Carbon Energy Corporation Bonneville Fuels Corporation

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New Mexico Oil Conservation Division Artesia District Office Mr. Tim Gumm: District Supervisor 1301West Grand Artesia, New Mexico 88210 Phone: (505) 748-1283; Fax: (505) 748-9720



Dear Mr. Gumm:

Bonneville Fuels Corporation has recently completed a pumping oil well in the Delaware Fm. This well is the:

Avalon 10 Federal #23 1980' FSL & 1980' FWL, Unit 'K' Section 10 – T21S – R26E, NMPM Eddy County, New Mexico API #: 30-015-31545

The well was drilled and cased to 4361' with 5-1/2" casing. Completion operations began on 3/1/2001. The first group of intervals tested from 4034' - 4251': OA were frac'd w/ 306,000# of 20/40 mesh sand and were not economical to pump test after frac. Seven separate perforated intervals were isolated and individually tested.

The second group of intervals tested from 3132' - 3310': OA were frac'd w/ 260,000# of 20/40 mesh sand and were pump tested for 39 days with uneconomical results. The well was officially completed in this zone, and pumping operations began on 4/23/2001. A third zone at 2832' - 2848' was frac'd w/ 34,000# of 20/40 mesh sand and pump tested in June for 3 days and it was also uneconomical to pump.

The well was finally completed in the interval 2282' – 2352' and sand frac'd with 67,000# of 20/40 mesh sand. This interval appears to be an economically completed interval. Extensive testing and fracing has caused this well to approach \$1.4 MM. This interval appears to exceed 80 BOPD when pumping properly.

The 3-1/2 months of testing has resulted in an underage of allowable production of 4751 STBO and 10675 MCFG as of 7/9/2001 since pumping operations were initiated on 4/23/2001. It would appear that the well is currently capable of producing approx. 136 BOPD & 335 BWD from this upper zone while I pump it at 9 SPM with a Lufkin 640.

BFC would like to propose the following pump test to determine the optimum production rate for the well:

- 1. Pump the well at 9 SPM until the water and oil rates stabilize (expect 2-4 weeks).
 - 2. Pump the well at 7 SPM for 10 days.
 - 3. Pump the well at 5 SPM for 20 days.
 - 4. Pump the well at 7 SPM for 10 days.
 - 5. Pump the well at 9 SPM for 10 days.

BFC requests sufficient latitude to recover our underage production while conducting this test to determine the optimum pumping rate at which water-cut is minimized. If the well falls below the 80 BOPD limit during the first stage of testing then this is a moot point and BFC will produce it as best we can to meet profitability goals. Good luck in your new digs and thank you very much for any forbearance you grant us in this matter.

Sincerely Yours, BONNEVILLE FUELS CORPORATION

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Manager: Production Operations

Attachments: 2-Page Well Production/Testing Record w/ Underage Calculation

AVALON 10 FEDERAL #23

PUMP TESTING TWO INTERVALS: LUFKIN 640:

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	01. 04			Water-Oil Cut	Gas-Oil Ratio	
PERFS.:	PERFS.: 3132' - 3310': OA					Ratio
	MCFD	BOPD	BWD	TFPD	woc	GOR
4/24/01	36	14	505	519	36.1	2571
4/25/01	28	25	522	547	20.9	1120
	28	23 51	362	413	7.1	549
4/26/01		28	406	413	14.5	929
4/27/01	26	28 30	400 538	434 568	14.5	33
4/28/01	1					966
4/29/01	28	29	456	485	15.7	
4/30/01	4/30/01 29 34 440		440	474 12.9		853
5/1/01	29	27	542	569	20.1	1074
5/2/01	30	34	474	508	13.9	882
5/3/01	35	15	491	506	32.7	2333
5/4/01	35	19	449	468	23.6	1842
5/5/01			464	484	23.2	1650
5/6/01	35	14	424	438	30.3	2500
5/7/01	31	22	450	472	20.5	1409
5/8/01	35	19	483	502	25.4	1842
5/9/01	35	20	430	450	21.5	1750
5/10/01	35	25	405 430		16.2	1400
5/11/01			494 513		26.0	53
5/12/01	9	0	383	383	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!
5/13/01	30	14	501	515	35.8	2143
5/14/01	195	17	322	339	18.9	11471
5/15/01	63	22	401	423	18.2	2864
5/16/01	136	25	592	617	23.7	5440
5/17/01 56		11	341	352	31.0	5091
5/18/01 54		19	441	460	23.2	2842
5/19/01 111		20	416	436	20.8	5550
5/20/01	124	14	365	379	26.1	8857
5/21/01	76	17	423	440	24.9	4471
5/22/01			423 440 407 420		31.3	5308
		13 14			31.9	2929
5/24/01			446 460 540 562		24.5	1682
			372	382	37.2	4200
5/26/01	5/25/01 42 10 5/26/01 52 24		184	208	7.7	2167
	52 41	24 15	479	208 494	31.9	2733
5/27/01			442	453	40.2	3455
5/28/01	38 40	11 23	346	369	15.0	1739
5/29/01	40 40	23 14	589	603	42.1	2857
5/30/01						
5/31/01	41	14	392	406	28.0	2929
	MCF	STBO	BW	BF	OWC	GOR
TOTAL:	1805	764	16717	17481	21.9	2363
	MCFD	BOPD	BWD	TFPD	woc	GOR
DAILY AVG.:	46	20	429	448	21.9	2363
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PERFS.:		2832' - 2848':				Cut	Ratio
	6/23/01 6/24/01 6/25/01	MCFD 0 0 0	BOPD 18 27 24	BWD 402 521 577	TFPD 420 548 601	WOC 22.3 19.3 24.0	GOR 0 0 0
TOTAL:		MCF 0	STBO 69	BW 1500	BF 1569	OWC 21.7	GOR 0
DAILY A	VG.:	MCFD 0	BOPD 2	BWD 38	TFPD 40	WOC 21.7	GOR 0

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PUMP TESTING TWO INTERVALS: LUFKIN 640:

PERFS.:	2282' - 2352': OA				Cut	Ratio	
		MCFD	BOPD	BWD	TFPD	WOC	GOR
	7/2/01	0	120	56	176	0.5	0
	7/3/01	0	13	67	80	5.2	0
		0	101	210	311	2.1	0
7/5/01 0		0	2	16	18	8.0	0
	7/6/01	0	13	31	44	2.4	0
	7/7/01	0	105	259	364	2.5	0
	7/8/01	0	182	333	515	1.8	0
	7/9/01	0	120	336	456	2.8	0
		MCF	STBO	BW	BF	owc	GOR
TOTAL:		0	656	1308	1964	2.0	0
	10	MCFD	BOPD	BWD	TFPD 246	WOC 2.0	GOR 0
DAILY AVG.:		0	82	164	240	2.0	U

AVALON 10 FEDERAL #23:		Since Put On-Line On April 23,2001 78 DAYS ON-LINE:			
CUM OIL =	1489	STBO			
CUM GAS =	1805	MCF			
ALLOWED OIL =	6240	STBO			
ALLOWED GAS =	12480	MCF			
UNDERAGE OIL =	4751	STBO			
UNDERAGE GAS =	10675	MCF			