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LEGAL DEPARTMENT 3636 RICHMOND AVENUE HOUSTON, TEXAS 77027

The Honorable Bob Armstrong Commissioner of the General Land Office Austin, Texas 78701

Attention: Herman Forbes, Director, Surveying Division

Re: Blocks G-4 and G-11, Brewster County,

Texas

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to your letter of October 1, 1975 proposing a meeting between our company and Atlantic Richfield Company for the purpose of discussing Atlantic Richfield's filing of two plats of the above area. As you recall, our company submitted a letter to the General Land Office dated September 22, 1975 disputing the proposed construction of the boundaries indicated in these plats, since we had an interest at stake in land covered by them. Also, there followed a telephone conversation between us on this subject in which I advised that Dow and Atlantic Richfield were attempting to reach an understanding on this and resolve their differences.

In line with our discussions, please be advised that our company declines to participate any further before the General Land Office with respect to the boundaries in question inasmuch as we no longer have any interest or desire to do so. For your information, Dow and Atlantic Richfield have now reached an understanding and we are in the process of concluding the dispute presently existing between our respective companies.

It should be emphasized that our company in no way agrees with the proposed construction of the boundaries indicated on the plats mentioned above. These plats were submitted for filing only on behalf of Atlantic Richfield Company and steps will be taken by us in the immediate future to expunge our name from the record.

AN OPERATING UNIT OF THE DOW CHEMICAL COMPANY

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I would like to express our appreciation to the General Land Office for its cooperation and assistance in this matter. If there is anything else which you require, or should there be any questions, please do not hesitate to call.

Very truly yours,

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