APPLICABLE LAW. THIS INDEMNIFICATION AND ASSUMPTION SHALL APPLY, BUT IS NOT LIMITED TO, LIABILITY FOR RESPONSE ACTIONS UNDERTAKEN PURSUANT TO CERCLA OR ANY OTHER ENVIRONMENTAL LAW OR REGULATION. LESSEE SHALL IMMEDIATELY GIVE THE STATE OF TEXAS AND THE OWNER OF THE SOIL WRITTEN NOTICE OF ANY BREACH OR SUSPECTED BREACH OF THIS PARAGRAPH, UPON LEARNING OF THE PRESENCE OF ANY HAZARDOUS MATERIALS, OR UPON RECEIVING A NOTICE FROM ANY GOVERNMENTAL AGENCY PERTAINING TO HAZARDOUS MATERIALS WHICH MAY AFFECT THE LEASED PREMISES. THE OBLIGATIONS OF LESSEE HEREUNDER SHALL SURVIVE THE EXPIRATION OR EARLIER TERMINATION, FOR ANY REASON, OF THIS AGREEMENT.

37. APPLICABLE LAW. This lease is issued under the provisions of Texas Natural Resources Code 52.171 through 52.190, commonly known as the Relinquishment Act, and other applicable statutes and amendments thereto, and if any provision in this lease does not conform to these statutes, the statutes will prevail over any nonconforming lease provisions.

38. EXECUTION. This oil and gas lease must be signed and acknowledged by the Lessee before it is filed of record in the county records and in the General Land Office of the State of Texas. Once the filing requirements found in Paragraph 39 of this lease have been satisfied, the effective date of this lease shall be the date found on Page 1.

39. LEASE FILING. Pursuant to Chapter 9 of the Texas Business and Commerce Code, this lease must be filed of record in the office of the County Clerk in any county in which all or any part of the leased premises is located, and certified copies thereof must be filed in the General Land Office. This lease is not effective until a certified copy of this lease (which is made and certified by the County Clerk from his records) is filed in the General Land Office in accordance with Texas Natural Resources Code 52.183. Additionally, this lease shall not be binding upon the State unless it recites the actual and true consideration paid or promised for execution of this lease. The bonus due the State and the prescribed filing fee shall accompany such certified copy to the General Land Office.

Gary N. Covington, President of Dela Minerals Individually and as Agent for the State of Texas ton, President of Dela Minerals, Ip

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BEFORE ME,	, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared	Gary N. Covington
known to me to be the p	person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instruments as	President
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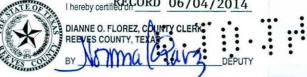


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CERTIFIED TRUE AND CORRECT COPY CERTIFICATE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF REEVES

The above and foregoing is a full, true and correct photographic copy of the original record now in my lawful custody and possession, as the same is filed/recorded in the public records of my office, found in VOL.1074, PAGE 395 THRU 401 OFFICIAL PUBLIC

I hereby certified on O6/04/2014



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June 9, 2014

Mineral Leasing Division Texas General Land Office Attn: Drew Reid 1700 North Congress Avenue Room 600 Austin, Texas 78701-1495

RE:

Oil and Gas Leases Reeves County, Texas

Section 40, Block 58, PSL Survey

Dear Mr. Reid,

Enclosed please find a certified copy of the below listed Oil and Gas Leases on the above described lands along with a check in the amount of \$150.00 to cover the State's filing fee. The State's share of the bonus for these leases was submitted to your office on May 20, 2014 via FedEx.

State of Texas - DeLa Minerals, Inc. W/2 of SE/4 (MF104778A) of - Now mar- 116494

State of Texas – ABH Baxter, LP SW/4 of NE/4 (MF 107619A)

State of Texas - Mark A. Chapman SW/4 of NE/4 (MF107619B)

State of Texas – Helen Carolyn Allen SE/4 of NE/4 (MF107769)

State of Texas – Laura Allen Quisenberry SE/4 of NE/4 (MF107769)

State of Texas - Lester Charles Weatherby, Jr. SE/4 of SW/4 MF1045480

Please do not hesitate to call should you have any questions.

Sincerely.

Mary Pelas

Enclosures





Shell Upstream Americas Land & Contracts P. O. Box 576 Houston, TX 77001-0576 (83) 337-0146 phone (281) 544-4006 fax Lindsay.Sheffield@shell.com

They will Have then Keeped as

April 17, 2014

Mr. Drew Reid Texas General Land Office Stephen F. Austin Building 1700 North Congress Avenue Austin, Texas 78711-2873 P.O. Box 12873 Austin, Texas 78711-2873

Subject:

Executed Oil and Gas Leases

State of Texas

Section 40, Block 58 Reeves County, Texas

Dear Mr. Reid

Please find the enclosed executed copies of the back-dated oil and gas leases obtained by SWEPI LP, pursuant to your February 18, 2014, letter. Additionally, enclosed is a check for \$600 covering the associated fees for said leases. A release of the remaining lands is being prepared by Meredith Macallister and will be sent to Linda Price.

Upon approval of the leases, please return them to Brian Chaffee at the Shell address above.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

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Regards,

Lindsay Sheffield Turner Land Representative 832.337.0146

Per applicable service agreements

File No. MF116494
Bonus, Fees & Cover Letters

Date Filed: 08/19/2014 E. Jerry E. Patterson, Complissioner By



GENERAL LAND OFFICE

JERRY PATTERSON, COMMISSIONER

July 30, 2014

Lindsay Turner Shell Exploration PO Box 576 Houston, Texas 77001

Re: State Lease MF 116494

RAL Lease dated August 30, 2012 recorded in V. 1074, P. 395, covering 80 ac., Sec. 40, Blk. 58, PSL Survey, Reeves Co., TX,

DELA Minerals, agent for State of TX, Lessor

Dear Ms. Turner:

The certified copy of the Relinquishment Act lease covering the above referenced tract has been approved and filed in our records under Mineral File numbers MF-116494. Please refer to this lease number when making payments to the State and in all future correspondence concerning the lease. Failure to include the mineral file number may delay processing of any payments towards the lease.

There are several contractual and statutory responsibilities for the Lessee which are material provisions of the lease as outlined in the agreement such as Section 10(B) which requires submission of written notice for all drilling, production and related activities. When forms are filed with the Texas Railroad Commission, they are required to be submitted to the General Land Office as well. Examples are W-1, Application to Drill; W-2, Oil Well Completion Report and Log; G-1, Gas Well Completion Report and Log; W-3, Plugging Report; G-5, Gas Well Classification Report; G-10, Gas Well Status Report; W-10, Oil Well Status Report; W-12, Inclination Report; electric logs; directional surveys.

Chapter 52 of the Texas Natural Resources Codes specifies that the surface owner's right to receive a portion of the revenues generated by the lease shall be in lieu of all damages to the soil. Therefore, any payments made for surface use or damages other than the authorized damages set out in the lease form must be shared equally with the state.

The remittance of \$120,000.00 has been applied to the State's portion of the cash bonus. In addition, we are in receipt of the filing and processing fees.

Sincerely yours,

Deborah A. Cantu

Mineral Leasing, Energy Resources

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Date Filed: 08/19/2014
Jerry E. Patterson, Commissioner
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Information for processing an Internal Non Unit Transaction (iNut) Length of Lateral

iNut No. 9037

GENERAL INFORMATION

Name of Well: Block 58 State 40-14 #1H

API # 42-389-32449

Name of Operator: Shell Western E&P (SWEPI)

RRC # 243000

Operator Contact Person: Meredith MacAllister

Phone: 832-337-1984

Counties: Reeves

ALLOCATION OF STATE UNITS AND/OR LEASES BASED ON LENGTH OF LATERAL

Lease Type	Unit/Lease No	Total Lateral Ft.	Unit or Lease Lateral Ft.	Unit or Lease Rylty Decimal	Lease Royalty Decimal	RRAC Participation Factor	State Particpation by Unit/Lease
RAL	MF116494	3509	1864.5	0.12500000	0.12500000	0.53134796	0.06641850
RAL	MF116495	3509	263.5	0.12500000	0.12500000	0.07509262	0.00938658
RAL	MF116496	3509	328	0.12500000	0.12500000	0.09347392	0.01168424
RAL	MF116497	3509	1053	0.12500000	0.12500000	0.30008549	0.03751069
	Totals:						0.12500000
Effective Date:	8/30/2012						State Net Royalty Revenue in Well

Name of Production Sharing Agreement, if any:

Comments:

- These are partial renewal leases effective August 30, 2012 of MF104548, MF104778A, MF107619A&B and MF107769.
- Royalty was paid to the original leases for production from August 30, 2012, through and including April 30, 2014. This iNUT is effective as of May 1, 2014 for royalty payment purposes.

Attach a plat showing the iNut well with length of laterals marked and the State lands marked.

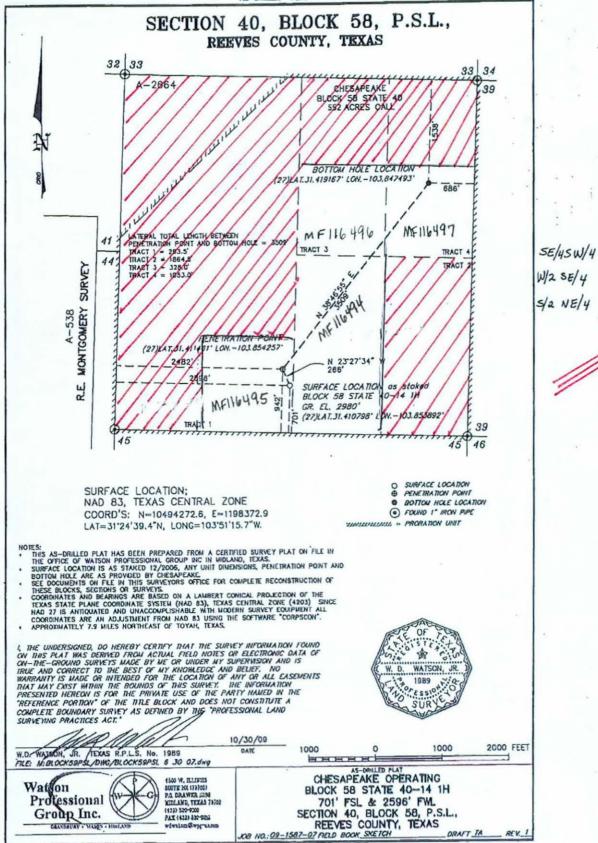
Lease Types: Relinquishment Act Land (RAL), State Fee (SF), Free Royalty (FR), Unleased Riverbed (UR), Highway Right of Way (HROW)

Prepared by: Linda Price Ala	amo updated by: Linda Price	WI updated by:	8/6/14
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Texas Railroad Commission Mainframe Access

BlueZone Terminal Emulation Introduction and Features

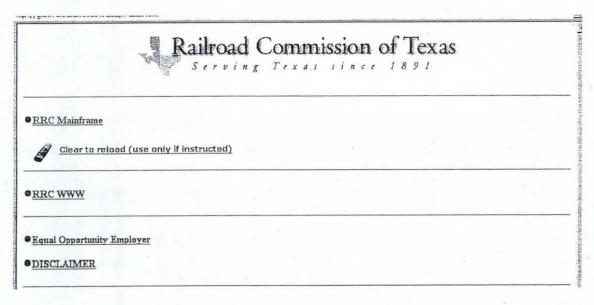
Installation:

BlueZone Terminal Emulation software runs on Microsoft Internet Explorer. The Railroad Commission has set up a new web page to be used to connect to their mainframe with this software. Open Internet Explorer and type in the following web address to connect to the RRC mainframe.

The internet address is: http://glo.rrc.state.tx.us:9102

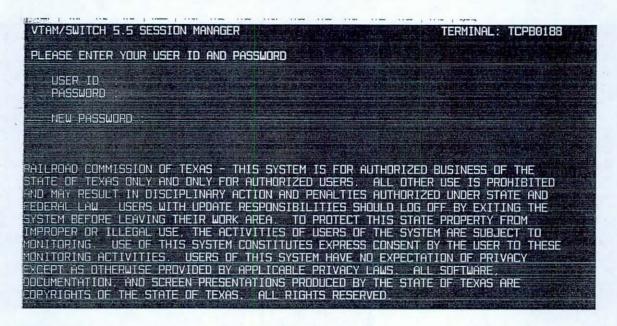
The first time you connect to the web page, the new software will be installed on your PC. You will get several prompts to install software – <u>answer OK to all prompts</u>, so that all the <u>software will be installed</u>. The system will check for updates each time you logon after the initial installation. If updates are necessary, answer OK to all prompts to complete updating the BlueZone software.

Once all software installation is complete, you will be connected to the RRC mainframe page.



At this point it is recommended that you save this page to your "Favorites" for future use. This will save you the time and trouble of typing in the complete address every time you need to access the RRC mainframe.

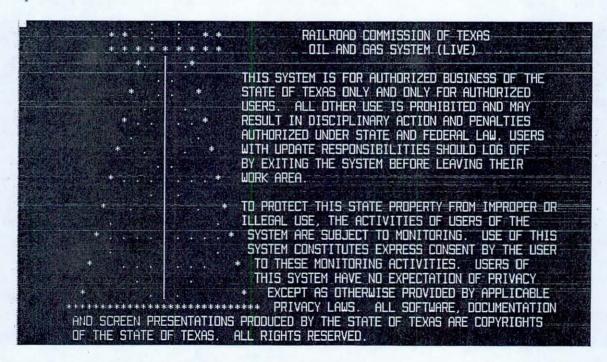
Click on the "RRC Mainframe" link to get to the Login screen.



To log in, type your username, push the "Tab" key on your keyboard, type in your password, and push the "Enter" key.

The "New Password" prompt will always be on the screen, but you only need to change your password every 90 days. Password protocols are discussed later in these procedures. To change your password, push the "Tab" key after entering your current password (this will move the cursor to "New Password"), type in your new password and press the Enter key. A new prompt will ask you to verify your new password, type in your new password again and press the Enter key.

After successful login, the system will show you the Railroad Commission Oil and Gas System splash screen.



To clear the splash screen, Press the "Esc" key.

The Oil & Gas On-Line inquiries work on a menu system, which requires you to type in acronyms of the menus and sub-menus which you are using to research individual wells. The Oil and Gas Primary Menu (OGPM) will show you all the sub-menus, which are available to you. Use your Tab key to move the cursor to the menu you want to query, and type an "S" by that menu.

	OIL AND GAS DIVISION *** PRIMARY MENU	
PLACE AN 'S BY THE DESIRE	O SYSTEM	
DRILLING PERMIT (DAPM)	P-5 (ORIM)	DOCKET (ODIM)
WELL BOPE (WBTM)	P-4 (P4IM)	R-3 (GRIM)
1482 MENU (EXIM)	GAS SCHEDULE (GSIM)	FLARE/VENT (FVPM)
DISPOSAL PIT (PIMN)	OIL SCHEDULE (OSIM)	HISTORICAL LEDGER (LDIM)
COUNTY (KYIM)	CURRENT LEDGER (OGLM)	PRODUCTION STATS (PDPM)
FIELD (FLIM)	COMMINGLE (KMIM)	P5 OFFICER (OFIM)
PURCHASER (PSPH)	PRODUCTION (PDIM)	UIC MENU (UIIM)
EDI (EIIM)	DOUNHOLE COMMINGLE/MULT	I COMPLETION (DMIM)

See the attachment for a list of all the system menu "codes" and descriptions, which are available for your use.

Railroad Commission On-Line System Schedule – The system is generally available Monday through Friday from 8:00 am to 5:00 pm. It is activated by the programmers at the Railroad Commission, and so it may fluctuate and be available a little before and after the scheduled times, but that would be the exception to the rule, and can not be relied upon to be available. The system can only be accessed through the GLO server network.

<u>Password Protocols</u> – Passwords are required to be 6,7, or 8 characters long, all lower case, with no spaces included. The password can be alpha-numeric, but the first character must be an alpha. It can not be too similar to your name, General Land Office, GLO, or your previous password (Johnny1, Johnny2, etc.). It can not be a day of the week or month of the year.

Passwords for the system have a lifetime of 90 days. The system will not prompt you when it is time to change your password, so you will have to keep track of the life of your password. If your password expires and you have not changed it, you will get locked out of the system. You will have to contact the RRC liaison (Alex Saenz) to have your password reset with a temporary password to regain your access to the system.

It is recommended that you change your RRC mainframe password when you change your GLO network password, to avoid having this problem. If you forget or miskey your username and/or password three consecutive times, you will be temporarily suspended from the system and you will need to contact the RRC liaison again.

Useful BlueZone Features:

<u>Connect/Disconnect</u> – The system will still timeout and disconnect you after sitting idle too long. The screen will go completely blank (with just the black background) when you are disconnected. To reconnect after the timeout has occurred, click on the Terminal icon on the toolbar and choose Session: Connect.

An alternative method of re-connecting is to right-click on the blank screen and choose Connect from the drop-down menu. This will bring up the login screen again (without the extra steps of closing and reopening your browser). Then, login as usual.

There is no need to disconnect or logoff. The system will automatically log you off once you close the web page, open another web page, let the system timeout through inactivity, or close your browser.

<u>View Options</u> – This will allow customization of the mainframe window.

 Toolbars – This allows a number of different toolbars to be displayed on the mainframe window.

Menu Buttons - Menu items show up as picture icons on the tool bar.

3270 Keys – Show up as buttons on the tool bar (PF keys).

Quick Colors – Gives a color template for changing display colors. Click on a color and then click on the item you wish for which you want to change color.

- Power Keys This adds PF keys greater than 12 and other 3270 function keys as buttons on the bottom of the screen.
- Power Keys Mode Changes the power keys at the bottom of the screen from mainframe 3270 keys to BlueZone function keys.
- Cursor Guide Pinpoints the cursor with vertical and horizontal lines.

All these options can be saved as the default configuration by clicking "File" and "Save".

<u>Recording a script file</u> – A script file can be recorded to automate any commonly or repeatedly used functions. This will help save time when navigating through the numerous menus to conduct your research.

To record a script, click on the red dot (Record Script) on the toolbar at the top of your screen. This will open a "Record Script" dialog box, which let name the script you are going to record. The "Save in" box will show Scripts as the default location for saving the file. In the File Name box towards the bottom of the window, type in the name you want to assign to your script.

You can call it anything you want, but use a name that will remind you of the function of the script later, such as "login" or "wbtm". This will make it easier for you later, when you want to play the scripts, or in case you want to assign your script as a function to a key on your keyboard. After you have named the script, click on the Save button. Once you click on the Save button, the recording process will begin, so be ready to type! When you finish typing all the keystrokes you want to record, click on the square (Stop Script) to the right of the red dot (Record Script) on the toolbar. Your script is now saved and can be played at any time.

To play a script you have recorded, click on the blue triangle (Play Script) on the toolbar. This will open the Play Script dialog box, which will show a list of all the scripts you have recorded. Click on the file name of the script you want to play, and click Open at the bottom right hand corner of the dialog box. This will play your recorded script and then you can proceed with your research. Any script you record can be assigned to a particular key on your keyboard for even more efficient use of your scripts. This process is discussed below.

<u>Keyboard Options</u> – The keyboard functions can be customized to suit your needs. The function of individual keys can be changed from the default functions to any customized functions.

To change the keyboard configuration, select Keyboard under Options, or you can right-click on the primary window and select Keyboard Options from the drop down box. Under the keyboard type "Standard 101/102-key" heading, scroll down the functions box and find "new line". Click on "new line" to see keys currently mapped to this function. If you have recorded a script to automate a commonly used function, click on Script files from the drop-down menu; otherwise click on 3270 Functions to see the key mappings. Click on the "New" button to the right of the Key Mappings box to select a key for the function you have selected. Select the key you want to map to this function by clicking on it with your mouse, then click OK. A message will appear if this key is currently used by another function and ask if you want to re-map this key to the New Line. If this is what you want, then click Yes; otherwise, click No to cancel the change. Click OK at the bottom of the Keyboard Options window to save your new key mappings. Once you have completed your changes, click File and Save to make this your default setup.

<u>Print Options</u> – BlueZone has a number of useful options for printing the mainframe data that you are viewing.

- Print Setup Within the "Options" tab, a custom header can be established for printing from your current terminal session.
- Print Screen Prints the current mainframe screen. A screen can also be printed by clicking on the Print icon on the toolbar, or by pressing the "Print Screen" key on the keyboard.
- Print Multiple Screens This option will open a window that has a camera icon. Click on the
 camera to save the current mainframe window to the print queue. Click on the mainframe screen
 again and go to the next mainframe screen to be printed. Click on the camera icon again, to save
 the current mainframe screen to the print queue. Continue this process until you have selected all

the pages you want to print. When you are finished selecting screens to print, select <print> on the print multiple screens window to send all selected screens to the printer. BlueZone will automatically combine the screens to fit them on as few pages as possible. There is also an option to save these selections to a file in the BlueZone working directory by using the save icon. These selections can then be pasted on Excel spreadsheets or Word documents at a later time.

<u>Edit Options</u> – These edit options can be used to copy text from the screen you are viewing. Use the mouse to select information on the mainframe screen to be cut or copied as normally used in windows editing functions.

Right click with your mouse to select any of the following functions for editing the selected text:

- Cut If this is an unprotected field, the information will be cut to the clipboard.
- Copy The information selected will be copied to the clipboard, erasing any previously copied information.
- Append The information selected will be added or appended to the information already on the clipboard. This is particularly useful when combining several screens on one document or spreadsheet.

To save a screen shot of the current mainframe screen, press <Ctrl> <Print Screen> to save the image of the screen to the clipboard. To paste the image to a Word document or an Excel spreadsheet, right click on the sheet and click "Paste". The screen shot will be inserted as a picture and can be edited to suit your needs.

<u>Color Settings</u> – The background and font colors can be customized to your preferences. The font can be changed to a dark color and the background to a light color for easier reading and printing. Change the font to another color before changing the background to white to prevent problems. This setup will be advantageous when using the "Print Screen" option, later.

To keep the custom colors, click on "File" and "Save", and that will become the default setup.

OIL & GAS ON-LINE SYSTEM INQUIRIES

Key Help (space) and the code in the left column for more detailed information on each inquiry or system.

NOTE: * - denotes 1 space on spacebar)

HELP CODE	INQUIRY ID	DESCRIPTION
ОСРМ	ОСРМ	Oil and Gas Primary Menu - This menu provides access to primary inquiry menus for the following systems: 1) Drilling Permits, 2) Wellbore, 3) 14(b)(2) Extensions, 4) Disposal Pits, 5) County, 6) Field, 7) Purchase System, 8) P-5, 9) P-4, 10) Commingle.
W-1	A THE STREET	DRILLING PERMIT SYSTEM
DAPM	DAPM	Drilling Permit Menu - provides access to drilling permit information by drilling permit #.
DAPI	DAPI	Drilling Permit Status Inquiry - used to inquire the status of a drilling permit application.
DAOI	DAOI	Drilling Permit Operator Inquiry - Screen displays all approved permits for an operator (selection can be limited by district).
WB		WELLBORE SYSTEM
WBTM	WBTM	Wellbore Technical Menu - This screen provides well record informa- tion, plugging data, location, and a link between drilling permits and well ID's. It can be accessed by API#, Drilling Permit #, Oil Lease #, and optional Well #, or Gas ID #. The P-4 operator/lease name cross reference can also be accessed from this menu.
	WBLW • •	Wellbore Oil Lease Inquiry - This screen provides both historical and current wells on a lease.
- P-4		P-4 SYSTEM
P4IM	P4IM	P-4 Database Inquiry Menu - This screen provides access to both oil and gas P-4 information and the operator/lease cross reference.
P4	P4 • Oil • (Dst) (L'se#)	Oil P4 Inquiry
P4	P4 • Gas •	Gas P4 Inquiry
	(At least I char. Lease Name)	Operator/Lease Cross Reference by Lease Name
	(At least 1 char. Open Name)	Operator/Lease Cross Reference by Operator Name
	P4LO •	Operator/Lease Cross Reference by Operator Number
n		P-5 ORGANIZATION FILE
P-5 ORIM	ORIM	P5 Organization Information Inquiry - Menu provides access to all inquiries in the P5 system.
ORMQ	ORMQ •	P5 Master Inquiry by Operator #
ORNQ	ORNQ • (At least 1 char. Org. Name)	Organization Name Inquiry
OPCO	(At least 1 char., Gath. Code)	Gatherer Code Inquiry
ORGQ OROM	(Oper: #) (Dst) OROM • •	Operator Mailing Address Inquiry by District
ORGM	ORGM • • -	Gatherer Mailing Address Inquiry by District
OROA	OROA •	Operator Mailing Address Inquiry
ORGA	ORGA •	Gatherer Mailing Address Inquiry
ORDS	ORDS	Specialty/Activity Code Inquiry

HELP	INQUIRY ID	DESCRIPTION
PS		GAS PURCHASER SYSTEM
PSPM	PSPM	Purchaser System Name Menu - Menu provides access to purchasers on our records, the system which they have designated, and the wells connecte to each system as reported on the P-4.
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FL FLIM	FLIM	FIELD INFORMATION SYSTEM Field Inquiry Menu - Menu provides access to oil & gas field information
PLIM	PLIM	including: field name, field number, cumulative production and allowable statistics, field rules, monthly factors, 49(B) allowable information, and gas nominations.
	(At least 1 char.	
FLNM	FLNM •	Field Name Inquiry
FLGN	FLGN	Gas Nominations Menu
JT-3	JT-3 • • • (Mo/Yr)	T-3 Inquiry - Displays all purchasers who filed T-3 for a specific month/year.
KT-3	(Fld. #) (Purch. #)	T-3 Inquiry - Displays T-3 reports filed by a given purchaser for a field.
EX		14(b)(2) EXTENSION/PLUG SYSTEM
EX14	EX14	14(B)(2) Extension Menu - Screen provides access to all 14(B)(2) extension system screens including: 14(B)(2) well data inquiry, Bank/Surety
-		Information inquiry, and inquiry by application #.
OILINQ		OIL & GAS LEASE INQUIRIES
OLLI	OLLIe e	Oil Ledger Inquiry - Displays production information for current ledger month unless prior month is requested.
	(Gas ID#) mo/yr)	
GSLI	GSLI•	Gas Ledger Inquiry - Displays production information for current ledger month unless prior month is requested.
OGCI	OGCI • GAS •	Gas Coding Master Inquiry
OGCI	OGCI • OIL • •	Oil Coding Master Inquiry
OGLW	OGLW ••	Oil Lease Inquiry - Displays all active wells on lease, P-4 holds, and indicates if lease is on schedule or removed.
OGDOC		OIL & GAS DOCKETS
IDOC	HDOC	Inquire Docket Info By Field Name.
DOC	IDOC	Inquire Docket Info By Applicant Name.
DOC	JDOC • (Format Examples: JDOC • 7C-72658;	Inquire General Info By Docket #. JDOC • 3-77.227; IDOC • 77543)
DOC	(Dst) (-) (Assigned#) KDOC •	Inquire Subject Text By Docket # (format same as JDOC).
DOC	LDOC (Dst) (-) (Assigned#)	Inquire Subject Text By Docket # (format same as JDOC).
IDOC	(Dst) (-) (Assigned#)	Inquire Field Info By Docket # (format same as JDOC).
DOC	(Dst) (-) (Assigned#)	Inquire Enforcement Info By Docket # (format same as JDOC).
DOC	ODOC (Dst) (-) (Assigned#)	Inquire Enforcement 2nd Screen By Docket # (format same as JDOC).
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SYSTEM INQUIRIES - Continued

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HELP	INQUIRY ID	DESCRIPTION
SUPP		OIL & GAS SUPPLEMENT
GSUP	GSUP • • • • (Opt. supp.)	Gas Supplement Inquiry
OSUP	OSUP • • - • • • • • •	Oil Supplement Inquiry
UI		UNDERGROUND INJECTION CONTROL
UILI	(Opt. (Dst) (Lse#) well #)	Oil Lease Cross Index Inquiry
UIGI	(Gas ID #)	Gas ID Cross Index Inquiry
UIIM	UIIM •	UIC Permit Record Inquiry By UIC Control
W-14		SALTWATER INJECTION PERMITS
MW14	MW14 • •	Inquire W-14 Master Info By W-14 Permit #.
ЖМ		P-17 COMMINGLE PERMIT SYSTEM
КМІМ	KMIM	P-17 Permit Inquiry Menu - Menu provides access to information concerning commingle permits, gas wells producing full well stream, gas metering exceptions, and other off lease exceptions granted to an individual oil lease/gas well.
KY		COUNTY DATA BASE
KYIM	KYIM	County Inquiry Menu - Menu provides access to all county inquiries including county testing cycles, production stats, discovery and secondary counties, and well stats.
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KYMQ	KYMQ •	County Master Inquiry By County Code
KYNQ	(At least 1 char. County Name)	County Name Inquiry By County Name
H-9	Gas (ID#	HYDROGEN SULFIDE
JH-9	JH-9 • • Oil # •	Inquiry For Editing Oil Lse/Gas Well ID Numbers for H-9 Certs.
SIL		GAS SHUT-IN LETTERS
GSSI	(Gas ID #) GSSI •	Gas Shut-in Letter Inquiry
TK		TRACKING SYSTEM (T-1, Pg. 2 RECEIPTS)
TKIM	TKIM	Transporter Report Inquiry
PI		DISPOSAL PITS SYSTEM (H-11)
	PIME	Pit Application/Permit Inquiry for UIC

SYSTEM INQUIRIES - Continued

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HELP	INQUIRY ID	DESCRIPTION	FERR
R-3		GAS PROCESSING PLANTS	
JR-3	JR-5 • •	Inquiry Plant Master Info By Serial #	Augusta and a
MR-31	MR-\$1 •	Inquiry for Form R-3, Section I Information	
MR-310	(Dst) (Plt.#) (Mo/Yr) MR-310	Inquiry for Form R-3 Section, X Information	
MR-311	(Dst) (Plt.#) (Mo/Yr) MR-511	Inquiry for Form R-3 Section, XI Information	
MR-32	(Dst) (Plr.#) (Mo/Yr) MR-32 •	Inquiry for Form R-5, Section II Information	
MR-33	(Dst) (Plt.#) (Mo/Yr)	Inquiry for Form R-3, Section III and IV Information	
MR-35	(Dst) (Plt.#) (Mo/Yr) MR-35 •	Inquiry for Form R-3, Section V, VII, & IX Information	
MR-36	(Dst) (Plt.#) (Mo/Yr) MR-31 •	Inquiry for Form R-3, Section VI Information	14.1
MR3CHK	MR3CHK	Inquiry Indicating Available Monthly Information for a Specific G	as Plant

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DISTRICT > 08 HISTORICAL GAS LEDGER INQUIRY

FIELD > TOYAH, NW (SHALE) # 90890 700 FLD TYPE CAPACITY

OPERATOR > SHELL WESTERN E&P LEASE > BLOCK 58 ST 40-14 # 774719

243000 WELL # 1H

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LEASE > BLOCK 58 ST 40-14 # 243000 WELL # 1H

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September 2, 2015

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COG Operating LLC Attn: Traci Conner One Concho Center 600 W. Illinois Avenue Midland, Texas 79701

Re: Termination of State Lease Nos. MF116494, MF116495, MF116496, MF116497
Block 58 State 40-14 Well #1H / API No. 42-389-32449 / RRC Lease No. 243000
Comprised of: W/2 SE/4; SE/4 SW/4; SW/4 NE/4; and SE/4 NE/4, of Section 40, Block 58, Public School Land Survey, Abstract Nos. 2664, 4167, and 4389, Reeves County, Texas, covering those depths lying from the surface to 12,378' subsurface.

Dear Traci Conner,

The Texas General Land Office (GLO) has completed a review of the above captioned State Leases comprising the Block 58 State 40-14 Well #1H of which COG Operating, LLC is the current listed operator. The review of our internal records, along with production records provided by the Texas Railroad Commission, indicated there was no production from the Block 58 State 40-14 Well #1 during the months of September and October 2013. Furthermore, the respective mineral files do not contain documentation of any shut-in royalty payments or reworking operations. As such, the GLO considers these State Leases terminated effective November 1, 2013.

Should you disagree with this assessment please provide evidence to the GLO at the address shown below within thirty (30) days of receipt of this letter. Failure to reply or failure to present sufficient evidence of the continuation of said State Leases will result in the mineral files being endorsed as terminated. You will receive no further communication from this office prior to endorsement.

Additionally, Title 31, §9.92, of the Texas Administrative Code requires that a recorded original or certified copy of a Release of each State Lease, along with a filing fee of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) per lease, be filed with our office.

Please discontinue filing GLO production reports and immediately delete the GLO RRAC control record for this well. If there are royalties due, our Audit Division will notify you of the amount due.

Lastly, when the well has been plugged, copies of Railroad Commission Form W-3 are required to be filed with our office.

If you have questions concerning this matter, please feel free to e-mail me at the address below my signature.

Best,

Dustin Brian Oslick

Mineral Leasing, Energy Resources

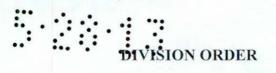
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Dustin.Oslick@glo.texas.gov

Plle No. MF/16494

Reeves, county

Termination Letter Date Filed: 9/2/2015 George P. Bush, Commissioner



TO: SHELL WESTERN E&P P 0 BOX 576 HOUSTON, TX 77001 PROPERTY: K20816500BSE/001

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May 15, 2013

The undersigned severally, and not jointly, certifies it is the legal owner of the interest set out herein and of all the oil, gas, and related liquid hydrocarbons produced from the <u>SHELL WESTERN E&P - BLOCK 58 STATE 40-14 1H</u> lease, located in <u>REEVES COUNTY</u>, State of <u>TEXAS</u>, more particularly described as follows:

SEC 40, BLK 58, PSLS

Effective 7:00 A.M., <u>DATE OF FIRST PRODUCTION</u>, and until further written notice, subject to the conditions, covenants, and directions hereof, you are authorized to receive and to purchase such oil and to give credit for such oil and for such proceeds derived from the sale of gas as set forth in the division order.

THIS AGREEMENT DOES NOT AMEND ANY LEASE OR OPERATING AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE INTEREST OWNERS AND THE LESSEE OR OPERATOR OR ANY OTHER CONTRACTS FOR THE PURCHASE OF OIL AND GAS.

The following provisions apply to each owner ("owner") who executes this agreement:

TERMS OF SALE: The undersigned will be paid in accordance with the division of interest as shown. Payor shall pay all parties at the price agreed to by the operator for oil to be sold pursuant to this division order. Purchaser shall compute quantity and make corrections for gravity and temperature and make deductions for impurities.

The payor shall pay all parties for gas and/or liquid hydrocarbons based on the price provisions set forth in the contract for the purchase of such gas and/or liquid hydrocarbons by the purchaser.

PAYMENT: From the effective date, payment is to be made monthly by the payor's check, based on this division of interest, for the oil run during the preceding calendar month from the property shown herein, less taxes required by law to be deducted and remitted by payor as purchaser.

From the effective date, payment is to be made monthly by payor's check, based on this division of interest, for gas and/or hydrocarbons produced from the property shown herein for the second month preceding the current month, less taxes required by law to be deducted and remitted by payor as purchaser.

Payments of less than \$100 may be accrued before disbursement until the total amount equals \$100 or more, or until April 30th of each year, whichever occurs first. Payee agrees to refund to payor any amounts attributable to an interest or part of an interest that payee does not own.

INDEMNITY: The owner agrees to indemnify and hold payor harmless from all liability resulting from payments made to the owner in accordance with such division of interest, including but not limited to attorney fees or judgments in connection with any suit that affects the owner's interest to which payor is made a party.

DISPUTE, WITHHOLDING OF FUNDS: If a suit is filed that affects the interest of the owner, written notice shall be given to payor by the owner together with a copy of the complaint or petition filed. In the event of a claim or dispute that affects title to the division of interest credited herein, payor is authorized to withhold payments accruing to such interest, without interest, unless otherwise required by applicable statute, until the claim is settled.

TERMINATION: Termination of this agreement is effective on the first day of the month that begins after the 30th day after the date written notice is received by either party.

NOTICES: The owner agrees to notify payor in writing of any change in the division of interest, including changes of interest contingent on payment of money or expiration of time. No change of interest is binding on payor until the recorded copy of the instrument of change or documents satisfactorily evidencing such change are furnished to payor at the time the change occurs. Any change of interest shall be made effective on the first day of the month following receipt of such notice by payor. Any correspondence regarding this agreement shall be furnished to the addresses listed unless otherwise advised by either party.

In addition to the legal rights provided by the terms and provisions of this division order, an owner may have certain statutory rights under the laws of this state.

BY:
ITS:
COMMISSIONER OF THE
GENERAL LAND OFFICE
Owner Number: COM48200
SSN/TIN:
Phone No:

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