

DESIGNATION OF OPERATOR

Indian Affairs

The undersigned is, on the records of the Bureau of ~~Land Management~~, holder of lease dated November 30, 1923, granted by Navajo Tribe of Indians, and bearing ~~Contract No. I-89-IND-57~~ Contract No. I-89-IND-57, Lease No. 6781
~~Signature~~

and hereby designates

NAME: John F. Staver
ADDRESS: Box 950, Virginia, Minnesota 55792

as his operator and local agent, with full authority to act in his behalf in complying with the terms of the lease and regulations applicable thereto and on whom the supervisor or his representative may serve written or oral instructions in securing compliance with the Operating Regulations with respect to (describe acreage to which this designation is applicable):

28N-17W, N.M.P.M.

(Unsurveyed)

Section 33: S $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$
Section 34: S $\frac{1}{2}$ N $\frac{1}{2}$, S $\frac{1}{2}$
Section 35: W $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$

27N-17W, N.M.P.M.

(Unsurveyed)

Section 2: NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$
Section 3: All
Section 4: E $\frac{1}{2}$, E $\frac{1}{2}$ W $\frac{1}{2}$, W $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$
Section 9: All
Section 10: N $\frac{1}{2}$ N $\frac{1}{2}$, S $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$,
N $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$
Section 16: N $\frac{1}{2}$ N $\frac{1}{2}$

It is understood that this designation of operator does not relieve the lessee of responsibility for compliance with the terms of the lease and the Operating Regulations. It is also understood that this designation of operator does not constitute an assignment of any interest in the lease.

In case of default on the part of the designated operator, the lessee will make full and prompt compliance with all regulations, lease terms, or orders of the Secretary of the Interior or his representative.

The lessee agrees promptly to notify the supervisor of any change in the designated operator.

EASTERN PETROLEUM COMPANY

By:  President
(Signature of lessee)

P. O. Box 291
Carmi, Illinois 62821

June 1, 1973

(Date)

(Address)

