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STATE OF ALABAMA
SHELBY COUNTY

## **AFFIDAVIT**

Before me, the undersigned authority, a Notary Public, in and for said County, in said State, personally appeared James M. Hall, Jr., who after being by me first duly sworn deposes and says on oath as follows:

My name is James M. Hall, Jr., and I am over the age of 21 years, and am familiar with the following facts:

I have been shown a copy of an Oil, Gas, and Mineral Lease executed by my mother, Evelyn M. Hall, to Amoco Production Company, on June 13, 1980, which was recorded in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama, in Deed Book 327, Page 396, covering the E½ of SE¼, Section 35 and the W½ of SW¼, Section 36, all in Township 20 South, Range 1 East. The initial term of this Oil, Gas, and Mineral Lease was 10 years, as set forth in said document.

I know that there has been no renewal of this lease nor has there ever been any drilling or mining on this property. I also know that no royalties have been paid under this lease.

I give this affidavit because my mother passed away on April 8, 2015, and I am one of her three heirs at law and next of kin.

Further the affiant saith not.

James M. Hall, Jr.

Sworn to and subscribed before me This 30<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2015.

Janet F. Parson, Notary Public

My commission expires: 10/4/2016

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