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RELEASE OF LEASES

STATE OF ALABAMA COUNTY OF SHELBY

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENT: THAT, ATLANTIC RICHFIELD COMPANY. A DELAWARE CORPORATION (BY MERGER DATED MAY 7, 1985, THE SUCCESSOR TO ATLANTIC RICHFIELD COMPANY, A PENNSYLVANIA CORPORATION. FORMERLY THE ATLANTIC REFINING COMPANY, BY MERGER THE SUCCESSOR TO RICHFIELD OIL CORPORATION, AND BY MERGER THE SUCCESSOR TO SINCLAIR DIL CORPORATION, A NEW YORK CORPORATION), DOES HEREBY RELEASE, REMISE, RELINQUISH, QUITCLAIM AND SURRENDER UNTO THE LESSOR OR LESSORS HEREINAFTER NAMED, HIS OR THEIR HEIRS, SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS, ALL OF ITS RIGHT, TITLE AND INTEREST IN AND TO THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED DIL & GAS LEASES, AND THE ESTATES CREATED THEREBY, INSOFAR AND ONLY INSOFAR AS EACH SUCH LEASE COVERS LANDS HEREINAFTER DESCRIBED OR INDICATED IN CONNECTION WITH THE PARTICULAR LEASE:

1-10-01-117-010897-000 THAT CERTAIN OIL . GAS & MINERAL BY AND BETWEEN

LEASE DATED SEPTEMBER 01. 1981.

ROBERT N. DENNEY ET UX MARY GENE DENNEY 119 PINE TREE CIRCLE COLUMBIANA, ALABAMA

AS LESSORS, AND ATLANTIC RICHFIELD COMPANY

AS LESSEE, RECORDED IN CERT. , BOOK 338 , PAGE 154 OF THE RECORDS OF SHELBY COUNTY, ALABAMA

WHICH LEASE COVERS THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED LANDS IN SHELBY

COUNTY, ALABAMA

TZIS-RIW. N/2 NW/4 SE/4 AND PART OF THE NE/4 SW/4 CONTAINING 39.00 ACRES, MURE OR LESS

1-10-01-117-010902-000 THAT CERTAIN OIL, GAS & MINERAL LEASE DATED SEPTEMBER 02, 1981. BY AND BETWEEN

CLARENCE W GARDNER ET UX ETHEL M. GARDNER

2513 DOLLY RIDGE ROAD

BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA

AS LESSORS, AND ATLANTIC RICHFIELD COMPANY

AS LESSEE, RECORDED IN CERT. , BOOK 336 , PAGE 263 OF THE RECORDS OF SHELBY COUNTY, ALABAMA

WHICH LEASE COVERS THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED LANDS IN SHELBY COUNTY, ALABAMA

T205-R1E, NE/4 SE/4 AND SE/4 NE/4

CONTAINING 80.00 ACRES, MORE OR LESS

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1-10-01-117-010909-000 THAT CERTAIN OIL . GAS & MINERAL LEASE DATED SEPTEMBER 15, 1981, BY AND BETWEEN O. B. FOSTER ET UX LALENE MOORE FOSTER RT. 1, BOX 144 WILSONVILLE, ALABAMA AS LESSORS, AND ATLANTIC RICHFIELD COMPANY AS LESSEE, RECORDED IN CERT. • BOOK 336 • PAGE 353 OF THE RECORDS OF SHELBY COUNTY, ALABAMA WHICH LEASE COVERS THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED LANDS IN SHELBY COUNTY, ALABAMA T205-R1E, SEC. 16: PART OF THESW/47 SW/4 SEC. 17: PART OF THE SE/4 SE/4 CONTAINING 29.60 ACRES, MORE OR LESS

1-10-01-117-010911-000 THAT CERTAIN DIL , GAS & MINERAL BY AND BETWEEN MARY S. WILLIAMS

LEASE DATED SEPTEMBER 17, 1981,

960 47TH STREET WEST BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA

AS LESSORS, AND ATLANTIC RICHFIELD COMPANY

AS LESSEE, RECORDED IN CERT. , BOOK 336 , PAGE 345 OF THE /RECORDS OF SHELBY COUNTY, ALABAMA WHICH LEASE COVERS THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED LANDS IN SHELBY S COUNTY, ALABAMA

TR1: T205-R1E, SEC. 30: PT OF THE S/2 NW/4 TR2: T205 -R1W, SEC. 24: NW/4 NW/4 and CONTAINING 126.99 ACRES, MORE OR LESS NE/4 NW/4 SEC. 13: SW/4 SW/4 and SE/4 SW/4,

1-10-01-117-010916-000 THAT CERTAIN DIL, GAS & MINERAL BY AND BETWEEN JOSEPH C. COAN, ET UX RUBY W. COAN

LEASE DATED SEPTEMBER 15, 1981,

ROUTE 1, BOX 128 WILSONVILLE, AL

AS LESSORS, AND ATLANTIC RICHFIELD COMPANY

AS LESSEE, RECORDED IN CERT. , 800K 337 , PAGE 977 OF THE RECORDS OF SHELEY COUNTY, ALABAMA WHICH LEASE COVERS THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED LANDS IN SHELBY COUNTY, ALABAMA .

T205-R1E. SEC. 28: PART OF THE NW/4 NW/4 CONTAINING 30.00 ACRES, MORE OR LESS

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MAGGIE V. MORSE A/K/A MAGGIE L. MORSE RT. 1, BOX 58 COLUMBIANA, ALABAMA AS LESSORS, AND ATLANTIC RICHFIELD COMPANY , PAGE 190 OF THE , BOOK 338 AS LESSEE, RECORDED IN CERT. COUNTY, ALABAMA OF SHELBY RECORDS WHICH LEASE COVERS THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED LANDS IN SHELBY T20S 1-R1E, SEC. 19: NE/4 SW/4/, PART OF THE SE/4 SW/4, PART OF SW/4 SW/4, PART OF THE S/2 NW/ SW/4. CONTAINING 56.00 ACRES, MORE OR LESS. *** 1-10-01-117-010923-000 LEASE DATED SEPTEMBER 15, 1981, THAT CERTAIN OIL , GAS & MINERAL BY AND BETWEEN

FRANK W. WHEELER ET UX SUE A. WHEELER

RT. 1, BOX 127

WILSONVILLE, ALABAMA

AS LESSORS, AND ATLANTIC RICHFIELD COMPANY

AS LESSEE, RECORDED IN CERT.

/ RECORDS

OF SHELBY

COUNTY, ALABAMA

T20S-R1E, SEC. 28: PART OF THE W/2 NW/4 SEC. 29: PART OF THE NE/4 NE/4

CONTAINING

31.20 ACRES, MORE OR LESS

1-10-01-117-010926-000 LEASE DATED SEPTEMBER 30, 1981, THAT CERTAIN DIL & GAS BY AND BETWEEN THOMAS WICKLIFFE WRIGHT ET UX ANN WRIGHT RT. 1, BOX 143 WILSONVILLE, ALABAMA AS LESSURS, AND ATLANTIC RICHFIELD COMPANY AS LESSEE, RECORDED IN CERT. , BOOK 338 , PAGE 55 OF THE COUNTY, ALABAMA OF SHELBY RECORDS WHICH LEASE COVERS THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED LANDS IN SHELBY TR1: T20S -R1E, Sec. 16: PART OF THE W/2 SW/4 TR2: T2US -R1E, Sec. 16: PART OF THE W/2 COUNTY, ALABAMA 1 SW/4 CONTAINING 26.00 ACRES, MORE OR LESS. ***

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LEASE DATED SEPTEMBER 29, 1981,

1-10-01-117-010922-000

THAT CERTAIN DIL & GAS

BY AND BETWEEN

1-10-01-117-010927-00A THAT CERTAIN OIL & GAS LEASE DATED SEPTEMBER 24, 1981, BY AND BETWEEN FOREST CRUSE ET UX DOLORES CRUSE BOX 364 AUSTIN, TEXAS AS LESSORS, AND ATLANTIC RICHFIELD COMPANY AS LESSEE, RECORDED IN CERT. • BOOK 338 • PAGE 05 OF THE RECORDS OF SHELBY COUNTY, ALABAMA WHICH LEASE COVERS THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED LANDS IN SHELBY COUNTY, ALABAMA TR#1:T20S-R1E, SEC 14: SE SW TR#2:T20S-R1E, SEC 10: NE SW, SW SW NE CONTAINING 90.00 ACRES, MORE OR LESS

1-10-01-117-010950-000 THAT CERTAIN DIL , GAS & MIMERAL BY AND BETWEEN

LEASE DATED SEPTEMBER 03, 1981,

CHARLES ALLEN JONES ET UX BETTY F. JONES

P-O- BOX 422

COLUMBIANA, ALABAMA

AS LESSORS, AND ATLANTIC RICHFIELD COMPANY

AS LESSEE, RECORDED IN CERT. , 800K 337 , PAGE 764 OF THE RECORDS OF SHELBY COUNTY, ALABAMA

WHICH LEASE COVERS THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED LANDS IN SHELBY COUNTY, ALABAMA

T215-R1W, SEC. 2: PART OF THE NW/4 SW/4. PART OF THE SW/4 SW/4 AND PART OF THE CONTAINING 77.50 ACRES, MORE OR LESS NE/4 SW/4

1-10-01-117-010956-000 THAT CERTAIN DIL & GAS BY AND BETWEEN

LEASE DATEU SEPTEMBER 21, 1981,

MARTHA SHAW HOLLINGSWORTH ET VIR WILLIS W. HOLLINGSWORTH #1 NAKOMA DRIVE

MT. LEBANDN, PENNSYLVANIA

NW/4, SW/4 NW/4, and NW/4 SW/4.

AS LESSORS, AND ATLANTIC RICHFIELD COMPANY

AS LESSEE, RECORDED IN CERT. , BOCK 338 , PAGE 01 OF THE RECORDS OF SHELBY COUNTY, ALABAMA WHICH LEASE COVERS THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED LANDS IN SHELBY

COUNTY, ALABAMA TR1: T205-R1E, SEC 30: PART OF THE S/2 NW/4 TR 2: T205-R1W, SEC. 24: SW/4 NE/4, SE

Containing 165.99 acres, more or less.

1-10-01-117-010969-000 LEASE DATED SEPTEMBER 22, 1981, THAT CERTAIN DIL & GAS BY AND BETWEEN SIDNEY JACKSON WHEELER ET UX TYLA JEAN WHEELER RT. 1, BOX 139 WILSONVILLE, ALABAMA AS LESSORS, AND ATLANTIC RICHFIELD COMPANY , PAGE 52 OF THE , BOOK 338 AS LESSEE, RECORDED IN CERT. COUNTY, ALABAMA OF SHELBY RECORDS WHICH LEASE COVERS THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED LANDS IN SHELBY COUNTY, ALABAMA T205-R1E. NE/4 SW/4 AND E/2 NW/4 SW/4 CONTAINING 60.00 ACRES, MORE OR LESS

1-10-01-117-011043-000 LEASE DATED SEPTEMBER 01, 1981, THAT CERTAIN MEMORANDUM OF OIL & GAS LEASE BY AND BETWEEN CHAMPION INTERNATIONAL CORPORATION ONE CHAMPION PLAZA STAMFORD, CONNECTICUT ATTN: BERNIE GRANT QC AS LESSORS, AND ATLANTIC RICHFIELD COMPANY 出 AS LESSEE, RECORDED IN CERT. , BOOK 339 , PAGE 01 OF THE COUNTY, ALABAMA OF SHELBY RECORDS WHICH LEASE COVERS THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED LANDS IN SHELBY COUNTY, ALABAMA T20S-R1W, SEC 25: SE NE, S/2 CONTAINING 360.00 ACRES, MORE OR LESS

1-10-01-117-011044-000 THAT CERTAIN MEMORANDUM OF OIL & GAS LEASE LEASE LEASE DATED SEPTEMBER 01, 1981, BY AND BETWEEN CHAMPION INTERNATIONAL CORPORATION ONE CHAMPION PLAZA STAMFORD, CONNECTICUT ATTN: BERNIE GRANT AS LESSORS, AND ATLANTIC RICHFIELD COMPANY , PAGE 878 OF THE AS LESSEE, RECORDED IN CERT. , BOOK 338 COUNTY, ALABAMA OF SHELBY RECORDS: WHICH LEASE COVERS THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED LANDS IN SHELBY COUNTY, ALABAMA T20S-R1E; SEC 31: NW CONTAINING 160.00 ACRES, MORE OR LESS

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1-10-01-117-011045-000 THAT CERTAIN MEMORANDUM OF OIL & GAS LEASE LEASE DATED SEPTEMBER 01, 1981, BY AND BETWEEN CHAMPION INTERNATIONAL CORPORATION ONE CHAMPION PLAZA STAMFORD, CONNECTICUT ATTN: BERNIE GRANT AS LESSORS, AND ATLANTIC RICHFIELD COMPANY AS LESSEE, RECORDED IN CERT. , BOOK 338 , PAGE 880 OF THE RECORDS OF SHELBY COUNTY, ALABAMA WHICH LEASE COVERS THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED LANDS IN SHELBY COUNTY, ALABAMA T2OS-R1W; SEC 25: NE NW CONTAINING 40.00 ACRES, MORE OR LESS

LEASE

DATED SEPTEMBER 01, 1981,

1-10-01-117-011049-000
THAT CERTAIN MEMORANDUM OF OIL & GAS LEASE
BY AND BETWEEN
CHAMPION INTERNATIONAL CORPORATION
ONE CHAMPION PLAZA
STAMFORD, CONNECTICUT
ATTN: BERNIE GRANT

ATTN: BERNIE GRANT
OO AS LESSORS, AND ATLANTIC RICHFIELD COMPANY

AS LESSEE, RECORDED IN CERT.

OF THE RECORDS

OF SHELBY

WHICH LEASE COVERS THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED LANDS IN SHELBY

COUNTY, ALABAMA

T205-R1E; SEC 19: NE SE

CONTAINING 40.00 ACRES, MORE OR LESS

EFFECTIVE JANUARY 3, 1966, RICHFIELD DIL CORPORATION, A DELAWARE CORPORATION, WAS MERGED INTO THE ATLANTIC REFINING COMPANY, A PENNSYLVANIA CORPORATION, WITH THE ATLANTIC REFINING COMPANY, A PENNSYLVANIA CORPORATION, BECOMING THE SURVIVING CORPORATION. BY CHANGE OF NAME EFFECTIVE MAY 3, 1966, THE ATLANTIC REFINING COMPANY, BECAME ATLANTIC RICHFIELD COMPANY. EFFECTIVE AS OF MARCH 4, 1969, SINCLAIR DIL CORPORATION, A NEW YORK CORPORATION, WAS MERGED INTO ATLANTIC RICHFIELD COMPANY. BY MERGER ON MAY 7, 1985, ATLANTIC RICHFIELD COMPANY, A PENNSYLVANIA CORPORATION WAS SUCCEEDED BY ATLANTIC RICHFIELD COMPANY, A DELAWARE CORPORATION.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, THIS INSTRUMENT IS EXECUTED THIS 5 THE DAY OF

ATLANTIC RICHFIELD CUMPANY
BY Thomas M. Fustuangle

ATTORNEY-IN-FACTOR

This instrument prepared by Carley E. Moore, P.O. Box 600, Dallas, Texas 75221

10-01-85

STATE OF ALABAMA
COUNTY OF SHELBY

I, Sondra Adams, a Notary Public in and for said County in said State, hereby certify that homes he foregoing instrument, and who is known to me, acknowledged before me on this day that, being informed of the contents of the instrument, he, in his capacity as such Attorney-in-Fact, executed the same voluntarily for and as the act of said corporation.

Given where my hand and seal of office this 5th day of Jelium, A.D. 19

My commission experes:

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