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STATE OF COLORADO,)
COUNTY OF Adams) ss.

I, Vi June

do solemnly swear that I am the

Publisher of

The Brighton Blade

that the same is a weekly newspaper published

in the City of Brighton

County of Adams

of Colorado, and has a general circulation in; that said newspaper has been published continuously and uninterruptedly in said

County of Adams

for a period of more than 52 weeks prior to the first publication of the annexed notice, that said newspaper is entered in the post office at

Brighton

Colorado, as second class mail matter and that the said newspaper is a newspaper within the meaning of the act of the General Assembly of the State of Colorado, approved March 30, 1923, and entitled "Legal Notices and Advertisements" and other acts relating to the printing and publishing of legal notices and advertisements;

the annexed notice was published in the said newspaper, once each week, on the same day of each week for the period of

1 consecutive insertions; that the first

publication of said newspaper dated

May 4, 1983 and the last publication of said notice was in the issue of

said newspaper dated

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Vi June
Signature and Title

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a Notary

Public, this 4th day of

May 1983

Henceforth L. Johnson
Notary Public

My Commission expires March 3, 1986

NOTICE OF HEARING
BEFORE THE OIL AND GAS
CONSERVATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF COLORADO
CAUSE NO. 232

IN THE MATTER OF THE PROMULGATION AND ESTABLISHMENT OF FIELD RULES TO GOVERN OPERATIONS IN THE WATTENBERG GAS SPACED AREA, ADAMS COUNTY, COLORADO TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS AND TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

On July 18, 1977, the Commission issued Order No. 232-16 which restricted production of gas from the "J" Sand from Well No. 20-4 Smith, located 600 feet from the north line and 600 feet from the west line Section 20, Township 2 South, Range 64 West, 8th P.M., since the well was drilled off-pattern to the permitted well provisions of the orders in Cause No. 232 for the Wattenberg Gas Spaced Area. On November 17, 1981 the Commission issued Order No. 232-23 which permitted the drilling of an additional well on each 320-acre drilling and spacing unit in the Wattenberg Gas Spaced Area.

On March 4, 1983, Sohio Petroleum Co., by its attorneys, filed with the Commission an application for an order to remove the production restrictions as established by Order No. 232-16 for said Well No. 20-4 Smith since such restrictions are no longer necessary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Oil and Gas Conservation Commission of the State of Colorado, pursuant to the above, has scheduled the above-entitled matter for hearing on:

DATE: Monday, May 16, 1983

TIME: 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: Room 110, State Centennial Building, 1313 Sherman Street, Denver, Colorado 80203

Pursuant to said hearing in the above-entitled matter at the time and place aforesaid, or at any adjourned meeting, the Commission will enter such orders as it deems appropriate to prevent the waste of oil and gas, either or both, in the operations of said field, and to carry out the purposes of the statute.

Any interested party desiring to protest the granting of the application should file with the Commission a written protest no later than May 11, 1983, briefly stating the basis of the protest, and such interested party shall, at the same time, serve or mail a copy of the protest to the person filing the application.

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION
COMMISSION OF THE
STATE OF COLORADO

By /s/ Frank J. Piro, Secretary

Dated at Denver, Colorado April 20, 1983

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