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August 5, 2010

Samedan Royalty Corporation 100 Glenborough Drive, Suite 100 Houston, TX 77067

Attention:

Mr. Charlie Hill

Land Manager of Mineral Management Department

RE:

Loving 7 Fee 1H L. E. Ranch Wells Chaves County, NM

Dear Mr. Hill,

I have enclosed one copy of the Joint Operating Agreement for you to review. In the event you decide to participate, and this JOA is acceptable, please let me know and I will provide the applicable signatory pages for the JOA along with the Recording Supplement of Operating Agreement. When all of the elections are known and title is confirmed, a revised Exhibit "A" will be provided that reflects updated information as to working interest owners.

If you have any questions concerning this matter or the documents, please contact the undersigned at your earliest convenience.

Sincerely,

DEVON ENERGY PRODUCTION COMPANY, L.P.

Jim Ball Land Advisor

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Oil Conservation Division Case No. 4/45 28 Exhibit No.



Jim Ball Land Advisor Jim.Ball@dvn.com **Devon Energy Corporation** 20 North Broadway Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73102-8260 (405) 552-3384 (405) 552-8113 FAX

August 2, 2010

VIA E-MAIL AND **CERTIFIED MAIL**

Samedan Royalty Corporation 100 Glenborough Drive, Suite 100 Houston, TX 77067 Mr. Charlie Hill

Attention:

Land Manager of Mineral Management Department

Re: Loving 7 Fee 1H well and 4 other LE Ranch well Proposals Chaves County, NM

Dear Mr. Hill:

The Devon Energy Production Company, L.P. ("Devon") proposal letter dated July 14, 2010 did not mention that Devon planned a pilot test into the top of the Devonian formation along with the objective of the horizontal test of the Mississippian Limestone formation. To clarify, Devon's objective is the horizontal Mississippian Limestone formation in all five wells in which APD's are requested and/or proposed. However, while drilling for the Mississippian Limestone, the Devonian formation is only a few hundred feet deeper and Devon plans to drill a pilot hole into the top of the Devonian formation before the horizontal leg is drilled into the Mississippi Limestone. If there is no apparent success in the Mississippian Limestone after drilling and completing a well as a horizontal Mississippian Limestone, and if there are indications that there might be a need to complete the Devonian based on the pilot hole, then it is possible that Devon could elect to make a Devonian completion or within any other up hole zone or formations that Devon desires to complete.

In the event the Mississippian Limestone is drilled and completed and it appears to be successful and even if the Devonian formation looks promising too, the well will be drilled and completed as a horizontal Mississippian Limestone well as planned. The five AFE's reflect the cost of this procedure in all five proposals.

The Devon Joint Operating Agreement which is now prepared and ready for distribution does reflect the pilot hole for the top of the Devonian. Be advised that Devon plans on drilling these five locations back to back.

In addition to the above clarification, Devon will drill the Loving 7 Fee 1H as a deviated hole to a point directionally whereby the bottom hole location will be approximately 120 feet to the East at the top of the Devonian. Therefore, as proposed and amended, the Loving 7 Fee 1H well bore location is shown immediately below:

- Surface Location: 2500' FNL and 1400' FEL of Section 7, T10S-R29E, Chaves County,
- Bottom Hole Location for horizontal Mississippian Limestone: 2500' FNL and 1980' FWL of Section 8, T10S-R29E, Chaves County, NM
- Bottom Hole Location for Pilot Hole (At the top of the Devonian): 2500' FNL and 1280' FEL of Section 7, T10S-R29E, Chaves County, NM (Was previously proposed at 1,400'. FEL)
- Pilot Hole Total Depth: Approximate top of Devonian 8,550'
- Landing Depth: Approximately 8,065'
- Total measured Depth: Approximately 11,565'
- Note: The Loving 7 Fee 1H is a legal location if drilled as a horizontal Mississippian Limestone whereas this well is a non-standard vertical location in the Devonian.

On all five locations, Devon has filed the force pooling applications as well as non standard location applications (where applicable) for a September 2, 2010 hearing date. The Loving 7 Fee #1H hearing date for the force pooling and the NSL has been moved back to the same September 2, 2010 hearing date.

I hope this letter clarifies and updates you fully on the proposals. However, if you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

Respectfully yours,

ONENERGY PRODUCTION COMPANY LP

Land Advisor

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Robertson, Kelly

From: Ball, Jim

Sent: Thursday, July 29, 2010 2:17 PM

To: ORamsey@nobleenergyinc.com

Cc: Robertson, Kelly

Subject: Loving 7 Fee #1H, LE Ranch JOA

Obedia,

I just finished another review of the JOA that is being typed up for distribution. Unfortunately, I have to leave out of state in a few minutes and will not be able to give the JOA final approval until Monday. On Monday, I will image and send out the JOA as well as send via US Mail the original JOA if you still think there is a chance that Samedan will participate.

I would also like to clarify something I noticed in the July 14th, 2010 proposal letter for the captioned well. In the first paragraph of the letter, I had an omission in the well's legal location description which did not make things clear. So to clarify, the surface location is 2500' FNL & 1400' FEL of Section 7, T10S-R29E and the bottom hole location is 2500' FNL & 1980' FWL of Section 8, T10S-R29E. Recall that the well unit covers portions of two sections. All other references including in the AFE and the C-102 plat that accompanied the proposal were clear. Please make note of the situation.

I will call you on Monday. Thanks.

Jim Ball Land Advisor Western Division Land

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Jim Ball Land Advisor Devon Energy Corporation 20 North Broadway Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73102-8260 (405) 552-3384 (405) 552-8113 FAX

July 14, 2010

VIA FASCIMILE AND CERTIFIED MAIL

Samedan Royalty Corporation 100 Glenborough Drive, Suite 100 Houston, TX 77067

Attn: Mr. Charlie Hill

Land Manager of Mineral Management Department

RE: Horizontal Mississippian Limestone Well Proposal

Loving 7 Fee 1H

Well Unit: S/2 NE/4 & N/2 SE/4 of Section 7 and

S/2 NW/4 & N/2 SW/4 of Section 8 Township 10 South, Range 29 East Chaves County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Hill:

Devon Energy Production Company, L.P. ("Devon") hereby proposes the drilling of the Loving 7 Fee 1H to a measured depth of 11,300' to test the Mississippian Limestone formation and any other potentially productive zones. The surface location is located at 2,500' FNL & 1,400' FEL with a bottom hole location of 2,500' FNL & 1,980' FWL of Section 7, T10S, R29E. The well unit will encompass the S/2 NE/4 & N/2 SE/4 of Section 7 and S/2 NW/4 & N/2 SW/4 of Section 8. Enclosed for your review are two (2) copies of Devon's Authority for Expenditure ("AFE") reflecting a cost estimate of \$3,098,000.00 for a completed well and a copy of the approved Application for Permit to Drill ("APD").

Should you desire to participate in the drilling of the Loving 7 Fee 1H well, please return one fully executed AFE, as well as one fully executed copy of this letter to the undersigned at your earliest possible convenience. Also, it is imperative that you provide your e-mail address and fax number below in order to receive well information in a timely manner. Devon will mail you the Joint Operating Agreement covering the well unit provided you elect to participate in the well.

Participants in the well should expect a long delay in the gas pipeline infrastructure construction, even as long as a year or more in the event the completion is successful.

In the event you do not wish to participate, Devon offers the following option:

Lease your mineral interest on an approximate 15 month Oil and Gas Lease with primary Term ending October 1, 2011, to Devon in a 12 section block which would include the proposed well unit. The 12 section block shall not necessarily be contiguous but will be identified and negotiated between Devon and the mineral owner prior to the execution of the lease. The lease would deliver to Devon a 78% net revenue interest proportionately reduced. Devon will pay a lease bonus of \$100.00 per net mineral acre within the 12 sections well units. The lease would provide a 180 day continuous development with a banked time provision. After expiration of the primary term Devon shall retain rights held within the producing well or wells well units, or wells capable of producing in paying quantities oil and/or gas as to all rights from the surface to 100 feet below the stratigraphic equivalent of the base of the formation found at the deepest depth from which the well was drilled under the lease.

Your prompt consideration of the above terms is greatly appreciated. Devon Plans to spud this well on August 15, 2010.

Should you have any technical questions please contact Steven Jones at (405) 552-7994 or non-technical questions please contact the undersigned at (405) 552-3384.

Very truly yours,

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Devon Energy Production Company, L.P.

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| I/We hereby elect to participate in the drill | ling of the Loving 7 Fee 1H well. |
| I/We hereby elect <u>NOT</u> to participate in the | ne drilling of the Loving 7 Fee 1H well. |
| Сотрапу: | |
| Ву: | Fax: |
| Date: | E-mail: |
| cc: Obedia Ramsey fax (281) 874-6753 | |

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GAS DRILLING COMPLETION

20 N. BROADWAY, SUITE 1500, OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73102

AUTHORITY FOR EXPENDITURE

DRILLING/COMPLETION COST ESTIMATE

AFE NO.:

155567

AFE Date: 06/21/2010

County/Parish: Chaves

Lease Name - Well #: Loving 7 Fee 1H Legal Description: SHL: SW NE Sec. 7-T10S-R29E; BHL: SE NW Sec. State: Prepared By: New Mexico Jones, Steven

8-T10S-R29E

AUTHORITY REQUESTED TO:

Loving 7 Fee 1H -- Drill and complete a horizontal MSSP gas test.

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| Code | Intangible | Drilling | Completion | Dry Hole | Total |
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| | Description | Costs | Costs | Costs | Costs |
| 011 | DRILL-LAND, LEGAL | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | 5,00 |
| 012 | DRILL-SURF DMGS/RIGHT OF WAY | 20,000 | . 0 | 0 | 20,00 |
| 013 | DRILL-LOCATION,ROADS, PITS, FNCS | 70,000 | 0 | 0 | 70,00 |
| 019 | DRILL-OTHER SITE PREPARATION | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | 5,00 |
| 019 | OTHER SITE PREPARATION | 0 | 4,000 | 0 | 4,00 |
| 043 | DAYWORK | 464,000 | 45,000 | 0 | 509,0 |
| 044 | DRILL-MOB/DEMOBILIZATION | 100,000 | 0 | 0 | 100,00 |
| 045 | DIRECTIONAL DRILLING | 150,000 | 0 | 0 | 150,00 |
| 101 | COMPL-DRILL BITS | 0 | 2,500 | 0 | 2,50 |
| 101 | DRILL BITS | 55,000 | 0 | 0 | 55,00 |
| 102 | DRILL-DRILLING FLUIDS | 60,000 | 0 | 0 | 60,0 |
| 103 | DRILL-SURFACE RENTAL TOOLS & EQUIP | 65,000 | 0 | 0 | 65,0 |
| 103 | SURFACE RENTAL TOOLS & EQUIP (incl. foam/air w | 0 | . 30,000 | 0 | 30,0 |
| 104 | DOWNHOLE RENTAL TOOLS & EQUIPMENT | 25,000 | 0 | 0 | 25,0 |
| 105 | CLOSED LOOP SYSTEM COSTS | 150,000 | 0 | 0 | 150,0 |
| 109 | DRILL-OTHER MATRLS & SUPPLIES | 10,000 | 0 | 0 | 10,0 |
| 201 | DRILL-WELD, ROUTABOUT & OTHER | 15,000 | 0 | 0 | 15,0 |
| 201 | WELDING, ROUSTABOUTS & OTHER SERV | 0 | 20,000 | 0 | 20,0 |
| 202 | COMPL-DIRT WORK & HEAVY EQUIPN | 0 | 5,000 | 0 | 5,0 |
| 203 | DRILL-TRUCKING & HOTSHOT | 3,000 | 0 | 0 | 3,0 |
| 203 | TRUCKING & HOTSHOT | 0 | 10,000 | 0 | 10,0 |
| 251 | CEMENT & CEMENTING SERVICES | 45,000 | 0 | 0 | 45,0 |
| 254 | FLOWBACK EQUIP-TESTING SERVICES | 0 | 150,000 | 0 | 150,0 |
| 255 | DRILL-LOGGING | 100,000 | 0 | 0 | 100,00 |
| 255 | LOGGING | 0 | 6,000 | 0 | 6,0 |
| 257 | DRILL-OPEN HOLE EVALUATION | 14,000 | 0 | 0 | 14,0 |
| 259 | CASING & TUBULAR SERVICES | 15,000 | 10,000 | 0 | 25,0 |
| 261 | COMPL-MISC.PUMPING SERVICES | 0 | 2,500 | 0 | 2,50 |
| 263 | DRILL-FLUID DISPOSAL | 10,000 | 0 | 0 | 10,0 |
| 263 | FLUID DISPOSAL | 0 | 15,000 | 0 | 15,0 |
| 265 | STIMULATION & GRAVEL PACK | 0 | 450,000 | 0 | 450,0 |
| 269 | COMPL - CONSULTANTS | 0 | 11,000 | 0 | 11,00 |
| 269 | CONSULTANTS | 84,000 | 0 | 0 | 84,0 |
| 302 | DRILL-WATER | 10,000 | 0 | 0 | 10,0 |
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AFE NO.:

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AFE Date: 06/21/2010

County/Parish:

Chaves

Lease Name - Well #: Loving 7 Fee 1H Legal Description: SHL: SW NE Sec. 7-T10S-R29E; BHL: SE NW Sec.

State: Prepared By: New Mexico Jones, Steven

8-T10S-R29E

AUTHORITY REQUESTED TO:

Loving 7 Fee $1\mathrm{H}$ – Drill and complete a horizontal MSSP gas test.

| Code | Intangible | Drilling | Completion | Dry Hole | Total |
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| | Description | Costs | Costs | Costs | Costs |
| 307 | DRILL - DYED DIESEL | 90,000 | 0 | . 0 | 90,000 |
| 501 | PULLING & SWABBING UNITS | 0 | 18,000 | 0 | 18,000 |
| 552 | SAFETY EQUIPMENT & TRAINING | 0 | 2,000 | 0 | 2,000 |
| 895 | DRILL-TAXES -OTHER IDC | 80,000 | 0 | 0 | 80,000 |
| | Total Intangibles | 1,645,000 | 785,000 | 0 | 2,430,000 |
| Code | Tangible | Drilling | Completion | Dry Hole | Total |
| | Description | Costs | Costs | Costs | Costs |
| 901 | SURFACE CASING . | 18,000 | . 0 | 0 | 18,000 |
| 902 | INTERMEDIATE CASING | 282,000 | 0 | 0 | 282,000 |
| 904 | CONDUCTOR CASING/DRIVE PIPE | 6,000 | 0 | 0 | 6,000 |
| 911 | LINER | 0 | 80,000 | 0 | 80,000 |
| 915 | TUBING | 0 | 40,000 | 0 | 40,000 |
| 925 | SUBSURFACE EQUIP | 0 | 220,000 | 0 | 220,000 |
| 931 | WELLHEAD VALVES & EQUIPMENT | 12,000 | 10,000 | 0 | 22,000 |
| | Total Tangibles | 318,000 | 350,000 | 0 | 668,000 |
| | TOTAL ESTIMATED COSTS | 1,963,000 | 1,135,000 | 0 | 3,098,000 |

| Note: Costs and participations are generally estimates. Billings will be based on actual expenditures | | | |
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| WORKING INTEREST OWNER APPROVAL | | | |
| Company name: | | | |
| Signature: | Print Name: | | |
| Title: | | · | |
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A.A.P.L. FORM 610 - 1989

MODEL FORM OPERATING AGREEMENT

OPERATING AGREEMENT

DATED

| A | ugust 1, 2010 | _ , | |
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| OPERATOR Devon Energy Produ | ection Company, L.P. | 1 | |
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A.A.P.L. NO. 610 – 1989

Exhibit "A"

Attached to and made a part of that certain Joint Operating Agreement dated August 1, 2010 by and between DEVON ENERGY PRODUCTION COMPANY, L.P. and D.K. Boyd, et al.

1. Identification of lands subject to this agreement:

Township 10 South, Range 29 East, Chaves County, New Mexico

Section 7: S/2 NE/4, N/2 SE/4 Section 8: S/2 NW/4, N/2 SW/4

Restrictions, if any, as to depths, formation, or substances: 2.

Percentages or fractional interests of parties to this agreement and their addresses for notice 3. purposes:

> **PARTNER** INTEREST

Devon Energy Production Company, L.P.

90.000000%

20 North Broadway

Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73102-8260

D.K. Boyd P.O. Box 11351 Midland, TX 79702 10.000000%

100.000000%

Note:

The working interest owners percentages are approximated without the benefit of a Drilling Title Opinion. Once a Drilling Title Opinion is completed and potential working interest owners have made their elections, the owners and interest will be confirmed or amended and a revised Exhibit "A" may be submitted to the participants.

4. Oil and gas leases and/or oil and gas interests subject to this agreement (including any amendments,

1. Lessor: L.E. Minerals, Ltd.

Lessee: Devon Energy Production Company, L.P.

Lease Date: October 1, 2008

Land Description: Township 10 South, Range 29 East

Section 8: insofar and only insofar as said lease covers the

S/2 NW/4 & N/2 SW/4

Plains Radio Petroleum, in its individual capacity and exercising rights For 34T Holding, L.L.C. and Spool Holding, L.L.C. 2. Lessor:

Lessee: Devon Energy Production Company, L.P.

Lease Date: October 1, 2008

Land Description: Township 10 South, Range 29 East

Section 7: insofar and only insofar as said lease covers the

S/2 NE/4 & N/2 SE/4

3. Lessor: J.E. and L.E. Mabee Foundation, Inc. Lessee Devon Energy Production Company, L.P.

Lease Date: October 1, 2008

Land Description: Township 10 South, Range 29 East Section 8: insofar and only insofar as said lease covers the

S/2 NW/4 & N/2 SW/4

4. White Ranch Minerals, Ltd., a Limited Partnership Lessor:

Devon Energy Production Company, L.P. Lessee: Lease Date: November 5, 2008

Land Description: Township 10 South, Range 29 East Section 7: insofar and only insofar as said lease covers the

S/2 NE/4 & N/2 SE/4

Section 8: insofar and only insofar as said lease covers the

S/2 NW/4 & N/2 SW/4

Elizabeth M. Winston Family Limited Partnership Lessor:

Lessee: Devon Energy Production Company, L.P.

Lease Date: November 5, 2008

Land Description: Township 10 South, Range 29 East

Section 7: insofar and only insofar as said lease covers the S/2 NE/4 & N/2 SE/4

Section 8: insofar and only insofar as said lease covers the

S/2 NW/4 & N/2 SW/4

6. Lessor: Frederick Winston and James C. Wyman Trustees of the

Francisca S. Winston Testamentary Trust

Lessee:

Devon Energy Production Company, L.P.

Lease Date:

November 5, 2008

Land Description:

Township 10 South, Range 29 East

Section 7: insofar and only insofar as said lease covers the

S/2 NE/4 & N/2 SE/4

Section 8: insofar and only insofar as said lease covers the

S/2 NW/4 & N/2 SW/4

7. Lessor: Selma Andrews Trust, for the benefit of Peggy Barrett Bank of America, Trustee

Lessee:

Devon Energy Production Company, L.P.

Lease Date:

December 19, 2008

Land Description:

Township 10 South, Range 29 East

Section 7: insofar and only insofar as said lease covers the

S/2 NE/4 & N/2 SE/4

Section 8: insofar and only insofar as said lease covers the

S/2 NW/4 & N/2 SW/4

8. Lessor: Selma E. Andrews Perpetual Charitable Trust, Bank of America, N.A., Trustee Devon Energy Production Company, L.P. December 19, 2008

Lessee: Lease Date:

Land Description:

Township 10 South, Range 29 East

Section 7: insofar and only insofar as said lease covers the

S/2 NE/4 & N/2 SE/4

Section 8: insofar and only insofar as said lease covers the

S/2 NW/4 & N/2 SW/4

END OF EXHIBIT