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OIL, GAS AND MINERAL LEASE

THIS AGREEMENT made this 1st day of July, 2008, between Veda Bobbitt Lessor (whether one or more), whose address is 200 Plum Dr. Crockett, Texas 75835 and Southwestern Energy Production Company, whose address is 2350 N. Sam Houston Pkwy. East Suite 300 Houston, Texas 77032 Lessee, WITNESSETH:

1. Lessor, in consideration of Ten and no/100 (\$10.00) Dollars, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and of the covenants and agreements of lessee hereinafter contained, does hereby grant, lease and let unto lessee the land covered hereby for the purposes and with the exclusive right of exploring, drilling, mining and operating for, producing and owning oil, gas, sulphur and all other minerals (whether or not similar to those mentioned), together with the right to make surveys on said land, lay pipe lines, establish and utilize facilities for surface or subsurface disposal of salt water, construct roads and bridges, dig canals, build tanks, power stations, telephone lines, employee houses and other structures on said land, necessary or useful in lessee's operations in exploring, drilling for, producing, treating, storing and transporting minerals produced from the land covered hereby or any other land adjacent thereto. The land covered hereby, herein called "said land", is located in the County of San Augustine, State of Texas, and is described as follows:

63.0 acres of land more or less, located in the Isaac Walker Survey, Abstract No. A-481, San Augustine County, Texas, and being more fully described in that certain Warranty Deed dated March 31, 1954 from Sam B. Stripling, Sr., ET UX to Sam B. Stripling, Jr., Et Al, recorded in Volume 115 Page 336 Deed Records of San Augustine County, Texas.

This lease also covers and includes, in addition to that above described, all land, if any, contiguous or adjacent to or adjoining the land above described and (a) owned or claimed by lessor by limitation, prescription, possession, reversion or unrecorded instrument or (b) as to which lessor has a preference right of acquisition. Lessor agrees to execute any supplemental instrument requested by lessee for a more complete or accurate description of said land. For the purpose of determining the amount of any bonus or other payment hereunder, said land shall be deemed to contain 63.0 acres, whether actually containing more or less, and the above recital of acreage in any tract shall be deemed to be true acreage thereof. Lessor accepts the bonus as lump sum consideration for this lease and all rights and options hereunder.

2. Unless sooner terminated or longer kept in force under other provisions hereof, this lease shall remain in force for a term 3 years from the date hereof, hereinafter called "primary term", and as long thereafter as operations, as hereinafter defined, are conducted upon said land with no cessation for more than ninety (90) consecutive days.

3. As royalty, lessee covenants and agrees: (a) To deliver to the credit of lessor, in the pipe line to which lessee may connect its wells, the equal one-fifth part of all oil produced and saved by lessee from said land, or from time to time, at the option of lessee, to pay lessor the average posted market price of such one-fifth part of such oil at the wells as of the day it is run to the pipe line or storage tanks, lessor's interest, in either case, to bear one-fifth of the cost of treating oil to render it marketable pipe line oil; (b) To pay lessor on gas and casinghead gas produced from said land (1) when sold by lessee, one-fifth of the amount realized by lessee, computed at the mouth of the well, or (2) when used by lessee off said land or in the manufacture of gasoline or other products, the market value, at the mouth of the well, of one-fifth of such gas and casinghead gas; (c) To pay lessor on all other minerals mined and marketed or utilized by lessee from said land, one-tenth either in kind or value at the well or mine at lessee's election, except that on sulphur mined and marketed the royalty shall be one dollar (\$1.00) per long ton. If, at the expiration of the primary term or at any time or times thereafter, there is any well on said land or on lands with which said land or any portion thereof has been pooled, capable of producing oil or gas, and all such wells are shut-in, this lease shall, nevertheless, continue in force as though operations were being conducted on said land for so long as said wells are shut-ins, and thereafter this lease may be continued in force as if no shut-in had occurred. Lessee covenants and agrees to use reasonable diligence to produce, utilize, or market the minerals capable of being produced from said wells, but in the exercise of such diligence, lessee shall not be obligated to install or furnish facilities other than well facilities and ordinary lease facilities of flow lines, separator, and lease tank, and shall not be required to settle labor trouble or to market gas upon terms unacceptable to lessee. If, at any time or times after the expiration of the primary term, all such wells are shut-in for a period of ninety consecutive days, and during such time there are no operations on said land, then at or before the expiration of said ninety day period, lessee shall pay or tender, by check or draft of lessee, as royalty, a sum equal to one dollar (\$1.00) for each acre of land covered hereby. Lessee shall make like payments or tenders at or before the end of each anniversary of the expiration of said ninety day period if upon such anniversary this lease is being continued in force solely by reason of the provisions of this paragraph. Each such payment or tender shall be made to the parties who at the time of payment would be entitled to receive the royalties which would be paid under this lease if the wells were producing, and may be **Paid directly to the Lessor at the above address**, or its successors, which shall continue as the depositories, regardless of changes in the ownership of shut-in royalty. If at any time that lessee pays or tenders shut-in royalty, two or more parties are, or claim to be, entitled to receive same, lessee may, in lieu of any other method of payment herein provided, pay or tender such shut-in royalty, in the manner above specified, either jointly to such parties or separately to each in accordance with their respective ownerships thereof, as lessee may elect. Any payment hereunder may be made by check or draft of lessee deposited in the mail or delivered to the party entitled to receive payment or to a depository bank provided for above on or before the last date for payment. Nothing herein shall impair lessee's right to release as provided in paragraph 5 hereof. In the event of assignment of this lease in whole or part, liability for payment hereunder shall rest exclusively on the then owner or owners of this lease, severally as to acreage owned by each.

4. Lessee is hereby granted the right, at its option, to pool or unitize any land covered by this lease with any other land covered by this lease, and/or with any other land, lease, or leases, as to any or all minerals or horizons, so as to establish units containing not more than 80 surface acres, plus 10% acreage tolerance; provided, however, units may be established as to any one or more horizons, or existing units may be enlarged as to any one or more horizons, so as to contain not more than 640 surface acres plus 10% acreage tolerance, if limited to one or more of the following: (1) gas, other than casinghead gas, (2) liquid hydrocarbons (condensate) which are not liquids in the subsurface reservoir, (3) minerals produced from wells classified as gas wells by the conservation agency having jurisdiction. If larger units than those herein permitted are allowed under any government rule or order, for the drilling or operation of a well to be drilled, drilling, or already drilled, any such unit may be established or enlarged to conform to the size allowed by such governmental order or rule. Lessee shall exercise said option as to each desired unit by executing an instrument identifying such unit and filing it for record in the public office in which this lease is recorded. Each of said options may be exercised by lessee at any time and from time to time while this lease is in force, and whether before or after production has been established either on said land, or on the portion of said land included in the unit, or on other land unitized therewith. A unit established hereunder shall be valid and effective for all purposes of this lease even though there may be mineral, royalty, or leasehold interests in lands within the unit which are not effectively pooled or unitized. Any operations conducted on any part of such unitized land shall be considered, for all purposes, except the payment of royalty, operations conducted upon said land under this lease. There shall be allocated to the land covered by this lease within each such unit (or to each separate tract within the unit if this lease covers separate tracts within the unit) that proportion of the total production of unitized minerals from the unit, after deducting any used in lease or unit operations, which the number of surface acres in such land (or in each such separate tract) covered by this lease within the unit bears to the total number of surface acres in the unit, and the production so allocated shall be considered for all purposes, including payment or delivery of royalty, overriding royalty and any other payment out of production, to be the entire production of unitized minerals from the land to which allocated in the same manner as though produced therefrom under the terms of this lease. The owner of the reversionary estate of any term royalty or mineral estate agrees that the accrual of royalties pursuant to this paragraph or shut-in royalties from a well on the unit shall satisfy any limitation of term requiring production of oil, or gas. The formation of any unit hereunder which includes land not covered by this lease shall not have the effect of exchanging or transferring any interest under this lease (including, without limitation, any shut-in royalty which may become payable under this lease) between parties owning interests in land covered by this lease and parties owning interests in land not covered by this lease. Neither shall it impair the right of lessee to release as provided in paragraph 5 hereof, except that lessee may not so release as to lands within a unit while there are operations thereon for unitized minerals unless all leases are released as to lands within the unit. At any time while this lease is in force lessee may dissolve any unit established hereunder by filing for record in the public office where this lease is recorded a declaration to that effect, if at that time no operations are being conducted thereon for unitized minerals. Subject to the provisions of paragraph 4, a unit once established hereunder shall remain in force so long as any lease subject thereto shall remain in force. If this lease now or hereafter covers separate tracts, no pooling or unitization of royalty interests as between any such separate tracts is intended or shall be implied or result merely from the inclusion of such separate tracts within this lease but lessee shall nevertheless have the right to pool or unitize as provided in this paragraph 4 with consequent allocation of production as herein provided. As used in this paragraph 4, the words "separate tract" mean any tract with royalty ownership differing, now or hereafter, either as to parties or amounts, from that as to any other part of the leased premises.

5. Lessee may at any time and from time to time execute and deliver to lessor or file for record a release of this lease as to any part or all of said land or of any mineral or horizon thereunder, and thereby by relieved of all obligations, as to the released acreage or interest.

6. Whenever used in this lease the word "operations" shall mean operations for and any of the following: drilling, testing, completing, reworking, recompleting, deepening, plugging back or repairing of a well in search for or in an endeavor to obtain production of oil, gas, sulphur or other minerals, excavating a mine, production of oil, gas, sulphur or other minerals, whether or not in paying quantities.

7. Lessee shall have the use, free from royalty, of water, other than from lessor's water wells, and of oil and gas produced from said land in all operations hereunder. Lessee shall have the right at any time to remove all machinery and fixtures placed on said land, including the right to draw and remove casing. No well shall be drilled nearer than 200 feet to the house or barn now on said land without the consent of the lessor. Lessee shall pay for damages caused by its operations to growing crops and timber on said land.

8. The rights and estate of any party hereto may be assigned from time to time in whole or in part and as to any mineral or horizon. All of the covenants, obligations, and considerations of this lease shall extend to and be binding upon the parties hereto, their heirs, successors, assigns, and successive assigns. No change or division in the ownership of said land, royalties, or other moneys, or any part thereof, howsoever effected, shall increase the obligations or diminish the rights of lessee, including, but not limited to, the location and drilling of wells and the measurement of production. Notwithstanding any other actual or constructive knowledge or notice thereof or to lessee, its successors or assigns, no change or division in the ownership of said land or of the royalties, or other moneys, or the right to receive the same, howsoever effected, shall be binding upon the then record owner of this lease until thirty (30) days after there has been furnished to such record owner at his or its principal place of business by lessor or lessor's heirs, successors, or assigns, notice of such change or division, supported by either originals or duly certified copies of the instruments which have been properly filed for record and which evidence such change or division, and of such court records and proceedings, transcripts, or other documents as shall be necessary in the opinion of such record owner to establish the validity of such change or division. If any such change in ownership occurs by reason of death of the owner, lessee may, nevertheless pay or tender such royalties, or other moneys, or part thereof, to the credit of the decedent in a depository bank provided for above.

9. In the event lessor considers that lessee has not complied with all its obligations hereunder, both express and implied, lessor shall notify lessee in writing, setting out specifically in what respects lessee has breached this contract. Lessee shall then have sixty (60) days after receipt of said notice within which to meet or commence to meet all or any part of the breaches alleged by lessor. The service of said notice shall be precedent to the bringing of any action by lessor on said lease for any cause, and no such action shall be brought until the lapse of sixty (60) days after service of such notice on lessee. Neither the service of said notice nor the doing of any acts by lessee aimed to meet all or any of the alleged breaches shall be deemed an admission or presumption that lessee has failed to perform all its obligations hereunder. If this lease is cancelled for any cause, it shall nevertheless remain in force and effect as to (1) sufficient acreage around each well as to which there are operations to constitute a drilling or maximum allowable unit under applicable governmental regulations, (but in no event less than forty acres), such acreage to be designated by lessee as nearly as practicable in the form of a square centered at the well, or in such shape as then existing rules require; and (2) any part of said land included in a pooled unit on which there are operations. Lessee shall also have such easements on said land as are necessary to operations on the acreage so retained.

10. ~~Lessee shall have the right to operate on the acreage so retained.~~ Lessor's rights and interest hereunder shall be charged primarily with any mortgages, taxes or other liens, or interest and other charges on said land, but lessor agrees that lessee shall have the right at any time to pay or reduce same for lessor, either before or after maturity, and be subrogated to the rights of the holder thereof and to deduct amounts so paid from royalties or other payments payable or which may become payable to lessor and/or assigns under this lease. If this lease covers a less interest in the oil, gas, sulphur, or other minerals in all or any part of said land than the entire and undivided fee simple estate (whether lessor's interest is herein specified or not), or no interest therein, then the royalties and other moneys accruing from any part as to which the lease covers less than such full interests, shall be paid only in the proportion which the interest therein, if any, covered by this lease, bears to the whole and undivided fee simple estate therein. All royalty interest covered by this lease (whether or not owned by lessor) shall be paid out of royalty herein provided. This lease shall be binding upon each party who executed it without regard to whether it is executed by all those named herein as lessor.

11. If, while this lease is in force, at, or after the expiration of the primary term hereof, it is not being continued in force by reason of the shut-in well provisions of paragraph 3 hereof, and lessee is not conducting operations on said land by reason of (1) any law, order, rule or regulation, (whether or not subsequently determined to be invalid) or (2) any other cause, whether similar or dissimilar, (except financial) beyond the reasonable control of lessee, the primary term hereof shall be extended until the first anniversary date hereof occurring ninety (90) or more days following the removal of such delaying cause, and this lease may be extended by operations as if such delay had not occurred.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this instrument is executed on the date first above written.

Veda Bobbitt
Veda Bobbitt

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF

THIS INSTRUMENT WAS ACKNOWLEDGED BEFORE ME ON THE 30th DAY OF July, 2008, by Veda Bobbitt



Jennifer G. Smoldas
Notary Public, State of Texas
Notary's name (printed)

Notary's commission expires: 9/27/10

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EXHIBIT "A"

Attached to and made a part of the certain Oil, Gas and Mineral Lease by and between Southwestern Energy Production Company, as Lessee and, Veda Bobbitt as Lessor, dated July 1, 2008.

The provisions of the hereinafter paragraphs shall supersede and govern the provisions of the printed form text of this lease and shall inure to the benefit of, and be binding upon the parties hereto and their respective heirs, representatives, successors and assigns.

12. Notwithstanding any other provisions herein contrary, Lessor hereby excepts and reserves from this Lease all coal and lignite and it is specifically understood and agreed that this lease covers only oil, gas, sulphur and associated liquid or liquefiable hydrocarbons.
13. Notwithstanding any other provisions herein to the contrary, if a part of the leased premises is included within the lateral boundaries of a pooled unit, or units, drilling operations on or production from or the payment of shut-in royalties on such pooled unit or units, shall maintain this lease only as to that portion of the leased premises within the lateral boundaries of such pooled unit or units; provided that the shut-in royalties which may be paid with respect to any such pooled unit, or units, shall be reduced in the proportion that the total number of acres from the leased premises which are not included in such pooled unit, or units, bears to the total number of acres covered by this lease. During the primary term, this lease may be maintained in force as to land not included within the lateral boundaries of such pooled unit, or units, in any manner provided for in this lease, except that if it be delay rentals or shut-in royalty payments, such payments shall be reduced in the proportion that the total number of acres from the leased premises which are included in such pooled unit, or units, bears to the total number of acres covered by this lease. As to that portion of the leased premises not included in such pooled unit, or units, after the expiration of the primary term, this lease may be maintained only by the production of oil, gas or other minerals therefrom or by payment of shut-in royalties thereon (which payments shall be reduced in the proportion that the total number of acres from the leased premises which are included in a pooled unit, or units, bears to the total number of acres covered by this lease) or by operations or other provisions in this lease which pertain to re-working operations or additional operations at or after the expiration of the primary term.
14. It is understood and agreed that wherever the fraction "One-Fifth" (1/5th) appears herein, it is hereby changed to read "One-Fourth" (1/4).
15. Should Lessor suffer damage to livestock, water wells, fences, roads, personal property, buildings or other improvements as a result of operations of Lessee under this lease, Lessee agrees to pay Lessor the actual amount of said loss. Lessee further agrees to fill and level all slush pits, so as to return the surface to its original condition as nearly as practical, within a reasonable length of time after the abandonment of the use of such pits. Lessor shall be entitled to a reasonable amount of compensation for surface use and damages for each well drilled on the leased premises which must be paid prior to beginning of construction of road and pad, and additionally for pipeline and flow line installations for each respective location. Lessor and Lessee agree to enter into good faith negotiations with respect to the preceding matters. Lessor shall not have the right to lay, construct, operate and maintain pipelines, flow lines or roadways on the leased premises for Lessee's units not comprised of Lessor's lands without the consent of Lessor.
16. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, at the end of the primary term above provided, this lease shall terminate as to all zones and horizons at depths greater than one hundred feet (100') below the deepest producing formation or shut-in production, on lands covered by this lease or acreage pooled herewith. If at the end of the primary term Lessee is then engaged in drilling or reworking operations on the above land, or lands with which the above land is spaced or pooled, the Lessee shall have the right to continue such drilling or reworking operations with reasonable diligence and dispatch and the provisions of this Paragraph shall become effective upon the completion of such operations.

SIGNED FOR IDENTIFICATION:

Veda Bobbitt
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