

ANSON COMPANY

AN OKLAHOMA
GENERAL PARTNERSHIP

April 4, 1996

ANSON GAS CORPORATION
MANAGING GENERAL PARTNER
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Certified Mail, Return Receipt Requested

Gecko, Inc.
310 W. Wall
Suite 702 - LB 106
Midland, TX 79701

Attention: Mr. Steve Thomson

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RE: Gecko Wilks 28 #1
SE/4 NE/4 Section 28-15S-37E
Lea County, New Mexico
NMOCD Case No. 11471
Order No. R-10551

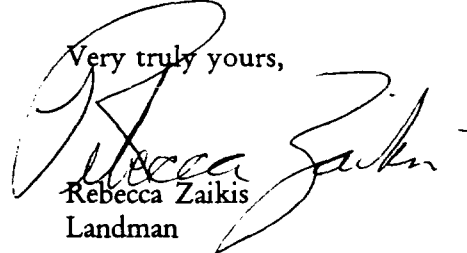
Gentlemen:

Pursuant to Gecko's proposal letter dated March 19, 1996, AnSon Company hereby elects to participate in the drilling of the subject well with its .25% working interest. AnSon's cashier check in the amount of \$2225.00 and executed AFE are enclosed. Said check represents AnSon's pro rata share of completed well costs (\$890,000 x .25%). I have also enclosed AnSon's well requirements sheet.

By letter dated February 27, 1996, AnSon advised Gecko it had sold 2.0881 net acres in the SE/4 NE/4 to Santa Fe Investments Company. Santa Fe will make its election direct to Gecko.

Please provide AnSon with a standard Joint Operating Agreement for review. The JOA you have heretofore provided is unacceptable and is not what AnSon considers standard.

Very truly yours,


Rebecca Zaikis
Landman

RZ/nw
Enclosures

cc: NMOCD
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