

Midland District
Houston Division
Production Exploration United States



**Marathon
Oil Company**

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

March 13, 1985

Mr. James A. Davidson
P. O. Box 494
Midland, Texas 79702

Re: Offer to Lease - Your File #250-Andrus/Gregory Lease
Our East Garrett Area
S/2, S/2 NE/4 Section 14,
T-16-S, R-38-E, N.M.P.M.,
Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Davidson:

Pursuant to our March 13, 1985 telephone conversation, please be advised that Marathon will pay you \$175.00 per net mineral acre for an assignment of an 81.25% net revenue interest lease.

Please contact me at the above stated address as to your response to this offer.

Thank you for your consideration.

Yours very truly,

MARATHON OIL COMPANY

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Steve Daniels'.

Steve Daniels
Landman

SMD;mmc:

BEFORE EXAMINER STOGNER OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
EXHIBIT NO.	9
CASE NO.	8960