

(Continued): ADDITIONAL SPACE for Names and addresses of additional transferees in Item No. 1, if needed, or for Land Description in Item No. 2 if needed.

PART B: CERTIFICATION AND REQUEST FOR APPROVAL

- 1. The transferor certifies as owner of an interest in the above designated lease that he/she hereby transfers to the above transferee(s) the rights specified above.
2. Transferee certifies as follows: (a) Transferee is a citizen of the United States; an association of such citizens; a municipality; or a corporation organized under the laws of the United States or of any State or territory thereof.
3. Transferee's signature to this assignment constitutes acceptance of all applicable terms, conditions, stipulations and restrictions pertaining to the lease described herein.

For geothermal transfers, an overriding royalty may not be less than one-fourth (1/4) of one percent of the value of output, nor greater than 50 percent of the rate of royalty due to the United States when this transfer is added to all previously created overriding royalties (43 CFR 3241).

I certify that the statements made herein by me are true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief and are made in good faith.

Executed this 6th day of May, 19 92

Executed this 23rd day of June, 19 92

Name of Transferor Meridian Oil Production Inc. Please type or print

Transferor (Signature) Dennis Sledge or Attorney-in-fact (Signature)

Transferee (Signature) or Attorney-in-fact (Signature)

P. O. Box 51810 (Transferor's Address) Midland, Texas 79710-1810 (City) (State) (Zip Code)

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