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Form 9-1123
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(Submit in triplicate to appropriate
Regional Oil and Gas or Mining Supervisor)
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BUR. OF LAND MGMT.
ROSWELL DISTRICT

DESIGNATION OF OPERATOR

The undersigned is, on the records of the Bureau of Land Management, holder of lease

DISTRICT LAND OFFICE: Roswell

SERIAL NO.: NM-65342

and hereby designates

NAME: Tom Brown, Inc.

ADDRESS: P.O. Box 2608

Midland, Texas 79702

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):

SW/4 of Section 3,
T-10-S, R-30-E, NMPM,
Chaves County, New Mexico

NOTE: Tom Brown, Inc. will be operating under their own blanket plugging bond.

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.

BELL, FOY & MIDDLEBROOK, LTD.

Lessee
100%

by:

Steven R. Foy
(Signature of lessee)

Steven R. Foy

General Partner

310 W. Texas, Suite 210, Midland, TX

(Address)

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February 9, 1987

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