Shell Western hereby assumes all the obligations and liabilities of Shell Oil as of the date hereof with respect to rights, interests and obligations herein transferred and agrees to perform all such obligations and discharge all duties and liabilities with respect thereto.

This Assignment, including all obligations and liabilities assumed herein, shall bind and inure to the benefit of the successors and assigns of the parties hereto.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this instrument is executed on this 22nd day of April, 1988.

SHELL OIL COMPANY

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APPROVED

LAND Rap of

SHELL WESTERN E& INC.

A Boyd

Attorney-in-Fact

Attorney-in-Fact

STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF HARRIS

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 1% day of 1988, by Julian A. Combs, Attorney-in-Fact for SHELL OIL COMPANY, a Delaware corporation, on behalf of the corporation.

My Commission Expires:

Notary Public, State of Texas

My Commission Expires April 30, 1989

Notary Public in and for Harris County, Texas

STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF HARRIS

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this  $\underline{1544}$  day of  $\underline{1027}$  , 1988, by J. C. BOYD, Attorney-in-Fact for SHELL WESTERN E&P INC., a Delaware corporation, on behalf of the corporation.

My Commission Expires:

9-10-90

Marles W. Telerson TM Notary Public in and for Harris County, Texas

CHARLES W. PETERSON III

Notary Public in and for the State of Texas
My Commission Expires September 10, 1990