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STATE OF ALABAMA )
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COUNTY OF SHELBY )

BEFORE ME, the undersigned Notary Public in and for said County in said State, personally appeared DOUGLAS MARSHALL KENT, who, after being duly sworn, deposed and says as follows:

"My name is Douglas Marshall Kent. I reside in Shelby County, Alabama. My social security number is [redacted] I have personal knowledge of the following:

I have examined that certain Oil, Gas And Mineral Lease recorded in the Office of the Probate Judge of Shelby County, Alabama at Book 322, page 11 (hereinafter, the "Lease"). I am the Douglas Marshall Kent, along with my wife, Nina L. Kent, who signed the Lease to Atlantic Richfield Company (hereinafter, "Lessee") on July 16, 1979.

At no time since my wife and I signed the Lease has the Lessee conducted operations on the real property subject to the Lease. We have received no payments other than the initial payment made upon the signing of the Lease. We have not granted any extensions to the Lease. It is my opinion and belief that the Lease has terminated according to its terms.

This affidavit is given for the purpose of inducing Lawyers Title Insurance Corporation to issue its title insurance policy or policies in connection with its title insurance case number 02-0362."

Further, affiant saith not.

DOUGLAS MARSHALL KENT

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 21 day of Jan, 2003.

Notary Public
My commission expires:
NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF ALABAMA AT LARGE
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES: Jan 22, 2005
BONDED THRU NOTARY PUBLIC UNDERWRITERS

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