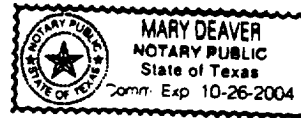


STATE OF TEXAS                    )  
  )ss.  
COUNTY OF TRAVIS    )

This instrument was acknowledged before me on July 16th, 2001, by Mark K. Nearburg, President of Ameristate Oil & Gas, Inc., a Texas corporation.

Mary Deaver  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:  
10/26/04



STATE OF TEXAS                    )  
  )ss.  
COUNTY OF MIDLAND    )

This instrument was acknowledged before me on July \_\_\_\_, 2001, by Thomas M. Beall, President of Fuel Products, Inc., a New Mexico corporation.

My Commission Expires:  
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Notary Public

STATE OF NEW MEXICO            )  
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COUNTY OF BERNALILLO    )

This instrument was acknowledged before me on July \_\_\_\_, 2001, by Louis Mazzullo, President of Louis Mazzullo, Inc., a New Mexico corporation.

My Commission Expires:  
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Notary Public