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FINANCIAL SECURITY INSTRUMENT (BOND) CERTIFICATE OF DEPOSIT

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NOW, THEREFORE, THE CONDITIONS OF THIS OBLIGATION ARE SUCH, THAT IF THE PERMITTEE SHALL FULLY COMPLY WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THE ILLINOIS OIL AND GAS ACT, 225 ILCS 725/1 ET. SEQ., (ACT), AS AMENDED, AND SHALL COMPLY WITH AND CONFORM TO THE REGULATIONS AND ORDERS OF THE ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES, OFFICE OF OIL & GAS RESOURCE MANAGEMENT ISSUED UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE ACT AND AMENDMENTS THERETO, THEN THE PERMITTEE MAY APPLY TO THE ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES, OFFICE OF OIL & GAS RESOURCE MANAGEMENT FOR A RELEASE OF THIS OBLIGATION.

THE PERMITTEE'S OBLIGATIONS UNDER THIS PENAL BOND SHALL BE RELEASED BY THE ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES, OFFICE OF OIL & GAS RESOURCE MANAGEMENT, AND THE ABOVE-MENTIONED DEPOSIT SHALL BE RETURNED TO THE PERMITTEE, IF THE ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES, OFFICE OF OIL & GAS RESOURCE MANAGEMENT DETERMINES, TO ITS SATISFACTION, THAT THE PERMITTEE HAS FULLY COMPLIED WITH THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THIS BOND.

THE FULL FACE AMOUNT OF THIS BOND IS SUBJECT TO FORFEITURE, BY THE ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES, OFFICE OF OIL & GAS RESOURCE MANAGEMENT, IN THE EVENT THE PERMITTEE IS FOUND TO HAVE VIOLATED THE PROVISIONS OF THE ACT AND SUCH VIOLATIONS REMAIN UNABATED.

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS: THE PRINCIPAL IS REQUIRED TO NOTIFY THE ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES, OFFICE OF OIL & GAS RESOURCE MANAGEMENT WITHIN THIRTY (30) DAYS OF THE SALE OF THE WELL FOR WHICH THIS BOND IS SUBMITTED, PURSUANT TO 62 ILL. ADM. CODE 240.1420.

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UNDER PENALTIES OF PERJURY, WE DECLARE THAT WE ARE EXECUTING THE FOREGOING INDIVIDUAL COLLATERAL BOND FOR THE USES AND PURPOSES THEREIN SET FORTH.

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