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REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF ASSIGNMENT

The assignee hereby requests approval of assignment and certifies as follows

1a. Assignee is 21 years of age or over Yes No

b. Assignee is a citizen of the United States Native born Naturalized

2. Assignee is a corporation or other legal entity (specify kind)

and is qualified to take this assignment as shown by statements attached hereto. (See Item 2 of Instructions)

3. Assignee's interest, direct and indirect, do not exceed:

a. 200,000 acres in oil and gas options Yes No

b. 246,080 chargeable acres in options and leases in the same State Yes No

c. 300,000 chargeable acres in options and leases in each leasing district in Alaska Yes No

4. Assignee is is not the sole party in interest in this assignment. (If assignee is not the sole party in interest, information as to interests of other parties in the assignment must be furnished as prescribed in Item 3 of the Instructions.)

5. Filing fee of \$10 is attached Yes No

The assignee agrees to be bound by the terms and provisions of the lease described herein, provided the assignment is approved by the authorized officer of the Bureau of Land Management.

IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED That the statements made herein are true, complete, and correct to the best of the undersigned's knowledge and belief and are made in good faith.

This form is submitted in lieu of official Form 4-1175 and contains all of the provisions thereof as of the date of filing of this Assignment, plus the acknowledgment below which is the only addition to Official Form 4-1175.

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Form 4-1175
with acknowledgment added
(September 1963)

John G. Blockstein
(Assignee's Signature)

P. O. Box 372, Casper, Wyoming - 82601

(Address)

INSTRUCTIONS

1. *Use of form* - This form is to be used only for assignment of record title interests in oil and gas leases. It is not to be used for assignments of working or royalty interest, operating agreements, or subleases. The assignment, if approved, will take effect as of the first day of the lease month following the date of filing in the proper Land Office of three (3) original executed counterparts thereof, together with any required bond and proof of the qualification of the assignee to take and hold the interest assigned. Assignments must be filed within ninety (90) days from date of final execution and each must be accompanied by a filing fee of \$10. Any assignment not accompanied by the required fee will not be accepted for filing. An assignment of record title may cover lands in only one lease. Where more than one assignment is made out of a lease, a separate instrument of transfer must be filed for each assignment.

2. *Qualifications of assignee* - Assignee must indicate whether or not he is the sole party in interest in the assignment. If not the sole party in interest, the assignee must submit at the time the assignment is filed a signed statement setting forth the names of the other interested parties. If there are other parties interested in the assignment, a separate statement must be signed by each and the assignee setting forth the nature and extent of the interest of each, the nature of the agreement between them, if oral; and, a copy of the agreement, if written. All interested parties must furnish evidence of their qualifications to hold such lease interests. Such separate statement and written agreement, if any, must be filed not later than fifteen (15) days after the filing of the assignment.

3. *Statement of interests* - Assignee must indicate whether or not he is the sole party in interest in the assignment. If not the sole party in interest, the assignee must submit at the time the assignment is filed a signed statement setting forth the names of the other interested parties. If there are other parties interested in the assignment, a separate statement must be signed by each and the assignee setting forth the nature and extent of the interest of each, the nature of the agreement between them, if oral; and, a copy of the agreement, if written. All interested parties must furnish evidence of their qualifications to hold such lease interests. Such separate statement and written agreement, if any, must be filed not later than fifteen (15) days after the filing of the assignment.

4. *Overriding royalties or payments out of production* - Any overriding royalties or payments out of production created by the assignment but not set out therein must be described in an accompanying statement. If payments out of production are reserved by the assignor, outline in detail the amount, method of payment, and other pertinent terms.

5. *Effect of assignment* - Upon approval of the assignment, the assignee becomes the lessee of the Government as to the assigned interest and will be responsible for compliance with all the lease terms and conditions, including timely payment of annual rentals and maintenance of bond, if required. The approval of an assignment of part of the leased lands creates separate leases out of the assigned portion and the retained portion, but there is no change in either the anniversary date or the term of such leases except as provided under the regulations 43 CFR 192.144(b). Oil and gas leases are governed by the regulations 43 CFR, Parts 191 and 192, of which Sections 192.140-192.145 relate to assignments of such leases or interests therein.

6. A copy of the executed lease out of which this assignment is made should be made available to the assignee by the assignor.

STATE OF **WYOMING**
COUNTY OF **Natrona**

ss.

**Oklahoma, Kansas, New Mexico, Wyoming, Montana, Colorado, Utah,
Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota**

ACKNOWLEDGMENT — INDIVIDUAL

BEFORE ME, the undersigned, a Notary Public, in and for said County and State, on this **3rd** day of **January**, 19 **67**, personally appeared **Jean Chorsey**

and

, to me known to be the identical person..., described in and who executed the within and foregoing instrument of writing and acknowledged to me thatshe duly executed the same asher free and voluntary act and deed for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my notarial seal the day and year last above written.

My Commission Expires **May 2, 1970**

Regina M. Short
Regina M. Short Notary Public...