

**Santa Fe Snyder Corporation**  
VIA FAX AND CERTIFIED MAIL  
Fax (281) 618-4757

February 8, 2000

Southwestern Energy Production Company  
2350 N. Sam Houston Parkway East, Suite 300  
Houston, Texas 77032

ATTN: Mr. Samuel Glenn Thompson

Re: Well Proposal  
Paloma Blanco "17" Federal #1  
1,980' FNL & 660' FWL  
Section 17, T-23-S, R-34-E  
Lea County, New Mexico  
PALOMA PROSPECT - NM-0964

Gentlemen:

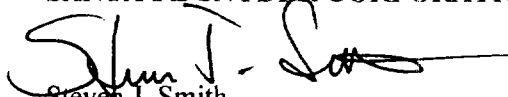
Reference is made to Santa Fe Snyder Corporation's (Santa Fe's) letter dated December 9, 1999 proposing to drill the referenced well as a 13,700' Morrow test at a location 1,980' FNL & 660' FWL of Section 17, T-23-S, R-34-E, Lea County, New Mexico.

As an alternative to your participation in the proposed well, Santa Fe hereby offers to purchase all of Southwestern Energy Production Company's (SWEPCO's) interest in the N/2 of said Section 17 for \$20,000.00 total bonus consideration (\$125.00 per net acre) subject to SWEPCO's reservation of a proportionately reducible Overriding Royalty interest equal to the difference by which 20% exceeds existing lease burdens.

This offer shall remain in effect until 5:00 P.M. CST on February 29, 2000, after which it may be withdrawn at Santa Fe's option without notice. To indicate your acceptance of this proposal, please execute and return to the undersigned one copy of this letter.

Sincerely,

**SANTA FE SNYDER CORPORATION**

  
Steven J. Smith  
Senior Staff Landman

ACCEPTED AND AGREED TO  
this \_\_\_\_ day of February, 2000.

**SOUTHWESTERN ENERGY PRODUCTION COMPANY**

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

PalomaBlanco17.doc  
Central Division  
550 W Texas, Suite 1330  
Midland, Texas 79701  
915/687-3551

BEFORE THE  
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION  
Case No. 12393 Exhibit No. 6  
Submitted By:  
Santa Fe Snyder Corporation  
Hearing Date: May 18, 2000

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ATTN: MR. SAMUEL G. THOMPSON  
 SOUTHWESTERN ENERGY PROD. CO.  
 2350 N. SAM HOUSTON PKWY. EAST  
 SUITE 300  
 HOUSTON, TEXAS 77032

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MR. BENSON

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MR. BENSON

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**Fax Cover Sheet**

Date: 2/8/2000  
To: Don Thompson - Alk Energy  
Fax: (281) 618-4757  
From: Steve Smith  
RE: Paloma Blanco "17" Fed #1

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