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MICHELLE UTSLER
RECORDER
MADISON COUNTY.IOWA

MINERAL DEED AND CONVEYANCE

THIS MINERAL DEED AND CONVEYANCE effective as of December 31, 1994 at 7:00 a.m., central standard time (the "Effective Date"), made by Connecticut General Life Insurance Company (hereinafter referred to as "Grantor"), to Banner Land Company, Inc. (hereinafter referred to as "Grantee").

For Ten Dollars (\$10.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged by Grantor, Grantor hereby assigns, grants, bargains, sells, conveys, and quitclaims to Grantee all of Grantor's right, title and interest in and to all of the oil, gas and other minerals in, under and which may be produced from the lands located in MADISON County, TOWA, more fully described on Exhibit "A" attached hereto, in the townships and sections stated therein, and made a part hereof the same as if fully set out herein.

This Mineral Deed and Conveyance is subject to any rights now existing under any oil and gas leases covering the lands described on Exhibit "A" hereto attached, the mesne assignments thereof and any and all agreements, farmin and farmout agreements, exploration agreements, gas contracts, orders of governmental authority, easements, rights-of-way, licenses and other instruments or agreements relating to or affecting any oil and gas leases, now covering the lands described in Exhibit "A" hereto attached, if

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Return to:EBCO U.S.A.,Inc. P.O. Box 22177 Oklahoma City,OK 73123 any. It is understood that the Grantee shall receive the mineral interest conveyed by this instrument in and to all bonuses, rentals, royalties and other benefits that may accrue under the terms of the said oil and gas lease or leases, insofar as it covers the lands described on Exhibit "A" hereto attached, or any part thereof, from the date of this instrument precisely as if Grantee had been at the date of the making of any such oil and gas lease or leases, the owner of an interest similar to the mineral interest conveyed by this instrument, in and to the lands described on Exhibit "A" hereto attached and one of the Lessors under such lease or leases.

From and after the Effective Date, Grantee assumes full responsibility for the Minerals and Mineral Interest conveyed hereby and shall indemnify and hold Grantor, its affiliates, employees, directors, officers, agents, successors and assigns harmless from and against any and all claims, demands, causes of action, liabilities and losses arising out of or in connection with or resulting from, through or by reason of the ownership of said Minerals, but not limited to, any necessary and/or any environmental remediation required by any governmental agency or any other person or entity.

Grantee further agrees to indemnify and hold Grantor, its affiliates, employees, directors, officers, agents, successors and assigns harmless from and against any and all environmental remediation costs and expenses hereafter incurred by Grantor, with respect to the Lands, (both surface and mineral estates) described

in Exhibit "A" hereto attached, pursuant to order, regulation or agreement by or with any individual, entity or governmental agency of appropriate jurisdiction, including reasonable attorney fees.

To the extent any of the Mineral Interests covered by this Deed and Conveyance are subject to a commitment to sell any production to a purchaser under a gas purchase agreement which includes any gas categorized as Section 104 and/or Section 106 under the Natural Gas Policy Act, the following shall apply:

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission ("FERC") Order No. 451, as amended, provides for a good faith negotiation process ("GFNP") to amend certain gas sales contracts, which may affect the contractual rights of parties other than the party who initiates the GFNP. Accordingly, if on the Effective Date of this Deed and Conveyance all or any part of the Mineral interests hereby conveyed are covered by a gas sales contract to which Grantor is a party ("Subject Gas Contract"), Grantor reserves the exclusive right to initiate the GFNP with respect to the Subject Gas Contract, and any effort by Grantee to initiate the GFNP in a manner that affects the Subject Gas Contract shall be null and void. In the event Grantor does initiate the GFNP with respect to the Subject Gas Contract or any other gas sales contract with the same gas purchaser, the gas purchaser's renegotiation rights under the GFNP shall apply to gas covered by the Subject Gas Contract and attributable to the interest conveyed to Grantee hereunder, to the same extent as such renegotiation rights would be applied to the Subject Gas Contract had there been no assignment.

THIS ASSIGNMENT IS MADE BY GRANTOR AND ACCEPTED BY GRANTEE WITHOUT REPRESENTATIONS, COVENANTS OR WARRANTIES AS TO TITLE OR QUANTUM OF INTEREST CONVEYED, EITHER EXPRESS OR IMPLIED. IT IS ACKNOWLEDGED THAT GRANTEE HAS INSPECTED THE PROPERTY AND SATISFIED ITSELF AS TO THEIR PHYSICAL PREMISES AND ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITION, BOTH SURFACE AND SUBSURFACE, AND THAT GRANTOR SHALL ACCEPT ALL INTERESTS HEREUNDER IN THEIR "AS IS, WHERE IS" CONDITION. IN ADDITION, GRANTOR MAKES NO WARRANTY OR REPRESENTATION, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, AS TO THE ACCURACY OR COMPLETENESS OF ANY DATA, INFORMATION OR MATERIALS HERETOFORE OR HEREAFTER FURNISHED GRANTEE IN CONNECTION WITH THE MINERAL INTERESTS HEREBY CONVEYED, OR AS TO THE QUALITY OR QUANTITY OF HYDROCARBON RESERVES (IF ANY) ATTRIBUTABLE TO THE MINERAL INTERESTS OR THE ABILITY OF THE MINERAL INTERESTS TO PRODUCE HYDROCARBONS. ANY AND ALL SUCH DATA, INFORMATION AND OTHER MATERIALS FURNISHED BY GRANTOR IS PROVIDED GRANTEE AS A CONVENIENCE AND ANY RELIANCE ON OR USE OF THE SAME SHALL BE AT GRANTEE'S SOLE RISK.

By execution hereof, Grantee hereby assumes and agrees to pay, perform and discharge or cause to be paid, performed and discharged, all obligations and liabilities arising and attributable to times on or after the Effective Date incurred in the ordinary course of the operation of the mineral interests pursuant to leases, operating agreements, contracts, gas and/or oil contracts (if any), instruments and other commitments to which the interests are subject. Grantor agrees to pay, perform and discharge or cause to be paid, performed and discharged, all

obligations and liabilities heretofore assumed in writing by Assignor or for which it was obligated as a matter of law arising and attributable to times before the Effective Date incurred in the ordinary course of the operation of the mineral interests before the Effective Date pursuant to leases, operating agreements, contracts, gas and/or oil contracts, (if any), instruments and other written commitments to which the mineral interests are subject, except, however, Grantee shall be solely responsible for balancing of or payment for any gas imbalances which may exist as of the Effective Date.

Grantor will execute and deliver all such other and additional instruments, notices, releases, acquittances and other documents, and will do all such other acts and things, as may reasonably be necessary more fully to assure to Grantee or its successors or assigns all of the respective rights and interests herein and hereby granted or intended to be granted.

The provisions hereof shall be covenants running with the lands and shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the parties hereto, their respective successors and assigns.

Signed this November 16, 1994 to be effective—for all purposes however as of the Effective Date set forth above.

ATTEST:

y____ Name:

Title:

MARY E HANLEY
Assistant Secretary

GRANTOR: CONNECTICUT GENERAL

LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

Name:

Title:

ALPHA O. NICHOLSON, III Vice President

WITNESS: AS TO CONNECTICUT GENERAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY			
Name: Sandra M. Fanelli	(Corporate Seal)		
ATTEST:	GRANTEE: BANNER LAND COMPANY INC.		
Name: C. S. Collier Title: Assistant Secretary	Name: H. W. Collier Title: President		
witness:			
Name: Donna Lewis	P. O. Box 770481 Oklahoma City, OK 73177-0481		
"GRANTOR"			
CORPORATE ACKNOWLEDGMENT			
STATE OF CONNECTICUT COUNTY OF HARTFORD	•		
This instrument was acknowledged before me on this 16th day of November 1994, by Alpha O. Nicholson, III the Vice President for Connecticut General Life Insurance Company, a Connecticut Corporation, on behalf of said Corporation. Prla C. Recato Notary Public, State of Connecticut My Commission Expires: Perla L. Recato Notary Public Perla L. Recato Notary Public Not			
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES AUG. 31, 1999			

CORPORATE ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

STATE OF OKLAHOMA) COUNTY OF OKLAHOMA)	

This instrument was acknown	owledged before me on <u>December 8</u>	, 1994 by H. W. Collier
the <u>President</u>	, of Banner Land Company, Inc.	an Oklahoma
corporation, on behalf of	said Corporation.	

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Notary Public, State of Oklahoma

Commission Expires 5-23-97

EXHIBIT "A"

the following described premises situated in the County of Madison and State of Iowa, to-wit:

The North Fractional Half of the Northeast Quarter and the Southwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section 1. Township 74. North, Range 29 West of the Fifth P.M., also the Southwest Fractional Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 30, and the West Fractional Half of the West Half of Section 31, all in Township 75 North, Range 28 West of the Fifth P.M.; also the East Half of Section 36, Township 75 North, Range 29 West of the Fifth P.M.

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