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CONSENT, RATIFICATION AND JOINDER TO UNIT AGREEMENT FOR
 THE DEVELOPMENT AND OPERATION OF THE HOGSBACK UNIT AREA,
 COUNTIES OF SUBLETTE AND LINCOLN, STATE OF WYOMING

Reference is made to that certain Unit Agreement dated November 1, 1954, entitled "Unit Agreement for the Development and Operation of the Hogsback Unit Area, Sublette and Lincoln Counties, State of Wyoming," approved effective May 27, 1955 and designated No. 14-08-001-2070, and to the Expansion of said Unit Area, approved effective August 1, 1956. The said Unit Area, as expanded, includes certain lands set forth on the Exhibit "A" map attached hereto and made a part hereof.

The Mountain Fuel Supply Company is the record title owner of Federal Lease Serial No. Wyoming *05690* and Mountain Fuel Supply Company, Belfer Natural Gas Company and The Carter Oil Company jointly own the undivided working interest insofar as the following property, located within the Hogsback Unit Area, is concerned:

Township 27 North, Range 114 West, 6th P.M.
Section 12: SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$

Containing 80 acres, more or less.

In consideration of the benefits to be derived from joining in and consenting to the said Hogsback Unit Agreement, the undersigned Mountain Fuel Supply Company, Belfer Natural Gas Company and The Carter Oil Company, as owners of lands or interests in lands or of royalties or other interests in production from lands lying within the boundaries of the Unit Area, as expanded, and as set forth in the said Exhibit "A," hereby severally, each to the extent of his, her, or its particular ownership or interest, consent to the commitment of said lands to said Unit Agreement, and approve, adopt, ratify, and confirm the terms of said Unit Agreement as applicable to their respective lands, royalties and interests in all things with the same force and effect as if the undersigned had duly executed said Unit Agreement, and specifically agree that the term of any lease, sublease, or contract relating to the operation and development for oil or gas from any lands within said Unit Area, given or entered into by the undersigned or under which the undersigned claim an interest, is extended, modified, and amended to the extent necessary to make the same conform to the terms of said Unit Agreement; that the drilling and development requirements of all leases, subleases, and other contracts in which their several rights and interests are created or defined shall as to all lands lying within said Unit Area, as expanded, be deemed fully performed by performance of the provisions of said Unit Agreement, and that payment for or delivery of (whichever may be required under prior agreements) oil and of the proceeds of gas duly made upon the basis of production allocated under said Unit Agreement to the particular lands to which such rights or interests apply, regardless of actual production therefrom, shall constitute full performance of all such obligations to the undersigned existing under such leases, subleases, or other contracts.

Pursuant to Section 28 of the said Hogsback Unit Agreement, subsequent joinders by a nonworking interest owner must be consented to in writing by the working interest committed thereto and, therefore, in the event this Joinder is executed by a nonworking interest owner, the required working interest consent is set forth on Exhibit "B" attached hereto and made a part hereof.