



PERMIT NO.: 97-0056

SHOT HOLE OPERATIONS: 60ft or shale 10# ***NON-EXPLOSIVE OPERATIONS:**

SECTION 1

GEOPHYSICAL CONTRACTOR:
 RELIABLE EXPLORATION, INC.

PROJECT NAME AND NUMBER: Pintail - White Butte **COUNTY(S):** Stark

TOWNSHIP(S): 137 N **RANGE(S):** 91, 92 W

DRILLING & PLUGGING CONTRACTORS:
 Dave Bohe Drilling & Plugging Co

DATE COMMENCED: 2/16/01 **DATE COMPLETED:** 3/10/01

SECTION 2

FIRST S.P. #: 101 **LAST S.P. #:** 259

LOADED HOLES (UNDETONATED SHOT POINTS): none

S.P. #'s:														
CHARGE SIZE::														
DEPTH:														

REASONS HOLES WERE NOT SHOT:

SECTION 3

FLOWING HOLES AND/OR BLOWOUTS:
 S.P.#'s: none

PROCEDURE FOR PLUGGING FLOWING HOLES: AND/OR BLOWOUTS:

Include a 7.5 minute USGS topographic quadrangle map or a computer generated post-plot facsimile of the approximate scale displaying each individual shot hole, SP #, line #, and legal location.

*Non-Explosive Operations - Complete Section 1 and Affidavit.

AFFIDAVIT OF COMPLETION (GEOPHYSICAL CONTRACTOR)

MONTANA

STATE OF ~~NORTH DAKOTA~~)

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COUNTY OF YELLOWSTONE)

Before me, MaryBeth Barnby, a Notary Public in and for the said County and State, this day personally appeared Allen Rein who being first duly sworn, deposes and says that (s)he is employed by Reliable Exploration, Inc. 863 Parkway Lane Billings, MT 59101, that (s)he has read North Dakota Century Code Section 38-08.1, that the foregoing seismic project has been completed in accordance with North Dakota Administrative Code Rule 43-02-12 and that the statements on the reverse side of this document are true.

Allen Rein
Geophysical Contractor Representative

Subscribed in my presence and sworn before me this 13th day of March, 2001.

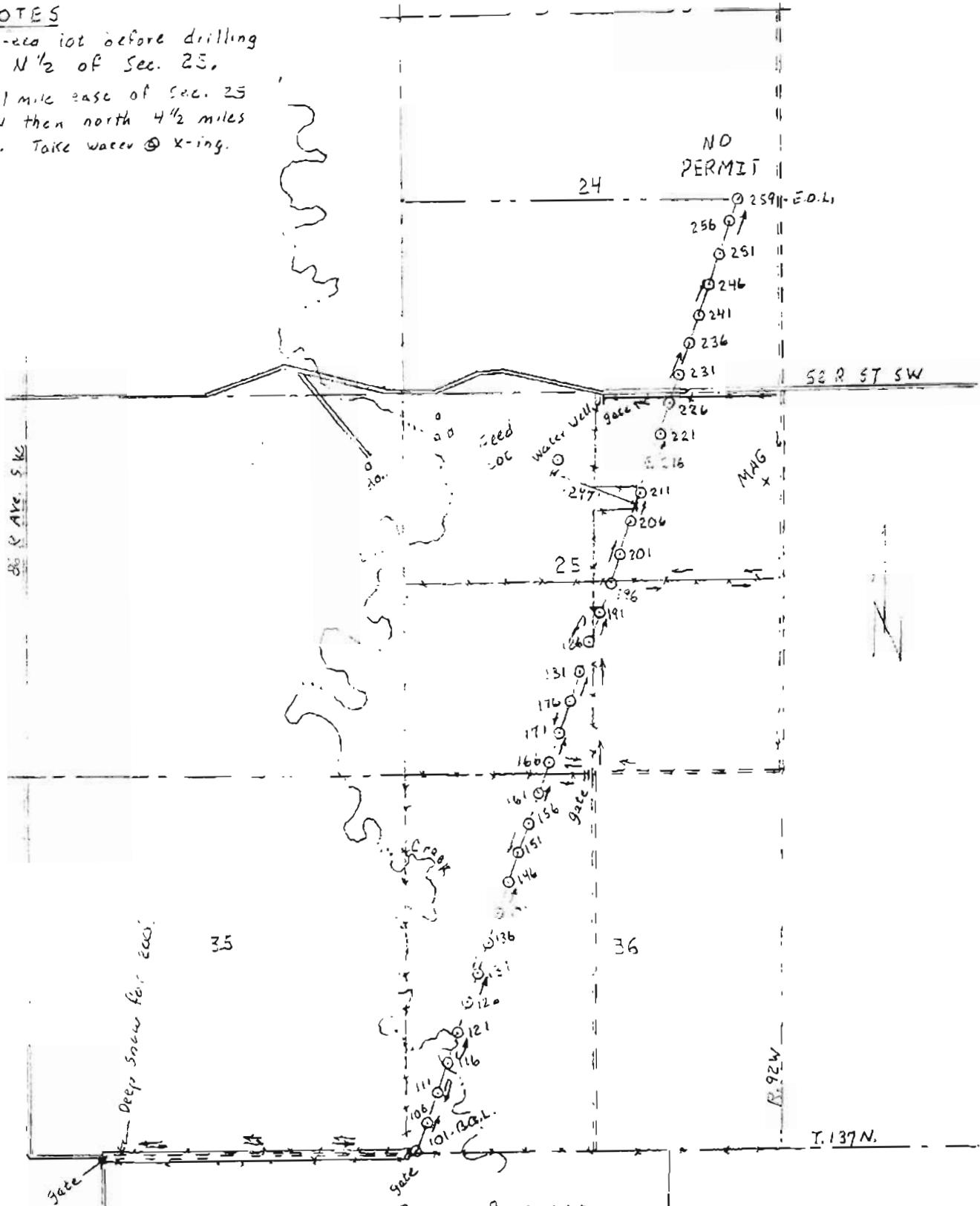
Notary Public MaryBeth Barnby

My Commission Expires 4-15-04

NOTES

check n 2E -eco lot before drilling
or shooting in N 1/2 of Sec. 25.

Drill water - 1 mile east of sec. 25
on S2 R 5T SW then north 4 1/2 miles
to Heave River. Take water @ X-ing.



White Butte Prospect
Line WB-1
Client: Pintail Petroleum
28' GPI - 264' SHI
60 Holes - 10th Charge

**WHITE BUTTE - RELIABLE EXPLORATION, INC.
PINTAIL PETROLEUM
STARK CO., ND
INSTRUMENT PROBLEMS/JOB SUMMARY**

<p>CLIENT: PINTAIL PETROLEUM PROSPECT: WHITE BUTTE STARK CO., ND CLIENT REP: GAYLE BECHTOLD</p> <p>PHONE: 303-573-8358</p> <p>RECORDING PARAS: FIL- 12/128/NOTCH OUT REC LENGTH- 4sec/ 88' Grps-264' Sps GEOPHONES: 12- L21As, IN LINE</p> <p>RECORDS TO: GEO CONCEPTS, INC 825 BROADWAY # 270 DENVER, CO 80202</p> <p>ATTN: HAROLD HICKMAN 303-592-4580</p>	<p>RELIABLE EXPLORATION, INC. PARTY 3 & 4 362 PARKWAY LANE BILLINGS, MT 59101 PHONE: 406-259-1860/ FAX406-259-8589</p> <p>FIELD OFFICE PHONE: 406-898-3892 / 406-870-5666 FIELD OFFICE FAX: 701-523-5641 RM 9</p> <p>FIELD OFFICE: NORTHWINDS LODGE BOX 500 US HWY 85 SOUTH BOWMAN, ND 58823 PHONE: 701-523-5641</p>
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SURVEY BY: OAKLAND SURVEY
PERMITTED BY: GARY HURLEY

DRILLED BY: BOHE DRILLING
CHARGE/DEPTH: 10P @ 60'

DATE	SOURCE PT	PROBLEM ENCOUNTERED / SUMMARY DESCRIPTION
3/8/01	118	FILE # 9 - NO DATA ON CHS 25-120 (STA'S 101-198); INSTRUMENT PROBLEMS.
	187	FILE # 9007 - NO DATA ON CHS 25-120 (STA'S 101-198); INSTRUMENT PROBLEMS.

JOB SUMMARY - PRODUCTION REPORT

DATE	HOURS	DESCRIPTION
3/7/01	8	WENT TO FIELD @ 8:00AM FOR WHITE BUTTE 3-D. AID OUT FROM 120-158. GOY TOO WET.
3/8/01	8	WENT TO FIELD @ 4:55AM. FINISHED LAY OUT. RECORDED 2 SHOTS. INSTRUMENT PROBLEMS.
3/9/01	10	WENT TO FIELD @ 4:30AM. RECORDED 62 SHOTS. FINISHING LINE. PICKED UP. LOADED TRUCKS.

BLOWOUTS

NONE

TOTAL HOLES SHOT-54

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA)
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COUNTY OF Ward)

#56



Before me, Laurie Sickler, a Notary Public in and for the said County and State, this day personally appeared David Boho who being first duly sworn deposes and says that (s)he is employed by Dave Boho Drilling and Hole Plugging that (s)he has read North Dakota Century Code Section 38-08.1 and that the foregoing seismic project has been plugged in accordance with North Dakota Administrative Code Rule 43-02-12 and that the statements on the attached documents are true.

Dave Boho
Hole Plugger Representative

Subscribed in my presence and sworn before me this 1 day of May 2001.

Notary Public Laurie Sickler

My Commission Expires May 31, 2003



GEOPHYSICAL EXPLORATION PERMIT
INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION OF NORTH DAKOTA
OIL AND GAS DIVISION
 SFN 51459 (11-97)

600 E BOULEVARD AVE
 BISMARCK, ND 58505



1) a. Company: RELIABLE EXPLORATION, INC.		Address: 868 Parkway Lane, Billings, MT 59101	
Contact: Allen Rein, President		Telephone: (406) 259-1860	Fax: (406) 259-8589
Surety Company: Amwest Surety Company		Bond Amount: \$50,000.00	Bond Number: 03400055
2) a. Subcontractor(s): Dave Bohe Drilling & Plugging		Address: 715 - 4th St SW Minot, ND 58701	Telephone: (701) 240-7076
b. Subcontractor(s):		Address:	Telephone:
c. Subcontractor(s):		Address:	Telephone:
3) Party Manager: Douglas Wick		Address: PO Box 741 Sidney, MT 59270	Telephone: (406) 482-4092
4) Project Name or Line Numbers: PINTAIL PETROLEUM - WHITE BUTTE Lines WB-1 & 2		cell 698-3892	
5) Exploration Method (Shot Hole, Non-Explosive, 2D, 3D): Shot Hole - 2D			
6) Approximate Drilling Start Date: 10/25/00 will notify		Approximate Completion Date:	

THE COMMISSION MUST BE NOTIFIED AT LEAST 24 HOURS IN ADVANCE OF COMMENCEMENT OF DRILL/PLUG OPERATIONS

7) Location of Proposed Project - County Stark County, ND					
Section(s), Township(s) & Range(s)		Sec. 23, 24, 25, 26, 36	T 137 N	R 92 W	
		Sec. 31	T 137 N	R 91 W	
		Sec.	T	R	
		Sec.	T	R	
8) Size of Hole	Amt. of Charge	Depth	Shots per Mi. (sq. mi.)	No. of Mi. (sq. mi.)	Identifying Marks Used on Nonmetallic Plug
4 3/4	10#	60 ft	20/mi	5.0	Geophysical ID a. Plugger ID b. Plugger ID c. Plugger ID
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9) Anticipated special drilling and plugging procedures?

10) Enclose a pre-plot map with proposed location of seismic program lines and powder mag.

Signed: <i>Allen Rein</i>	Title: President	Date: 10/17/00
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(This space for State office use)		Conditions of Approval if any: <i>Identify all surface plugs w/ #56 and plugger id. Notify surface owner, county and state field inspectors Kim Martin @ 701-227-7436 prior to any drilling. All warnings must be furnished upon request.</i> <i>10/19/00</i>
Permit No.: <i>97-0056</i>	Approval Date: <i>10/19/00</i>	
Approved By: <i>David C. H...</i>		
Title: <i>Geophysical Regulatory Supervisor</i>		
County Approval Sent: <i>Stark County Auditor - Ellen Laine 10/19/00</i>		

Gail's Rules:

- ① Discuss all skips in advance.
- ② Do not permit minimal \leftarrow Check this on Contract
- ③ Shoot in Dry hole in NE NW 36
- ④ Try for 600/mile permits get permits - in from Gayle for over 800
- ⑤ No Misfires

Contract to: ~~White Butte & Phillips~~
 Pintail Petroleum Ltd.
 225 North Market Suite 300
 Wichita, KS 67202

Client: ~~Mr. James Phillips~~
 Pintail Petroleum Ltd
 Wichita, KS

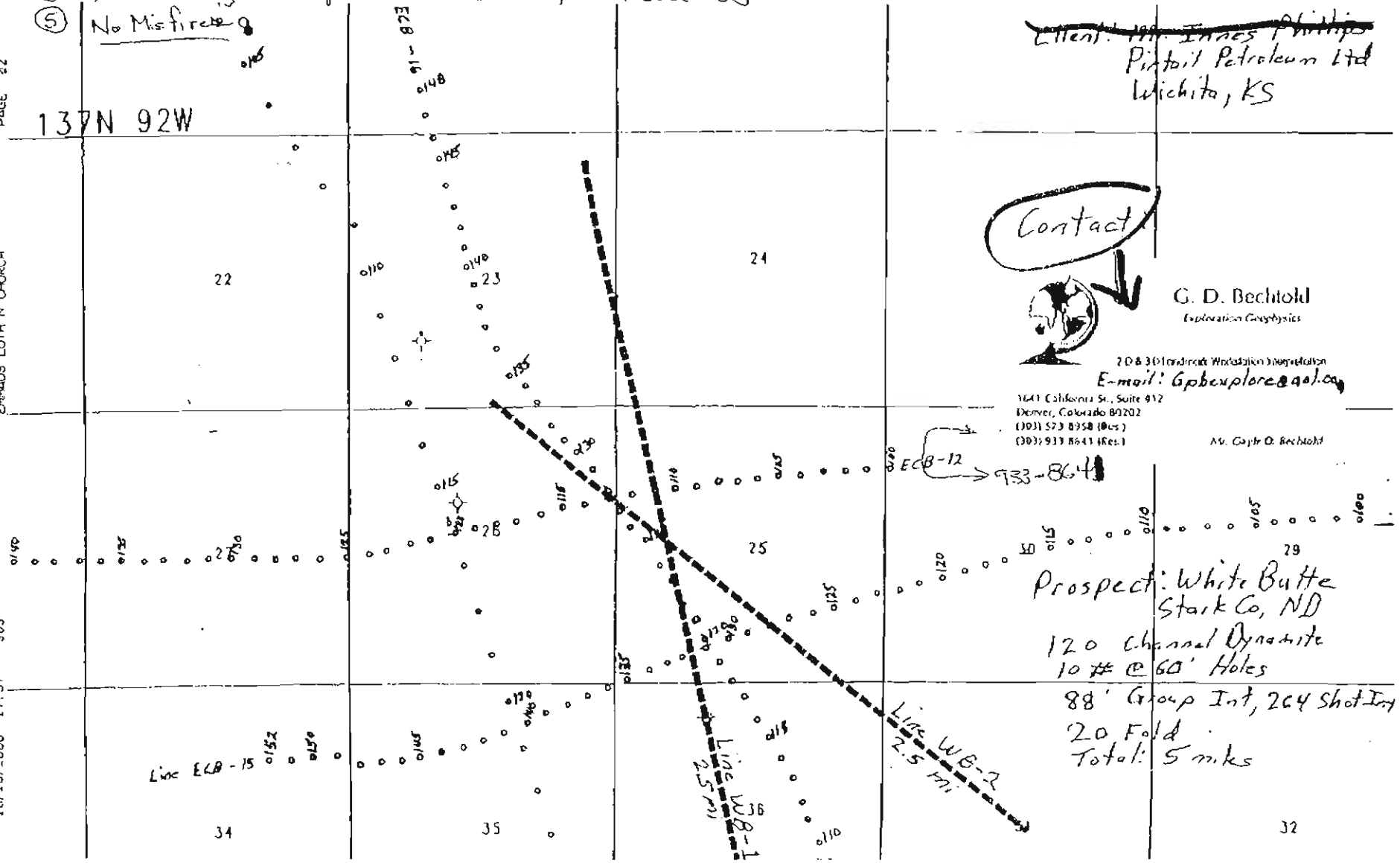
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137N 92W



G. D. Bechtold
 Exploration Geophysics

20 & 301 Ford Road, Wichita, KS 67202
 E-mail: Gpbexplore@aol.com
 1641 California St., Suite 812
 Denver, Colorado 80202
 (303) 573-8958 (Hus.)
 (303) 933-8641 (Res.)

Attn: Gayle O. Bechtold

ECB-12
 933-8641

Prospect: White Butte
 Stark Co, ND
 120 Channel Dynamite
 10 # @ 60' Holes
 88' Group Int, 264 Shot Int
 20 Fold
 Total: 5 miles

NORTH DAKOTA INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION

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DIRECTOR

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ASSISTANT DIRECTOR

October 19, 2000

The Honorable Eileen Leiss
Stark County Auditor
P.O. Box 130
Dickinson, ND 58601

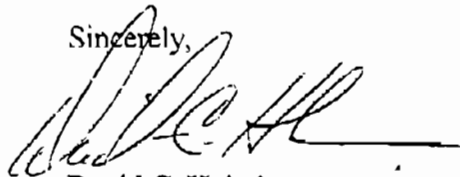
RE: Geophysical Exploration
Permit # 97-0056

Dear Ms. Leiss:

Pursuant to Section 38-08.1-04.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, please be advised that Reliable Exploration, Inc. was issued the above captioned permit on October 19, 2000 and will remain in effect for a period of one year.

Should you have any questions, please contact our office.

Sincerely,



David C. Hvinden
Geophysical Regulation Supervisor

DCH/dh

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October 19, 2000

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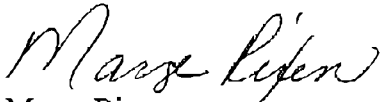
**RE: GEOPHYSICAL EXPLORATION PERMIT NO. 970056
WHITE BUTTE LINES WB 1 & 2**

Dear Mr. Rcin:

This letter will verify the approval of the above-captioned Geophysical Permit effective October 19, 2000.

Please feel free to contact Mr. David Hvinden, Geophysical Regulation Supervisor if you should have any questions.

Sincerely,



Marge Rixen
Legal Assistant

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