

\$25,000.00 TREATING PLANT BONDBOND NO. B01148
(For Use of Surety Company)

File with Oil Conservation Division, P. O. Box 2088, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That WATSON TREATING PLANT, INC., ~~xxxxxx~~
~~xxxxxx~~ (a corporation organized in the State of New Mexico,
 with its principal office in the City of Tatum, State of New
Mexico, and authorized to do business in the State of New Mexico), as
 PRINCIPAL, and UNDERWRITERS INDEMNITY COMPANY, a corporation
 organized and existing under the laws of the State of Texas,
 and authorized to do business in the State of New Mexico with duly appointed resident
 agent licensed in the State of New Mexico to execute this bond on behalf of the
 surety company, as SURETY, are held firmly bound unto the State of New Mexico, for
 the use and benefit of the Oil Conservation Division of the Energy & Minerals
 Department pursuant to Chapter 72, Laws of New Mexico, 1935, as amended, and to the
 State of New Mexico in the sum of Twenty Five Thousand (\$25,000.00) Dollars lawful
 money of the United States for the payment of which, well and truly to be made, said
 PRINCIPAL and SURETY hereby bind themselves, their successors and assigns, jointly
 and severally, firmly by these presents.

The conditions of this obligation are such that:

WHEREAS, The above principal has heretofore or may hereafter enter into the
 process of treating and reclaiming sediment oil in Section 34, Township 8
~~NORTH~~ (South), Range 35 (East) ~~WEST~~, N.M.P.M., Roosevelt County, New
 Mexico.

NOW, THEREFORE, This \$25,000 performance bond is conditioned upon substantial
 compliance with all applicable statutes of the State of New Mexico and all rules,
 regulations, and orders of the Oil Conservation Division of the Energy and Minerals
 Department, and upon clean-up of the plant site to standards of the Oil Conservation
 Division; otherwise the principal amount of the bond to be forfeited to the State of
 New Mexico.

PROVIDED, HOWEVER, That sixty (60) days after receipt by the Oil Conservation
 Division of written notice of cancellation from the Surety, the obligation of the
 Surety shall terminate as to activities or operations conducted by PRINCIPAL after
 said sixty (60) day period but shall continue in effect, notwithstanding said notice,
 as to such activities or operations conducted or commenced before the expiration of
 the sixty day period.

Signed and sealed this 1st day of January, 1987.Watson Treating Plant, Inc.

PRINCIPAL

P.O. Box 55
Tatum, NM 88267

Mailing Address

By Desha Watson
Signature

Title

UNDERWRITERS INDEMNITY COMPANY

SURETY

8 Greenway Plaza, Suite 1450
Houston, Texas 77046

Mailing Address

By Roy O. O'Farrell
Attorney-in-Fact

Roy O. O'Farrell

(Note: Principal, if corporation
Affix corporate seal here.)(Note: Corporate surety affix corporate
seal here.)

Countersigned by:

New Mexico Resident Agent

Address

STATE OF _____)
COUNTY OF _____) ss.

On this _____ day of _____, 19____, before me personally appeared _____, to me known to be the person (persons) described in and who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged that he (they) executed the same as he (their) free act and deed.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal on the day and year in this certificate first above written.

Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

ACKNOWLEDGMENT FORM FOR CORPORATION

STATE OF New Mexico)
COUNTY OF Los) ss.

On this 1st day of January, 1988, before me personally appeared _____, to me personally known who, being by me duly sworn, did say that he is _____ of _____ and that the foregoing instrument was signed and sealed on behalf of said corporation by authority of its board of directors, and acknowledged said instrument to be the free act and deed of said corporation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal on the day and year in this certificate first above written.

Marilyn Kim Dyer
Notary Public

March 9, 1991
My Commission Expires

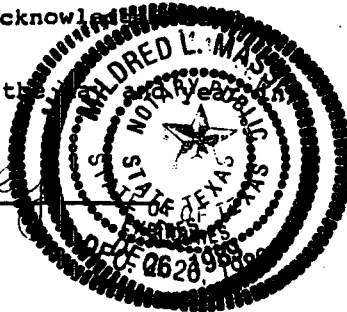
STATE OF Texas)
COUNTY OF Harris) ss.

On this 1st day of January, 1988, before me appeared Roy O. O'Farrell, to me personally known, who, being by me duly sworn, did say that he is Attorney-in-Fact of Underwriters Indemnity Company and that the foregoing instrument was signed and sealed on behalf of said corporation by authority of its board of directors, and acknowledged said instrument to be the free act and deed of said corporation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal on the day and year in this certificate first above written.

Mildred L. Massey
Notary Public

12-26-89
My Commission Expires:
(Note: Corporate surety attach power of attorney)



APPROVED BY:
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

By

[Signature]

GENERAL POWER OF ATTORNEY

CERTIFIED COPY

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That **UNDERWRITERS INDEMNITY COMPANY**, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Texas, and having its principal office in the City of Houston, Texas, does hereby constitute and appoint:

ROY O. O'FARRELL

its true and lawful attorney-in-fact to execute, seal and deliver for and on its behalf as surety, any and all bonds and undertakings, recognizances, contracts of indemnity and other writings obligatory in the nature thereof, which are or may be allowed, required or permitted by law, statute, rule, regulation, contract or otherwise, in an amount not to exceed:

*******FIFTY THOUSAND AND NO/100 DOLLARS*******

and the execution of all such instrument(s) in pursuance of these presents, shall be binding upon said **UNDERWRITERS INDEMNITY COMPANY** as fully and amply, to all intents and purposes, as if the same had been duly executed and acknowledged by its regularly elected officers at its principal office.

This Power of Attorney is executed, and may be certified to and may be revoked, pursuant to and by authority of Article V, Section 6(C) of the By-Laws adopted by the Board of Directors of **UNDERWRITERS INDEMNITY COMPANY**, at a meeting called and held on the 23rd day of January 1985, of which the following is a true transcript of said Section 6(C):

- "The President or any Vice President, Assistant Vice President, Secretary or Resident Secretary shall have power and authority
- (1) To appoint Attorneys-in-fact, and to authorize them to execute on behalf of the Company, and attach the Seal of the Company thereto, bonds and undertakings, recognizances, contracts of indemnity and other writings obligatory in the nature thereof, and
 - (2) to appoint special Attorneys-in-fact, who are hereby authorized to certify to copies of any power-of-attorney issued in pursuance of this section and/or any of the By-laws of the Company, and
 - (3) to remove, at any time, any such Attorney-in-fact or Special Attorney-in-fact and revoke the authority given to him."

Further, this Power of Attorney is signed and sealed by facsimile pursuant to resolution of the Board of Directors of said Company adopted at a meeting duly called and held on the 23rd day of January, 1985, of which the following is a true excerpt:

"Now therefore the signatures of such officers and the seal of the Company may be affixed to any such power of attorney or any certificate relating thereto by facsimile, and any such power of attorney or certificate bearing such facsimile signatures or facsimile seal shall be valid and binding upon the Company and any such power so executed and certified by facsimile signatures and facsimile seal shall be valid and binding upon the Company in the future with respect to any bond or undertaking to which it is attached."

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, **UNDERWRITERS INDEMNITY COMPANY** has caused this instrument to be signed and its corporate seal to be affixed by its authorized officer, E. H. Frank, III, on this the third day of March, 1987.



E. H. Frank III

President

STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF HARRIS

On this the 3rd day of March, 1987, before me came the individual who executed the preceding instrument, to me personally known, and, being duly sworn, said that he is the therein described and authorized officer of **UNDERWRITERS INDEMNITY COMPANY**; that the seal affixed to said instrument is the Corporate Seal of said Company; that the said Corporate Seal and his signature were duly affixed by order of the Board of Directors of said Company.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Official Seal, at the City of Houston, Texas, the day and year first above written.



Mary Williams

NOTARY PUBLIC, Harris County, Texas

CERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned officer of **UNDERWRITERS INDEMNITY COMPANY**, do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing copy of the Power of Attorney and affidavit, and the copy of the Section of the By-Laws of said Company as set forth in said Power of Attorney, and that the same are correct transcripts thereof, and of the whole of the said originals, and that the said Power of Attorney has not been revoked and is now in full force and effect.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 1st day of January, 19 88



Pat Doehring

Assistant Secretary

Only a certified copy of Power of Attorney bearing the Certificate of Authority No. printed in red on the upper right corner is binding. Photocopies, carbon copies or other reproductions of this document are invalid and not binding upon the Company.

ANY INSTRUMENT ISSUED IN EXCESS OF THE PENALTY AMOUNT STATED ABOVE IS TOTALLY VOID AND WITHOUT VALIDITY.