

If, at any time, the assignee should desire to surrender or relinquish said oil and gas lease, or any extension or renewal thereof, as to the above described lands, or any part thereof, the assignee shall give written notice to the assignor of such desire at least thirty (30) days prior to the time for payment of the next annual rental under the terms of said lease, or at least thirty (30) days prior to the expiration of the term of said lease if the same may be extended or renewed, describing in such notice the lands so desired to be surrendered. If the assignor should fail, within ten (10) days after the date of the mailing of such notice, to advise assignee in writing of assignor's election to take a reassignment of said lease as to the lands described in assignee's notice, the assignee shall be free to surrender or relinquish said lease. Notice of the intention of assignee to surrender or relinquish said lease shall be mailed to the assignor at the address shown herein, or at any change of address of which the assignor has advised the assignee, said notice to be sent by registered mail, return receipt requested. There shall be no obligation on the part of the assignee for the failure of the assignor to receive such notice.

In addition to giving the notice to Assignor herein, Assignee agrees to give the same notice to all Assignors in the chain of title who have reserved the right of notice and reassignment on any of these lands, which notice shall be given by letter addressed jointly to all such parties to be mailed to each of them by registered mail in accordance with the foregoing.

## SIGNED FOR IDENTIFICATION

CLARK OIL &amp; REFINING CORPORATION

BY P. E. McGovney  
P. E. McGOVNEY, Vice President

TIDEWATER OIL COMPANY

BY: E. B. Miller, Jr.  
Vice-President

ATTEST:

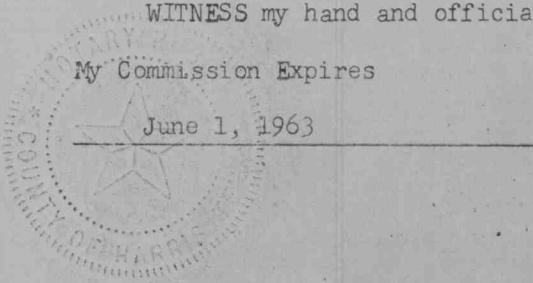
W. J. Zimmerman  
Assistant SecretarySTATE OF TEXAS } SS.  
COUNTY OF HARRIS }

On this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of November, 1961, before me appeared E. B. Miller, Jr., to me personally known, who being by me duly sworn, did say that he is Vice-President of TIDEWATER OIL COMPANY, and that the seal affixed to the foregoing instrument is the corporate seal of said corporation; that said instrument was signed and sealed in behalf of said corporation by authority of its Board of Directors; and said E. B. Miller, Jr. acknowledged said instrument to be the free act and deed of said corporation.

WITNESS my hand and official seal the day and year last above written.

My Commission Expires

June 1, 1963



Doris Lynch  
Notary Public  
DORIS LYNCH  
Notary Public in and for Harris County, Texas  
My Commission Expires June 1, 1963