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DEC 1 : 1992

December 9, 1992

Mr. Paul Haden Mewbourne Oil Company 500 West Texas, Suite 1020 Midland, Texas 79701

Re: Farmout Request

Diamond A "27" State No. 1

T17S, R28E

Section 17: N/2 NE/4,

Below the base of the ABO formation

Eddy County, New Mexico

Dear Paul:

Reference is made to your previous letters regarding the captioned request. Please be advised that Conoco is agreeable to farming out our interest to Mewbourne on the captioned acreage subject to determination of the status of the production payments mentioned in your letter of December 1, 1992.

I have requested some information from our Ponca City office concerning these payments.

I will let you know what I find out.

Very truly yours,

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OIL CONSERVATION LIVISION

EXHISIT NO. 5

CASE NO. ____10636

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R: Prancon A 27 " A.T. Mered Samedan a 73% HRT deal for their interest before and after Adjout. He's to get back with me next week as they are doing budget this week their meetings

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Per Jack anderson w/ Smedan. They would farmout their interest on the basis of delivering us a 70%. NRI no back in APO. I told hin those terms were una cleptable They would go under the pooling if we were not agreeable to their deal. 12-4-92

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December 3, 1992

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Peyton Yates, Frank Yates, Jr. and S. P. Yates, Personal Representatives of the Estate of Martin Yates, III, Deceased c/o 105 So. 4th Street Artesia, New Mexico 88210

Re: Diamond A "27" State #1

T17S, R28E

Section 27: N/2NE/4 below the base of the Abo

formation

Eddy County, New Mexico

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Records available to us indicate the Estate of Martin Yates, III, hereinafter referred to as "Yates" owns an undivided 1/6 of 13/288 interest in the operating rights under the captioned land. In this connection, Mewbourne Oil Company, operator, proposes drilling the captioned well to test the Morrow formation on the following proposed terms:

- 1) Mewbourne, as operator, will commence on or before April 1, 1993 after the execution of your farmout agreement an initial test well at a location of Mewbourne's choice in the SE/4 of the captioned Section 27 and drill same to a depth sufficient to test the Morrow formation, estimated total depth being 10,600'. The E/2 of the above described Section 27 will be dedicated to the well.
- 2) In the event the initial test well is completed as a dry hole or if it is completed as a producer but such well's proration unit does not include all of Yate's acreage, Mewbourne would have the option to commence a 120 continuous development schedule with the intent of earning all of your acreage under the captioned land.
- 3) If any well drilled under the terms of this agreement results in production including your acreage and operating rights, Mewbourne will earn an assignment of your operating rights in the proration unit allocated to the well from the base of the

Estate of Martin Yates, III December 3, 1992 Page 2

Abo formation to 100 feet below the total depth drilled in each well.

- 4) Yates would retain its interest (if any) from the surface to the base of the Abo formation and below 100 feet below the total depth drilled in each of Mewbourne's well(s), an overriding royalty interest equal to the difference between 25% of all oil and gas produced and the total of all royalty interests, overriding royalty interests and other burdens on production which the premises may be subject, to the extent Mewbourne will be assigned a 75% net revenue interest lease in each proration unit earned by Mewbourne.
- 5) Upon acceptance of the farmout proposal, you agree to furnish Mewbourne with whatever title information you have in your files in connection with this property such as copies of the original base lease, title opinions, gas contracts currently in effect, etc.

Should Yates not be interested in farming out its interest as proposed, Mewbourne invites Yates to join Mewbourne in drilling the initial test well to the extent of its interest in the spacing unit. Regarding this option, enclosed for your consideration is a copy of Mewbourne's AFE for the above wells.

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Sincerely,

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D. Paul Haden, CPL

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December 3, 1992

<u>Certified Mail - Return Receipt Requested</u>

Mr. Harvey E. Yates P. O. Box 1933 Roswell, New Mexico 88202

Re: Diamond A "27" State #1

T17S, R28E

Section 27: N/2NE/4

below the base of the Abo

formation

Eddy County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Yates:

Records available to us indicate you own an undivided 1/6 of 13/288 interest in the operating rights under the captioned land. In this connection, Mewbourne Oil Company, operator, proposes drilling the captioned well to test the Morrow formation on the following proposed terms:

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Mr. Harvey E. Yates December 3, 1992 Page 2

Abo formation to 100 feet below the total depth drilled in each well.

- 4) You would retain your interest (if any) from the surface to the base of the Abo formation and below 100 feet below the total depth drilled in each of Mewbourne's well(s), an overriding royalty interest equal to the difference between 25% of all oil and gas produced and the total of all royalty interests, overriding royalty interests and other burdens on production which the premises may be subject, to the extent Mewbourne will be assigned a 7.5% net revenue interest lease in each proration unit earned by Mewbourne.
- 5) Upon acceptance of the farmout proposal, you agree to furnish Mewbourne with whatever title information you have in your files in connection with this property such as copies of the original base lease, title opinions, gas contracts currently in effect, etc.

Should you not be interested in farming out your interest as proposed, Mewbourne invites Yates to join Mewbourne in drilling the initial test well to the extent of its interest in the spacing unit. Regarding this option, enclosed for your consideration is a copy of Mewbourne's AFE for the above wells.

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December 3, 1992

<u>Certified Mail - Return Receipt Requested</u>

S. P. Yates, B. W. Harper, and Frank Yates, Jr. Personal Representatives of the Estate of Lillie M. Yates, Deceased c/o 105 So. 4th Street Artesia, New Mexico 88210

Re: Diamond A "27" State #1

T17S, R28E

Section 27: N/2NE/4

below the base of the Abo

formation

Eddy County, New Mexico

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Records available to us indicate the Estate of Lillie M. Yates, hereinafter referred to as "Yates" owns an undivided 1/6 of 13/288 interest in the operating rights under the captioned land. In this connection, Mewbourne Oil Company, operator, proposes drilling the captioned well to test the Morrow formation on the following proposed terms:

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- 2) In the event the initial test well is completed as a dry hole or if it is completed as a producer but such well's proration unit does not include all of Yate's acreage, Mewbourne would have the option to commence a 120 continuous development schedule with the intent of earning all of your acreage under the captioned land.
- 3) If any well drilled under the terms of this agreement results in production including your acreage and operating rights, Mewbourne will earn an assignment of your operating rights in the proration unit allocated to the well from the base of the

Estate of Lillie M. Yates December 3, 1992 Page 2

Abo formation to 100 feet below the total depth drilled in each well.

- 4) Yates would retain its interest (if any) from the surface to the base of the Abo formation and below 100 feet below the total depth drilled in each of Mewbourne's well(s), an overriding royalty interest equal to the difference between 25% of all oil and gas produced and the total of all royalty interests, overriding royalty interests and other burdens on production which the premises may be subject, to the extent Mewbourne will be assigned a 75% net revenue interest lease in each proration unit earned by Mewbourne.
- 5) Upon acceptance of the farmout proposal, you agree to furnish Mewbourne with whatever title information you have in your files in connection with this property such as copies of the original base lease, title opinions, gas contracts currently in effect, etc.

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D. Paul Haden, CPL

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December 3, 1992

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Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Yates c/o 105 So. 4th Street Artesia, New Mexico 88210

Re: Diamond A "27" State #1

T17S, R28E

Section 27: N/2NE/4

below the base of the Abo

formation

Eddy County, New Mexico

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Records available to us indicate you own an undivided 1/3 of 13/288 interest in the operating rights under the captioned land. In this connection, Mewbourne Oil Company, operator, proposes drilling the captioned well to test the Morrow formation on the following proposed terms:

- 1) Mewbourne, as operator, will commence on or before April 1, 1993 after the execution of your farmout agreement an initial test well at a location of Mewbourne's choice in the SE/4 of the captioned Section 27 and drill same to a depth sufficient to test the Morrow formation, estimated total depth being 10,600'. The E/2 of the above described Section 27 will be dedicated to the well.
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Mr. and Mrs. S. P Yates December 3, 1992 Page 2

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D. Paul Haden, CPL

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December 2, 1992

Petro Yates, Inc. P. O. Box 2607 Roswell, New Mexico 88202

Re: Diamond A "27" State #1
T17S, R28E
Section 27: N/2NE/4
below the base of the Abo
formation
Eddy County, New Mexico

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Records available to us indicate Petro Yates, Inc. owns an undivided 1/6 of 13/288 interest in the operating rights under the captioned land. In this connection, Mewbourne Oil Company, as operator, proposes drilling the captioned well to test the Morrow formation on the following proposed terms:

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Petro Yates, Inc. December 2, 1992 Page 2

- 4) Petro Yates would retain its interest (if any) from the surface to the base of the Abo formation and below 100 feet below the total depth drilled in each of Mewbourne's well(s), an overriding royalty interest equal to the difference between 25% of all oil and gas produced and the total of all royalty interests, overriding royalty interests and other burdens on production which the premises may be subject, to the extent Mewbourne will be assigned a 75% net revenue interest lease in each proration unit earned by Mewbourne.
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December 2, 1992

CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Buddy F. Walker 1500 Montano Road Albuquerque, New Mexico 87107

Re: Diamond A "27" State #1

T17S, R28E

Section 27: SW/4SE/4, below the base of the Abo

formation

Eddy County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Walker:

Records available to us indicate you own an interest in the operating rights under the captioned land. In this connection, Mewbourne Oil Company, as operator, proposes drilling the captioned well to test the Morrow formation on the following proposed terms:

- 1) Mewbourne, as operator, will commence within 180 days from the execution date of your farmout agreement an initial test well at a location of Mewbourne's choice in the SE/4 of the captioned Section 27 and drill same to a depth sufficient to test the Morrow formation, estimated total depth being 10,600'. The E/2 of the above described Section 27 will be dedicated to the well.
- 2) In the event the initial test well is completed as a dry hole or if it is completed as a producer but such well's proration unit does not include all of your acreage; Mewbourne would have the option to commence a 180 day continuous development schedule with the intent of earning all of your acreage under the captioned land.
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Buddy F. Walker December 2, 1992 Page 2

- 4) You would retain your interest (if any) from the surface to the base of the Abo formation and below 100 feet below the total depth drilled in each of Mewbourne's well(s), an overriding royalty interest equal to the difference between 25% of all oil and gas produced and the total of all royalty interests, overriding royalty interests and other burdens on production which the premises may be subject, to the extent Mewbourne will be assigned a 75% net revenue interest lease in each proration unit earned by Mewbourne.
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Your early response regarding the above well proposal will be greatly appreciated. If you agree to the above proposed farmout terms, please indicate your acceptance of same by signing and returning the copy of this letter to me at your earliest convenience.

Sincérely Landen, CPL Landman

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Buddy F. Walker

The undersigned hereby agrees operating rights to Mewbourne above this day of	Oil Company as proposed

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December 2, 1992

CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Marjorie A. Hailey 143 Lakeshore Drive Corpus Christie, Texas 78413

Re: Diamond A "27" State #1

T17S, R28E

Section 27: SW/4SE/4, below the base of the Abo

formation

Eddy County, New Mexico

Dear Ms. Halley:

As discussed this date records available to us indicate you own an interest in the operating rights under the captioned land. In this connection, Mewbourne Oil Company, as operator, proposes drilling the captioned well to test the Morrow formation on the following proposed terms:

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Marjorie A. Hailey December 2, 1992 Page 2

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D. Paul Haden, CPL Landman

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The undersigned hoperating rights above this	to Mewbourne	Oil Company	as proposed
Ву:			

Marjorie A. Hailey (formerly known as Marjorie Hailey Walker)

500 W. TEXAS, SUITE 1020 MIDLAND, TEXAS 79701 915 / 682-3715

December 1, 1992

Marathon Oil Company
P. O. Box 552
Midland, Texas 79701
Attn: Randal P. Wilson, CPL
Landman

Re: Diamond A "27" State #1

T17S, R28E

Section 27: N/2NE/4

Eddy County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

Reference is made to Mewbourne's letter of October 7, 1992 wherein Mewbourne requested a farmout of Marathon's interest in the captioned land, among other lands. Regarding same, Marathon elected not to farmout any of its interest in the lands described in Exhibit "A" of Mewbourne's letter described above as advised by Marathon's letter dated November 5, 1992.

Regarding the above, Mewbourne Oil Company respectfully requests Marathon Oil Company to reconsider its decision to farmout to Mewbourne as to the basic terms set forth in the above described Mewbourne letter dated October 7, 1992 insofar as Mewbourne's farmout request effects the captioned land only. Please advise me of this request at your earliest convenience.

Sincerely,

Mewbourne/Oil/Compan

. Paul Haden, CPL

Landman

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500 W. TEXAS, SUITE 1020 MIDLAND, TEXAS 79701

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December 1, 1992

Louis Dreyfus Natural Gas Corp.
Quail Springs Corporate Park.
14000 Quail Springs Parkway, Suite 600
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73134
Attn: Rusty Waters

Re: Diamond A "27" State #1

T17S, R28E

Section 27: N/2NE/4 Eddy County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

Reference is made to Mewbourne's letter of October 30, 1992 wherein Mewbourne requested a farmout of Dreyfus's interest in the captioned land, among other lands. Regarding same, Dreyfus elected not to farmout any of its interest in the lands described in Exhibit "A" of Mewbourne's letter described above as advised by Dreyfus's letter dated November 9, 1992.

Regarding the above, Mewbourne Oil Company respectfully requests Louis Dreyfus Natural Gas Corp. to reconsider its decision to farmout to Mewbourne as to the basic terms set forth in the above described Mewbourne letter dated October 7, 1992 insofar as Mewbourne farmout request effects the captioned land only. Please advise me of this request at your earliest convenience.

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Mewbourne Oil Compan

Paul Haden, CPL

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Samedan - Jack Anderson
Called him about status of
our request. He was in
meeting. Left message
for him to call me.

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is yet.

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DOMESTIC RETURN RECEIPT

500 W. TEXAS, SUITE 1020 MIDLAND, TEXAS 79701

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November 20, 1992

CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Conoco, Inc. 10 Desta Drive - Suite 100W Midland, Texas 79705-4500

Attn: Mr. Mike Johnson

Re: Farmout Request

Diamond A "27" State #1

T17S, R28E

Section 27: N/2NE/4, below the base of the Abo formation

Eddy County, New Mexico

Mike:

Regarding the captioned well proposed by Mewbourne, enclosed for your file is a copy of my letter dated October 5, 1992 directed to your attention wherein Mewbourne Oil Company requested a farmout of Conoco's interest for a Morrow test well. Also enclosed for Conoco's consideration is a copy of Mewbourne's AFE dated October 23, 1992 for the above well.

Please call me if you should have any questions regarding Mewbourne's proposal. I'm looking forward to hearing from you regarding the above and our mutual cooperation.

Sincerely,

Mewbourne Oil Company

D. Paul Haden, CPL

Landman

Conoco Inc. — TITS, RZBE Mike Johnson He advised this date he received our application for pooling. He Says he received a farmout request from us. It locked in our Correspondence and found we sent them a farmout up wat Oct. 5/992. If faxed frim a copy of same with a copy of one APE as to our proposed well. 11-20-92

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November 13, 1992

Samedan Oil Corporation 10 Desta Drive, Suite 240E Midland, Texas 79705

Attn: Mr. Jack E. Anderson

Re: Diamond A "27" State #1

T17S, R28E

Section 27: SW/4SE/4 below the base of the Abo

formation

Eddy County, New Mexico

Dear Jack:

Regarding the captioned well proposed by Mewbourne, enclosed for Samedan's consideration is a copy of Mewbourne' AFE. This is in reference to my letter of October 15, 1992 wherein Mewbourne requested a farmout of Samedan's interest under the captioned land in support of a 10,600' Morrow test well.

In the event Samedan elects not to farmout its interest as proposed, Mewbourne Oil Company invites Samedan Oil Corporation to join Mewbourne in the proposed test well to the extent of Samedan's interest in the spacing unit allocated to said well.

Prior to the pooling hearing we've scheduled for December 17, 1992, we would like to make a trade with Samedan. Please respond at your earliest convenience.

Sincerely

Mewbourne Oil Company

D. Paul Haden, CPL

Landman

PH/klc Enclosure

Louis Dreyfus Natural Gas Corp.

Qual Springs corporate Park 14000 Qual Springs rate way State occ Oktahema City, Or. 75154 905-749 1560

November 9, 1992

Mewbourne Oil Company 500 West Texas Suite 1020 Midland, Texas 79701

ATTN: D. Paul Haden, CPL

RE: Diamond "A" Ranch

North Turkey Track

Various Lands in T17S-R28E

and T18S-R28E

Eddy County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

Please be advised that Louis Dreyfus Natural Gas Corp. does not wish to Farmout its interest in the above referenced tracts at this time.

Sincerely,

LOUIS DREYFUS NATURAL GAS CORP.

Rusty Waters Landman

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P.O. Box 552 Midland, TX 79702-0552 Telephone 915/682-1626

November 5, 1992

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Mewbourne Oil Company 500 W. Texas, Suite 1020 Midland, Texas 79701

Attention: Mr. D. Paul Haden

NM-4043 - State of New Mexico Lease #647 NM-4045 - State of New Mexico Lease E-1286-2 NM-4046 - State of New Mexico Lease E-1288 NM-4064 - State of New Mexico Lease B-2071 NM-4068 - State of New Mexico Lease E-7116 W/2 Section 26, N/2 NE/4 Section 27, N/2 SE/4, W/2 NE/4 Section 34, T-17-S, R-28-E, N.M.P.M., N/2 NE/4, SE/4 NE/4, N/2 SE/4 S/2 SE/4

Re: Our Lease NM-901 - State of New Mexico Lease B-8196

Section 15, E/2 E/2, SW/4 SE/4, S/2 SW/4 SE/4 NW/4, SW/4 NW/4 Section 22, T-18-S, R-28-E, N.M.P.M.,

Eddy County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

Marathon Oil Company is in receipt of your letter dated October 8, 1992, in which you request a farmout of Marathon's interest in the referenced acreage and the decision has been made to not farmout any interest at this time. If you should have any questions regarding this matter, please call the undersigned at 687-8476.

Very truly yours,

Randal P. Wilson, CPL

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Landman

RPW; mmc'

500 W. TEXAS, SUITE 1020 MIDLAND, TEXAS 79701

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October 30, 1992

Louis Dreyfus Natural Gas Corp. Quail Springs Corporate Park 14000 Quail Springs Parkway, Suite 600 Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73134 Attn: Rusty Waters

Re: Diamond "A" Ranch and North
Turkey Track Prospects
Multi-Tract Farmout Proposal
Various lands in T17S-R28E and
T18S-R28E
Eddy County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

Mewbourne Oil Company (Mewbourne) is interested in entering into a multi-tract farmout agreement with Louis Dreyfus Natural Gas Corp. (Dreyfus) covering certain lands in Eddy County, New Mexico. For our mutual benefit and convenience, Mewbourne respectfully requests Dreyfus to grant Mewbourne one (1) Farmout Agreement covering the "Farmout Tracts" described in Exhibit "A" attached hereto. Mewbourne hereby proposes the following general terms and conditions as to each Farmout Tract:

- 1) Upon execution of a mutually acceptable Farmout Agreement, Mewbourne, as Operator shall have the option, but not the obligation to commence on or before April 1, 1993 an Initial Test Well in a proration unit containing Tract 1 and Tract 2 at locations of Mewbourne's choice and thereafter drill each Initial Test Well to a depth sufficient to adequately test the Morrow formation.
- 2) Within 180 days from the completion of the Initial Test Wells under Tracts 1 and 2, Mewbourne shall have the option but not the obligation to commence the drilling of additional wells for the purpose of establishing oil and/or gas production as to any depth or formation under the lands described in Exhibit "A".
- 3) Mewbourne shall not allow more than 180 days to elapse between the completion of one well and the actual commencement of drilling operations of the next well until Dreyfus's acreage is fully developed under Tracts 1 and 2.

Louis Dreyfus Natural Gas Corp. October 30, 1992 Page 2

- 4) In the event any well drilled under the terms of this agreement results in oil and/or gas production in paying quantities in the lands and depths described in Exhibit "A", Mewbourne shall earn 100% of such operating rights in the proration unit to 100' below the total depth drilled for each well.
- In addition to the shallow and deep rights retained by Dreyfus and acreage outside of each earned proration unit, Dreyfus shall retain an overriding royalty interest equal to the difference between 25% of all oil and/or gas produced and the total of all royalty interests and other existing burdens to the extent Mewbourne will be assigned a 75% net revenue interest lease, subject to proportionate reduction.
- 5) Upon Dreyfus's agreement to the above, Dreyfus agrees to furnish at no cost whatsoever to Mewbourne, all title information it has in its files pertaining to the lands and depths described in Exhibit "A" attached hereto including but not limited to, title opinions, copies of all leases, rental receipts, farmout or letter agreements; operating agreements and any gas contracts currently in effect as to the land covered hereby.

Should the above general terms and conditions meet with your approval, please so signify in the space provided and return one copy of this letter to the undersigned. Upon receipt of same, we will continue our negotiations for a mutually acceptable formal Farmout Agreement.

Sincerely,

Mewboarne Dil Company

D. Paul Haden, CPL

EXHIBIT "A"

Attached to and made a part of that certain Farmout Agreement dated ________, 1992 between Dreyfus Natural Gas Corporation and Mewbourne Oil Company

(All lands are situated in Eddy County, New Mexico)

FARMOUT TRACT:

 $\underline{\text{Tract 1:}}$ From the base of the Abo formation to the base of the Morrow formation.

Section 34, T17S, R28E:

A) N/2SE/4 Lease: State of New Mexico Lease 647

B) W/2NE/4 Lease: State of New Mexico Lease E-7116

Section 27, T17S, R28E:

A) N/2NE/4 Lease: State of New Mexico Lease B-2071

Section 26, T17S, R28E:

A) W/2, Save and Except the Atoka formation in the SW/4 Lease: State of New Mexico Lease 647

Tract 2: From the base of the San Andres formation to the base of the Morrow formation:

Section 15, T18S, R28E:

A) SE/4 and N/2NE/4 Lease: State of New Mexico Lease 647

B) SE/4NE/4 Lease: State of New Mexico Lease E-1286

Section 22, T18S, R28E:

- A) E/2E/2, SW/4SE/4 and S/2SW/4 Lease: State of New Mexico 647
- B) SW/4NW/4 Lease: State of New Mexico B-8196
- C) SE/4NW/4 Lease: State of New Mexico Lease E-1288

Re: Diamond A 27 St. #1

For Jack anderson (Samedan) —

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October 7, 1992

Marathon Oil Company P. O. Box 552 Midland, Texas 79701

Attn: Randal P. Wilson, CPL

Landman

Re: Diamond "A" Ranch and North Turkey Tract Prospects Multi-Tract Farmout Proposal Various lands in T17S-R28E and

T18S-R28E

Eddy County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

As discussed, Mewbourne Oil Company (Mewbourne) is interested in entering into a multi-tract farmout agreement with Marathon Oil Company (Marathon) covering certain lands in Eddy County, New Mexico. For our mutual benefit and convenience, Mewbourne respectfullly requests that Marathon farmout its interest to Mewbourne under those "Farmout Tracts" described in Exhibit "A" attached hereto. Each Farmout Tract shall be governed by a separate farmout agreement subject to the following general terms and conditions:

- 1) Upon execution of a mutually acceptable Farmout Agreement, Mewbourne, as Operator shall have the option, but not the obligation to commence on or before April 1, 1993 an Initial Test Well in a proration unit containing Tract 1 and Tract 2 at locations of Mewbourne's choice and thereafter drill each Initial Test Well to a depth sufficient to adequately test the Morrow formation.
- 2) Within 180 days from the completion of the Initial Test Wells under Tracts 1 and 2, Mewbourne shall have the option but not the obligation to commence the drilling of additional wells for the purpose of establishing oil and/or gas production as to any depth or formation under the lands described in Exhibit "A".
- 3) Mewbourne shall not allow more than 180 days to elapse between the completion of one well and the actual commencement of

Marathon Oil Company October 7, 1992 Page 2

drilling operations of the next well until Marathon's acreage fully developed under Tracts 1 and 2.

- 4) In the event any well drilled under the terms of this agreement results in oil and/or gas production in paying quantities in the lands and depths described in Exhibit "A", Mewbourne shall earn 100% of such operating rights in the proration unit to 100' below the total depth drilled for each well.
- In addition to the shallow and deep rights retained by Marathon and acreage outside of each earned proration unit, Marathon shall retain an overriding royalty interest equal to the difference between 25% of all oil and/or gas produced and the total of all royalty interests and other existing burdens to the extent Mewbourne will be assigned a 75% net revenue interest lease, subject to proportionate reduction.
- 6) Upon Marathon's agreement to the above, Marathon agrees to furnish at no cost whatsoever to Mewbourne, all title information it has in its files pertaining to the lands and depths described in Exhibit "A" attached hereto including but not limited to, title opinions, copies of all leases, rental receipts, farmout or letter agreements and any gas contracts currently in effect as to the land covered hereby.

Should the above general terms and conditions meet with your approval, please so signify in the space provided and return one copy of this letter to the undersigned. Upon receipt of same, we will continue our negotiations for a mutually acceptable formal Farmout Agreement.

Sincerely,

- Paul Laden (2000)

D. Paul Haden, CPL Landman

Agreed to and Accepted		day	of
Marathon Oil Company	1992.		
Ву:			
Name typed:			
Title:			

EXHIBIT "A"

Attached to and made a part of that certain Farmout Agreement dated _______, 1992 between Marathon Oil Company and Mewbourne Oil Company

(All lands are situated in Eddy County, New Mexico)

FARMOUT TRACT:

Tract 1: From the base of the Abo formation to the base of the Morrow formation.

Section 34, T17S, R28E:

A) N/2SE/4 Lease: State of New Mexico Lease 647

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Tract 2: From the base of the San Andres formation to the base of the Morrow formation:

Section 15, T18S, R28E:

- A) SE/4 and N/2NE/4 Lease: State of New Mexico Lease 647
- B) SE/4NE/4 Lease: State of New Mexico Lease E-1286

Section 22, T18S, R28E:

- A) E/2E/2, SW/4SE/4 and S/2SW/4 Lease: State of New Mexico 647
- B) SW/4NW/4 Lease: State of New Mexico B-8196
- C) SE/4NW/4 Lease: State of New Mexico Lease E-1288

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October 5, 1992

Samedan Oil Corporation 10 Desta Drive Suite 240E Midland, Texas 79705 Attn: Mr. Jack E. Anderson

Re: Diamond A "27" State #1

T17S, R28E

Section 27: SW/4SE/4

below the base of the Abo
formation
Eddy County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

Records available to us indicate Samedan owns an interest in the operating rights under the captioned land. In this connection, Mewbourne Oil Company, as operator, proposes drilling the captioned well to test the Morrow formation on the following proposed terms:

- 1) Mewbourne, as operator, will commence on or before April 1, 1993 after the execution of your farmout agreement an initial test well at a location of Mewbourne's choice in the SE/4 of the captioned Section 27 and drill same to a depth sufficient to test the Morrow formation, estimated total depth being 10,600'. The E/2 of the above described Section 27 will be dedicated to the well.
- 2) In the event the initial test well is completed as a dry hole or if it is completed as a producer but such well's proration unit does not include all of Samedan's acreage, Mewbourne would have the option to commence a 120 continuous development schedule with the intent of earning all of your acreage under the captioned land.
- If any well drilled under the terms of this agreement results in production including your acreage and operating rights, Mewbourne will earn an assignment of your operating rights in the proration unit allocated to the well from the base of the Abo formation to 100 feet below the total depth drilled in each well.

Samedan Oil Corporation October 5, 1992 Page 2

- 4) Samedan would retain its interest (if any) from the surface to the base of the Abo formation and below 100 feet below the total depth drilled in each of Mewbourne's well(s), an overriding royalty interest equal to the difference between 25% of all oil and gas produced and the total of all royalty interests, overriding royalty interests and other burdens on production which the premises may be subject, to the extent Mewbourne will be assigned a 75% net revenue interest lease in each proration unit earned by Mewbourne.
- 5) Upon acceptance of the farmout proposal, you agree to furnish Mewbourne with whatever title information you have in your files in connection with this property such as copies of the original base lease, title opinions, gas contracts currently in effect, etc.

Should Samedan not be interested in farming out its interest as proposed, Mewbourne invites you to join Mewbourne in drilling the initial test well to the extent of your interest in the spacing unit. Regarding this option, an AFE will be forwarded to you in the very near future.

Your early response regarding the above well proposal will be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

Mewbourne/O/1/ Company

. Paul/Haden, CPL

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500 W. TEXAS, SUITE 1020 MIDLAND, TEXAS 79701 915 / 682-3715

October 5, 1992

Conoco Inc. 10 Desta Drive Suite 100W Midland, Texas 79705-4500 Attn: Mr. M. J. Johnson

Re: Diamond A "27" State #1

T17S, R28E

Section 27: N/2NE/4
below the base of the Abo
formation
Eddy County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

Records available to us indicate Conoco owns an interest in the operating rights under the captioned land. In this connection, Mewbourne Oil Company, as operator, proposes drilling the captioned well to test the Morrow formation on the following proposed terms:

- 1) Mewbourne, as operator, will commence on or before April 1, 1993 after the execution of your farmout agreement an initial test well at a location of Mewbourne's choice in the SE/4 of the captioned Section 27 and drill same to a depth sufficient to test the Morrow formation, estimated total depth being 10,600'. The E/2 of the above described Section 27 will be dedicated to the well.
- 2) In the event the initial test well is completed as a dry hole or if it is completed as a producer but such well's proration unit does not include all of Conoco's acreage, Mewbourne would have the option to commence a 120 continuous development schedule with the intent of earning all of your acreage under the captioned land.
- If any well drilled under the terms of this agreement results in production including your acreage and operating rights, Mewbourne will earn an assignment of your operating rights in the proration unit allocated to the well from the base of the Abo formation to 100 feet below the total depth drilled in each well.

Conoco Inc. October 5, 1992 Page 2

- 4) Conoco would retain its interest (if any) from the surface to the base of the Abo formation and below 100 feet below the total depth drilled in each of Mewbourne's well(s), an overriding royalty interest equal to the difference between 25% of all oil and gas produced and the total of all royalty interests, overriding royalty interests and other burdens on production which the premises may be subject, to the extent Mewbourne will be assigned a 75% net revenue interest lease in each proration unit earned by Mewbourne.
- 5) Upon acceptance of the farmout proposal, you agree to furnish Mewbourne with whatever title information you have in your files in connection with this property such as copies of the original base lease, title opinions, gas contracts currently in effect, etc.

Should Conoco not be interested in farming out its interest as proposed, Mewbourne invites you to join Mewbourne in drilling the initial test well to the extent of your interest in the spacing unit. Regarding this option, an AFE will be forwarded to you in the very near future.

Your early response regarding the above well proposal will be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

Mewbourne Oxy Company

D. Paul Haden, CPL

Landman

PH/klc

500 W. TEXAS, SUITE 1020 MIDLAND, TEXAS 79701 915 / 682-3715

October 5, 1992

Yates Petroleum Corporation 105 South Fourth Street Artesia, New Mexico 88210

Attn: Mr. Robert Bullock

Re: Diamond A "27" State #1

T17S, R28E

Section 27: N/2NE/4

below the base of the Abo
formation
Eddy County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

Records available to us indicate Yates Petroleum Corporation owns an interest in the operating rights under the captioned land. In this connection, Mewbourne Oil Company, as operator, proposes drilling the captioned well to test the Morrow formation on the following proposed terms:

- 1) Mewbourne, as operator, will commence on or before April 1, 1993 after the execution of your farmout agreement an initial test well at a location of Mewbourne's choice in the SE/4 of the captioned Section 27 and drill same to a depth sufficient to test the Morrow formation, estimated total depth being 10,600'. The E/2 of the above described Section 27 will be dedicated to the well.
- 2) In the event the initial test well is completed as a dry hole or if it is completed as a producer but such well's proration unit does not include all of Yates Petroleum's acreage, Mewbourne would have the option to commence a 120 continuous development schedule with the intent of earning all of your acreage under the captioned land.
- If any well drilled under the terms of this agreement results in production including your acreage and operating rights, Mewbourne will earn an assignment of your operating rights in the proration unit allocated to the well from the base of the Abo formation to 100 feet below the total depth drilled in each well.

Yates Petroleum Corporation October 5, 1992 Page 2

- 4) Yates would retain its interest (if any) from the surface to the base of the Abo formation and below 100 feet below the total depth drilled in each of Mewbourne's well(s), an overriding royalty interest equal to the difference between 25% of all oil and gas produced and the total of all royalty interests, overriding royalty interests and other burdens on production which the premises may be subject, to the extent Mewbourne will be assigned a 75% net revenue interest lease in each proration unit earned by Mewbourne.
- 5) Upon acceptance of the farmout proposal, you agree to furnish Mewbourne with whatever title information you have in your files in connection with this property such as copies of the original base lease, title opinions, gas contracts currently in effect, etc.

Should Yates not be interested in farming out its interest as proposed, Mewbourne invites you to join Mewbourne in drilling the initial test well to the extent of your interest in the spacing unit. Regarding this option, an AFE will be forwarded to you in the very near future.

Your early response regarding the above well proposal will be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

Mewboxxne Oil Company

D. Paul Haden, CPL

Landman

PH/klc

500 W, TEXAS, SUITE 1020 MIDLAND, TEXAS 79701

> (915) 682-3715 FAX (915) 685-4170 May 20, 1992

DEKALB Energy Company 1625 Broadway Denver, Colorado 80202

Attention: Mr. John S. Geyer District Landman

RE: Offer to Purchase

John:

In reference to our phone conversation yesterday evening, we are disappointed DEKALB declined to sell their interest to Mewbourne as to acreage listed in Exhibit "A" of my letter dated April 28, 1992.

In the event DEKALB is interested in entertaining offers at a later date in regard to selling their interest, Mewbourne would consider purchasing DEKALB's operating rights in Eddy County, New Mexico. If DEKALB is interested in such offers, please forward a listing of the properties and the percentage interest owned by DEKALB in the properties to me for evaluation.

Sincerely,

Mewbourne Did, Company

D. Paul Haden

Landman

DPH/nb

CC: Gary L. Winter Ken Waits

500 W, TEXAS, SUITE 1020 MIDLAND, TEXAS 79701

> (915) 682-3715 FAX (915) 685-4170

April 28, 1992

DEKALB Energy Company 1625 Broadway Denver, Colorado 80202

Attention: Mr. John S. Geyer

District Landman

RE: Offer to Purchase

Gentlemen:

Mewbourne Oil Company hereby offers to purchase DEKALB Energy Company's operating rights in the lands and leases described in the attached Exhibit "A" on the basis of \$200.00 per net mineral acre.

The above offer is subject to immediate acceptance and approval of title. This offer can be withdrawn without notice as to all or portions of the lands described in Exhibit "A" attached hereto.

Please respond at your early convenience.

Sincerely,

Mewbearne 911 Company

D. Paul Haden

Landman

DPH/nb enclosure

CC: Gary L. Winter

Ken Waits

EXHIBIT "A"

Attached to and made a part of that certain letter dated April 28, 1992 from Mewbourne Oil Company to DEKALB Energy Company.

Tract 1: Below the base of the Abo
formation:

Section 6, T18S, R28E:	Interest	Net Acres		
A) S/2NE/4, NE/4NE/4 . and NE/4SE/4 LEASE: State Lease 647 Dated: November 14, 1922	23/144	25.56		
Tract 2: From below 500' from the top of the San Andres formation:	•			
Section 15, T18S, R28E:				
A) N/2NE/4, NE/4NW/4 & SE/4 LEASE: State Lease 647-368	23/144	44.72		
Dated: November 14, 1922 B) NW/4SW/4 LEASE: State Lease E-1286-2 Dated: April 10, 1947	23/144	6.39		
Section 22, T18S, R28E:				
A) E/2NE/4, E/2SE/4, SW/4SE/4 and S/2SW/4	23/144	44.72		
LEASE: State Lease 647-368 Dated: November 14, 1922 B) SE/4NW/4 LEASE: State Lease E-1288-2 Dated: April 10, 1947	23/144	6.39		
Tract 3: From below 500' from the top of the San Andres formation:	•			
Section 17, T18S, R28E:				
A) S/2NE/4 LEASE: State Lease 647-368	23/144	12.78		
Dated: November 14, 1922 B) SW/4SW/4 LEASE: State Lease E-1821-17 Dated: April 10, 1948	23/144	6.39		
Section 18, T18S, R28E:				
A) NW/4NE/4 LEASE: State Lease 647-368 Dated: November 14, 1922	23/144	6.39		

	ct 4: Below the base of the formation:		
Sec	tion 34, T17S, R28E:		
A)	N/2SE/4 LEASE: State Lease 647-368 Dated: November 14, 1922	23/144	12.78
Sec	tion 35, T17S, R28E:		
A)	NE/4 and E/2NW/4 LEASE: State Lease 647-368 Dated: November 14, 1922	23/144	38.33
Sec	tion 26, T17S, R28E:		
A)	All LEASE: State Lease 647-368 Dated: November 14, 1922	23/144	102.22
Tra	ct 5: Below a depth of 3500':		
Sec	tion 27, T17S, R28E:		
A)	NW/4NE/4 LEASE: State Lease B-2071-2 Dated: August 10, 1933	11.5/288	1.6
	ct 6: From a depth of 5000' a depth of 10,987':		
Section 27, T17S, R28E:			
A)	NE/4NE/4 LEASE: State Lease B-2071-2 Dated: August 10, 1933	11.5/288	1.6