

PROOF OF PUBLICATION

County of La Plata, }
State of Colorado } ss.

the
Durango **Herald**



Drawer A, Durango, Colorado 81302

I, Nancy Cooper Classifieds Clerk
do solemnly swear that I am the _____
of the Durango Herald, and that I have personal knowledge of the essential facts stated herein; that the same is a daily newspaper printed in whole, and published in the County of La Plata, State of Colorado, and has a general circulation therein; that said newspaper has been published continuously and uninterruptedly in said County of La Plata for a period of more than twelve months next prior to the first publication of the annexed Legal notice or advertisement; that said newspaper has been admitted to the United States mails as second-class matter under a provision of the Act of March 3, 1879, or any amendments thereof, and that said newspaper is a daily newspaper duly qualified for publishing legal notices and advertisements within the meaning of the laws of the State of Colorado.

That the annexed legal notice or advertisement was published in
the regular and entire editions of said daily newspaper one time only,
July 3rd, A. D., 1990;

once each day for _____ consecutive issue days; once each week on
the same day of each week for the period of _____

consecutive insertions; and that the first publication of said notice was in the
issue of said newspaper dated _____

A. D., 19_____, and that the last publication of said notice was in the issue
of said newspaper dated _____

A. D., 19_____

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand this 16th
day of July, A. D., 1990.

Nancy Cooper

Subscribed and sworn before me, a notary public in and for the
County of La Plata, State of Colorado this 16th
day of July, A. D., 1990.

April Jeri Smith

February 24th Notary Public 93

My Commission expires _____, 19_____

RECEIVED

AUG 6 1990

COLO. OIL & GAS CONS. COM.

BEFORE THE OIL AND GAS
CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF THE
STATE OF COLORADO
IN THE MATTER OF) CAUSE NO. 112
THE PROMULGATION) DOCKET NO. 10
AND ESTABLISHMENT)
OF FIELD RULES TO)
GOVERN OPERATIONS)
IN THE IGNACIO)
BLANCO FIELD,)
LA PLATA COUNTY,)
COLORADO)

NOTICE OF HEARING
TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES AND TO
WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

On December 18, 1989, the Commission authorized Order Nos. 112-74, 75, 76, and 77 to be issued which pooled all interests in four separate drilling and spacing units described herein below for the proper and efficient development of the methane gas contained within the Fruitland coal seams underlying said units with all interests pooled in accordance with the provisions of C.R.S. 34-60-116 (7), to with:

Order No.
112-74 Unit No 1 W 1/2 Section 34, Township 33 North, Range 11 West, NMPM
112-75 Unit No 2 E 1/2 Section 34, Township 33 North, Range 11 West, NMPM
112-76 Unit No 3 W 1/2 Section 35, Township 33 North, Range 11 West, NMPM
112-77 Unit No 4 E 1/2 Section 35, Township 33 North, Range 11 West, NMPM

Palo Petroleum, Inc. was the applicant requesting the Commission to enter the above orders; at the time of hearing no protests were entered to any of the applications.

On June 15, 1990, Palo Petroleum, Inc., by its attorney, filed with the Commission a verified application for further hearing in the above matter in that additional information has been received indicating such orders may not be necessary. The Commission at its hearing on June 15, 1990 accepted the application and directed that the matter be heard at the July 16, 1990 hearing of the Commission.

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, July 16, 1990
Tuesday, July 17, 1990

Time: 8:30 a.m.

Place: Room 101, State Education Building
201 East Colfax Avenue
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 or to intervene should file with the Commission a written protest or a notice to intervene no later than July 10, 1990, briefly stating the basis of the protest or intervention. Such interested party shall, at the same time, serve a copy of the protest or notice to intervene to the person filing the application. A fee of forty-five dollars (\$45.00) shall accompany each document filed with the Commission.

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF
COLORADO

OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION
COMMISSION OF THE
STATE OF COLORADO
By /s/ Dennis R. Bicknell
Dennis R. Bicknell, Secretary

Dated at Suite 380
1580 Logan Street
Denver, Colorado 80203
June 19, 1990
Published: July 3, 1990.