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## OIL, GAS AND MINERAL LEASE

THIS AGREEMENT made this 25th day of November, 1901 between  
William T. Floyd, A Divorced Man

lessee (whether one or more), whose address is Route 2 Box 1597, Alabaster, Alabama 35007  
and Amoco Production Company, Box 50879, New Orleans, La. 70150. Lessor, WITNESSETH:

-----Fifty and no/100-----

I Lessor, in consideration of \_\_\_\_\_ of which is hereby acknowledged, and of the covenants and agreements of lessee hereinafter contained, does hereby grant, lease and let unto lessee the land covered hereby for the purpose and with the exclusive right of exploring, drilling, mining and operating for, producing and owning oil, gas, sulphur and all other minerals (whether or not similar to those mentioned), together with the right to make surveys on said land, lay pipe lines, establish and utilize facilities for surface or subsurface disposal of salt water, construct roads and bridges, dig canals, build tanks, power stations, power lines, telephone lines, employee horses and other structures on said land, necessary or useful in lessee's operations in exploring, drilling for, producing, treating, storing and transporting minerals produced from the land covered hereby or any other land adjacent thereto. The land covered hereby, herein called "said land", is located in the County of **Shelby County**, State of **Alabama**, and is described as follows:

Commence at the northwest corner of the SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of the NE $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 10  
Township 20 South, Range 2 West, Thence South 2 Deg. 15 Min. East a distance  
of 155.0 feet to a point: Thence North 57 Deg. 45 Min. East a distance of  
770.0 feet to a point: Thence South 2 Deg 15 Min. East a distance of 241.0  
feet to the point of beginning of the parcel herein described; Thence continu-  
South 2 Degrees 15 Min. East a distance of 551.0 feet to a point; Thence  
North 57 Deg. 45 Min. East a distance of 550.0 feet to a point; Thence South  
2 Deg. 15 Min. East a distance of 198.0 feet to a point; Thence South 2 Deg. 15 Min.  
45 Min. West a distance of 828.0 feet; Thence North 2 Deg. 15 Min. West a  
distance of 990.0 feet to a point; Thence North 57 Deg 45 Min. East a  
distance of 69.29 feet; Thence South 2 Deg 15 Min. East a distance of 241.0  
feet; Thence North 57 Deg. 45 Min. East a distance of 208.71 feet to the  
point of beginning; lying and being in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$  of the NE $\frac{1}{4}$  and the SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of the  
NE $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 10, Township 20 South, Range 2 West, Shelby County, Alabama.

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This Lease does not cover nor include Coal, Iron Ore, or Other Hard Rock Minerals, Mined By Open Pit or Shaft Methods.

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This lease also covers and includes, in addition to that above described, all land, if any, contiguous or adjacent to or adjoining the land above described and (a) owned or claimed by lessor by limitation, prescription, possession, reversion or unrecorded instrument or (b) as to which lessor has a preference right of acquisition. Lessor agrees to execute any supplemental instrument requested by lessee for a more complete or accurate description of said land. For the purpose of determining the amount of any bonus or other payment hereunder, said land shall be deemed to contain 6.5 acres, whether actually containing more or less, and the above rental of acreage in any tract shall be deemed to be the true acreage thereof. Lessor accepts the

bonus as lump sum consideration for this lease and all rights, and options hereunder.

2. Unless sooner terminated or longer kept in force under other provisions hereof, this lease shall remain in force (in a term or term) for years from the date herein, hereinafter referred to as the "primary term".  
long thereafter as operations, as hereinafter defined, are conducted upon said land with no cessation for more than ninety (90) consecutive days.  
3. As royalty, lessee covenants and agrees: (a) To deliver to the credit of lessor, in the pipe line to which lessee may connect its wells, the equal one-eighth part of all oil produced and saved by lessee from said land, or from time to time, at the option of lessee, to pay lessor, the average posted market price of such one-eighth part of such oil at the wells as of the day it is run to the pipe line or storage tanks, lessor's interest, in either case, to bear one-eighth of the cost of treating oil to render it marketable pipe line oil; (b) To pay lessor on gas and casinghead gas produced from said land (1) when sold by lessee, one-eighth of the amount realized by lessee, computed at the mouth of the well, or (2) when used by lessee off said land or in the manufacture of gasoline or other products, the market value, at the mouth of the well, of one-eighth of such gas and casinghead gas; (c) To pay lessor on all other minerals mined and marketed or utilized by lessee from said land, one-tenth either in kind or value at the well or mine at lessor's election, except that on sulphur mined and marketed the royalty shall be one dollar (\$1.00) per long ton. If, at the expiration of the primary term or at any time or times thereafter, there is any well on said land or on lands with which said land or any portion thereof has been pooled, capable of producing gas or any other mineral covered hereby, and all such wells are shut-in, this lease shall nevertheless, continue in force as though operations were being conducted on said land for so long as said wells are shut-in, and thereafter this lease may be continued in force as if no shut-in had occurred. Lessee covenants and agrees to use reasonable diligence to produce, utilize, or market the minerals capable of being produced from said wells, but in the exercise of such diligence, lessee shall not be obligated to install or furnish facilities other than well facilities and ordinary lease facilities of flow lines, separator, and lease tank, and shall not be required to settle labor trouble or to market gas upon terms unacceptable to lessee. If, at any time or times after the expiration of the primary term, all such wells are shut-in for a period of ninety consecutive days, and during such time there are no operations on said land, then at or before the expiration of said ninety day period, lessee shall pay or tender, by check or draft of lessee, as royalty, a sum equal to one dollar (\$1.00) for each acre of land then covered hereby. Lessee shall make like payments or tenders at or before the end of each anniversary of the expiration of said ninety day period if upon such anniversary this lease is being continued in force solely by reason of the provisions of this sub-paragraph. Each such payment or tender shall be made to the parties who at the time of payment would be entitled to receive the royalties which would be paid under this lease if the wells were producing, or may be deposited in such parties credit in

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the 511 20th St. So., Birmingham, Al. 35203, or its successors, which shall continue as the depositories, regardless of changes in the ownership of shut-in royalty. If at any time that lessee pays or tenders shut-in royalty, two or more parties are, or claim to be, entitled to receive same, lessee may, in lieu of any other method of payment herein provided, pay or tender such shut-in royalty, in the manner above specified, either jointly to such parties or separately to each in accordance with their respective ownerships thereof, as lessee may elect. Any payment hereunder may be made by check or draft of lessee deposited in the mail or delivered to the party entitled to receive payment or to a depository bank provided for above on or before the last date for payment. Nothing herein shall impair lessee's right to release as provided in paragraph 5 hereof. In the event of assignment of this lease in whole or in part, liability for payment hereunder shall rest exclusively on the then owner or owners of this lease, severally as to acreage owned by each.

5. Lessee may at any time and from time to time execute and deliver to lessor or file for record a release or releases of this lease as to any part or all of said land or of any mineral or interest thereunder, and thereby relieved of all obligations as to the released acreage or interest.

6. This is a PAID-UP LEASE. In consideration of the down cash payment, Lessor agrees that Lessee shall not be obligated except as otherwise provided herein, to commence or continue any operations during the primary term. Whenever used in this lease the word "operations" shall mean operations for and any of the following, drilling, testing, completing, reworking, recompleting, deepening, plugging back or abandonment of a well in search for or in an endeavor to obtain production of oil, gas, sulphur or other minerals, excavating a mine, production of oil, gas, sulphur or other mineral, whether or not in paying quantities.

7. Lessee shall have the use, free from royalty, of water, other than from lessor's water wells, and of oil and gas produced from said land in all operations hereunder. Lessor shall have the right at any time to remove all machinery and fixtures placed on said land, including the right to draw and remove casing. No well shall be drilled nearer than 200 feet to the house or barn now on said land without the consent of the lessor.

8. The rights and estate of any party hereto may be assigned from time to time in whole or in part and as to any mineral or horizon. All of the covenants, obligations, and considerations of this lease shall extend to and be binding upon the parties hereto, their heirs, successors, assigns, and successive assigns. No change or division in the ownership of said land, royalties, or other moneys, or any part thereof, however effected, shall increase the obligations or diminish the rights of lessee, including, but not limited to, the location and drilling of wells and the measurement of production. Notwithstanding any other provision contained herein, any record owner of this lease, its successors or assigns, no change or division in the ownership of said land or of the royalties, or other moneys, or the right to receive the same, actual or constructive knowledge or notice thereof of or to lessor, its successors or assigns, no change or division in the ownership of said land or of the royalties, or other moneys, or the right to receive the same, actual or constructive knowledge or notice thereof of or to lessor, its successors or assigns, no change or division in the ownership of said land or of the royalties, or other moneys, or the right to receive the same, actual or constructive knowledge or notice thereof of or to lessor, its successors or assigns, notice of such change or division, supported by either originals or duly certified copies of the instruments which have been properly filed for record and which evidence such change or division, and of such court records and proceedings, transcripts, or other documents as shall be necessary in the opinion of such record owner to establish the validity of such change or division. If any such change or division occurs by reason of the death of the owner, lessor may, nevertheless, pay or tender such royalties, or other moneys, or part thereof, to the credit of the decedent in a depository bank provided for above.

9. In the event lessor considers that lessee has not complied with all its obligations hereunder, both express and implied, lessor shall notify lessee in writing, setting out specifically in what respects lessor has breached this contract. Lessee shall then have sixty (60) days after receipt of such notice within which to meet or commence to meet all or any part of the breaches alleged by lessor. The service of said notice shall be precedent to the bringing of any action by lessor on said lease for any cause, and no such action shall be brought until the lapse of sixty (60) days after service of such notice on lessee. Neither the service of said notice nor the doing of any acts by lessee aimed to meet all or any of the alleged breaches shall be deemed an admission or presumption that lessee has failed to perform all its obligations hereunder. Since if it be asserted in any notice given to the lessee under the provisions of this paragraph that lessor has failed to comply with any implied obligation or covenant hereof, this lease shall not be subject to cancellation for any such cause except after final judicial ascertainment that such failure exists and lessee has then been afforded a reasonable time to prevent cancellation by complying with and discharging its obligations as to which lessor has been judicially determined to be in default. If this lease is cancelled for any cause, it shall nevertheless remain in force and effect as to (1) sufficient acreage around each well as to which there are operations to constitute a drilling or maximum allowable unit under applicable governmental regulations, (but in no event less than forty acres), such acreage to be designated by lessee as nearly as practicable in the form of a square centered at the well, or in such shape as then existing spacing rules require; and (2) any part of said land included in a pooled unit on which there are operations. Lessor shall also have such easements on said land as are necessary to operations on the acreage so retained.

11. If, while this lease is in force at, or after the expiration of the primary term hereof, it is not being continued in force by reason of the shut-in well provisions of paragraph 3 hereof, and lessor is not conducting operations on said land by reason of (1) any law, order, rule or regulation (whether or not subsequently determined to be invalid) or (2) any other cause, whether similar or dissimilar, beyond the reasonable control of lessor, the primary term hereof shall be extended until the first anniversary date hereof occurring ninety (90) or more days following the removal of such delaying cause, and this lease may be extended thereafter by operations as if such delay had not occurred.

12. In the event that Lessor, during the primary term of this lease, receives a bona fide offer which Lessor is willing to accept from any party offering to purchase from Lessor a lease covering any or all of the substances covered by this lease and covering all or a portion of the land described herein with the lease becoming effective upon expiration of this lease, Lessor hereby agrees to notify Lessee in writing of said offer immediately, including in the notice the name and address of the offeror, the price offered and all other pertinent terms and conditions of the offer. Lessee, for a period of fifteen days after receipt of the notice, shall have the prior and preferred right and option to purchase the lease or part thereof or interest therein, covered by the offer at the price and according to the terms and conditions specified in the offer. All offers made up to and including the last day of the primary term of this lease shall be subject to the terms and conditions of this Section. Should Lessee elect to purchase the lease pursuant to the terms hereof, it shall so notify Lessor in writing by mail or telegram prior to expiration of said 15-day period. Lessor shall promptly thereafter furnish to Lessor the new lease for execution on behalf of Lessor(s) along with Lessor's sight draft payable to Lessor in payment of the specified amount as consideration for the new lessee, such draft being subject only to approval of title according to the terms thereof. Upon receipt thereof, Lessor(s) shall promptly execute said lease and return same along with the endorsed draft to Lessee's representative or through Lessor(s) bank of record for payment.

WITNESS WHEREOF, this instrument is executed on the date first above written.  
WITNESS:

William J. Stael

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STATE OF ALA. SHELBY CO.  
I CERTIFY THIS  
DOCUMENT WAS FILED

William T. Floyd

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JOINT OR SEPARATE  
STATE OF Alabama  
COUNTY OF Jefferson

I hereby certify, that on this day, before me, a Max E. White, A Notary Public  
the William T. Floyd

to me known to be the person that is described in and who executed the foregoing instrument and  
I acknowledge before you that, being informed of the contents of the same,  
the within such foregoing instrument on the day and year therein mentioned,

Gives under my hand and official seal, this 28<sup>TH</sup> day of

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My commission expires November 5, 1985.

Notary Public  
(Title of Official)  
Jefferson (County)

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