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MIDLAND, TEXAS 79701

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October 4, 1999

[Via Certified Mail-Return Receipt Requested]

To: Persons on Exhibit "A"

Re: Case No. 12,238
Order No. R-11251
Esperanza "28" Fee Com. No. 1 Well
W/2 of Section 28, T21S, R27E
Eddy County, New Mexico

Ladies and Gentlemen:

In reference to the captioned proposed well, enclosed for your information is a copy of Compulsory Pooling Order R-11251 which pools all uncommitted mineral interests, whatever they may be, from the surface to the base of the Morrow formation for all formations spaced on 320 acres for the W/2, all formations spaced on 160 acres in the SW/4 and for all formations spaced on 40 acres for the NW/4SW/4 of the captioned Section 28 as more fully described in said Pooling Order.

Pursuant to decretory paragraph (3) on Page (4) of the referenced Order, enclosed for your information is a copy of our Authorization For Expenditure (AFE) which is an itemized schedule of estimated well costs for the captioned proposed well.

In the event you elect not to be force pooled as authorized in the referenced Order, you can pay us your proportionate part of the estimated well costs within thirty (30) days of your receipt of the Order and AFE per the terms of decretory paragraph (4) on Page (4) of the enclosed Order. Should you elect this option, we will notify the Division in writing of your subsequent voluntary agreement to participate in the subject well per the terms of decretory paragraph (14) on Page (6) of the Order.

Should you have any questions regarding the above, please do not hesitate to call me.

Sincerely yours,

MEWBOURNE OIL COMPANY



D. Paul Haden
Senior Landman

DPH/gb

EXHIBIT "A"

Esperanza "28" Fee Com. Well No. 1

W/2 Section 28-21S-27E

Eddy County, New Mexico

Altura Energy Ltd.
P.O. Box 4294
Houston, Texas 77210-4294
Attention: Jerry D. West

James L. Pierce
2607 Ward
Midland, Texas 79705

~~Dowell Todd Armstrong
850 Azalea
Houston, Texas 77018~~

RKC, Inc.
1527 Hillside Road
Fairfield, CT 06430
Attention: Richard Kral

~~Irma Dailey
P.O. Box 312
Groves, Texas 77619~~

RKC, Inc.
7029 East Briarwood Circle
Englewood, Colorado 80112
Attention: Anthony Kochevar

J.C. Davis, Jr.
4703 Boulder Drive
Midland, Texas 79707

Redfern Enterprises, Inc.
P.O. Box 2127
Midland, Texas 79702-2127

~~David V. DeMarco d/b/a
Black & Gold Resources
3050 Post Oak Boulevard, Suite 500
Houston, Texas 77056~~

~~Texas Independent Exploration, Inc.
1600 Smith, Suite 3800
Houston, Texas 77002
Attention: Robert F. Blucher~~

Eugene Elizondo
1406 Elizondo Road
Carlsbad, New Mexico 88220

~~Antonio Vargas
2920 Wheeling
El Paso, Texas 79930~~

J. M. Huber Corporation
1900 West Loop South, Suite 1600
Houston, Texas 77027
Attention: W. Paul Loyd

~~Rick Zimmerman d/b/a
Island Resources
1600 Smith, Suite 3800
Houston, Texas 77002~~

Mike Martinez and Erlinda Martinez,
Trustee of the Martinez Family
Trust U/T/A Dated 5/3/94
14202 Fairgrove
La Puente, California 91747

Esperanza 28" Fee Com. #1

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Complete items 1 & 2 for additional services.
Complete items 3, 4a, and 4b.
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I also wish to receive the following services (for an extra fee):

1. Addressee's Address
2. Restricted Delivery

3. Article Addressed to:

Altura Energy Ltd.
P.O. Box 4294
Houston, Texas 77210-4294
Attention: Jerry D. West

4a. Article Number
Z 236 347 219

4b. Service Type

Registered Certified
 Express Mail Insured
 Return Receipt for Merchandise COD

7. Date of Delivery
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5. Received By: (Print Name)

6. Signature (Addressee or Agent)
[Signature]

8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid)

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3. Article Addressed to:

J.C. Davis, Jr.
4703 Boulder Drive
Midland, Texas 79707

4a. Article Number
Z 236 347 222

4b. Service Type

Registered Certified
 Express Mail Insured
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3. Article Addressed to:

Eugene Elizondo
1406 Elizondo Road
Carlsbad, New Mexico 88220

4a. Article Number
Z 236 347 224

4b. Service Type

Registered Certified
 Express Mail Insured
 Return Receipt for Merchandise COD

7. Date of Delivery

5. Received By: (Print Name)

6. Signature (Addressee or Agent)
[Signature]

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3. Article Addressed to:

J.M. Huber Corporation
1900 West Loop South, Suite 1600
Houston, Texas 77027
Attention: W. Paul Loyd

4a. Article Number

Z 236 347 225

4b. Service Type

- Registered Certified
- Express Mail Insured
- Return Receipt for Merchandise COD

7. Date of Delivery

10-6-99

5. Received By: (Print Name)

Sheryl D Jackson

6. Signature (Addressee or Agent)

8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid)

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- 2. Restricted Delivery

3. Article Addressed to:

Mike Martinez and Erlinda Martinez
Trustee of the Martinez Family
Trust U/T/A Dated 5/3/94
14202 Fairgrove
La Puente, California 91747

4a. Article Number

Z 236 347 226

4b. Service Type

- Registered Certified
- Express Mail Insured
- Return Receipt for Merchandise COD

7. Date of Delivery

10-8-99

5. Received By: (Print Name)

Erlinda Martinez

6. Signature (Addressee or Agent)

8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid)

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3. Article Addressed to:
 James L. Pierce
 2607 Ward
 Midland, Texas 79705

4a. Article Number
 Z 236 347 227

4b. Service Type
 Registered Certified
 Express Mail Insured
 Return Receipt for Merchandise COD

7. Date of Delivery
 10/5/99

5. Received By: (Print Name)
 J. Pierce

6. Signature (Addressee or Agent)
 [Signature]

8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fees paid)

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 P.O. Box 2127
 Midland, Texas 79702-2127

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 Z 236 347 230

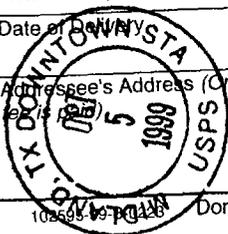
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 Registered Certified
 Express Mail Insured
 Return Receipt for Merchandise COD

7. Date of Delivery

5. Received By: (Print Name)
 J. Burdell

6. Signature (Addressee or Agent)
 [Signature]

8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fees paid)



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