RECORDED JUNE 29, 2001 BK 424 PG 678 NO 379857 AUDREY KOLTISKA, COUNTY CLERK

#### RIGHT OF WAY AGREEMENT

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: that the undersigned, PILCH RANCH, LLC, a Wyoming limited liability company, (hereinafter referred to as "OWNER", whether one or more) and whose members consist exclusively of: Anna Pilch, individually and as Trustee of the Anna Pilch Trust Dated 7/23/ 1985; Edward S. Pilch; Joe A. Pilch; and Marilyn Pilch Wolter, for and in consideration of Ten and More Dollars (\$10.00+) in hand paid, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, does hereby grant, sell and convey unto BEAR PAW ENERGY, LLC, 1625 Broadway. Suite 2300, Denver, Colorado 80202, its successors and assigns (hereinafter referred to as "COMPANY") a right of way and casement Seventy Five feet (75'), for the purpose of laying, constructing, maintaining, operating, replacing and removing the gas pipeline(s) (with fittings cathodic protection equipment and all appliances appurtenant thereto) however said Seventy Five (75') right of way and easement shall be reduced to Fifty feet (50') in width for routine maintenance and minor repairs, for the transportation of oil, gas or any other liquids or substances for COMPANY'S operations across lands of OWNER, situated in the County of Sheridan, State of Wyoming, described as follows:

Township 57 North Range 83 West

Section 04: S2NW, N2SW

Section 05: A tract of land lying East and South of the Beatty Gulch Road, situated in the SE and the E2NE, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point which is 1160 feet South from the NE corner of said Section 5 (which said point is also located in the center of the Beatty Gulch Road) thence South 55°50' West 230 feet; thence South 32°20' West 147 feet; thence South 39°45' West 285 feet; thence South 50°30' West 170 feet; thence South 30°20' West 170 feet; thence South 13°00' West 455 feet; thence South 13°00' West 455 feet; thence South 13°00' West 2650 feet to a point, which point is located on the South line of said Section 5; thence East along the South 11ne of Section 5 to the SE corner of said Section 5; thence North along the East boundary line of Section 5 to a point which is South 1160 feet from the NE corner of said Section 5, said point being the point of beginning, said tract containing 119 acres, more or less, corether with all improvements.

OWNER recognizes that an as built plat, subsequent to survey, is attached hereto and recorded as Exhibit "A".

COMPANY shall bury the top of its pipe at least forty-eight inches (48") below the surface of the ground. The undersigned OWNER, his successors, heirs or assigns, reserves all oil, gas and minerals on and under said lands and the right to farm, graze and otherwise fully use and enjoy said lands, provided, however, that COMPANY shall have the right hereafter to cut and keep clear all trees, brush, and other obstructions that may injure, endanger or interfere with the construction and use of said pipeline, or fittings, tie-overs, cathodic protection equipment and appliances appurtenant thereto. COMPANY shall have all privileges necessary or convenient for the full use of the rights herein granted, together with ingress or cgress along with pipelines and over and across said lands. COMPANY, by acceptance hereof, agrees to pay for actual damages to crops, pasture, fences and timber which may arise from laying, construction, maintaining, operating, repairing, replacing, or removing said pipeline(s).

COMPANY agrees to comply with all applicable state and local regulations.

COMPANY shall indemnify, defend and save and hold harmless OWNER from any and all claims, demands, causes of action, or liability for damages, loss or injuries that arise out of COMPANY'S operations on the land.

COMPANY shall restore the land as soon as practicable after the pipelines are completed. Restoration shall be made as near as possible to the condition when COMPANY first entered onto the land.

OWNER hereby warrants and agrees to defend the title to the above-described premises. OWNER shall have the use of such right of way and casement except for any use which conflicts with the purposes for which this right of way and casement is granted; provided, however, OWNER shall not build or construct nor permit to be built or constructed any building or other improvement over or across said right of way and easement.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD said right of way and easement unto said COMPANY, its successors and assigns, until such pipelines are constructed and so long thereafter as a pipeline is maintained thereon; and the undersigned hereby bind themselves, their heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns, against every person whomsoever lawfully claiming or to claim the same, or any part thereof.

Executed this 20 day of January, 2001.

OWNER:

PILCH RANCH, LLC

BY: Anna Pilch, Individually and as

Trustee of the Anna Pilch Agreement of Trust, dated July 23, 1985, Member of Pilch Ranch, LLC

OWNER:

COMPANY:

BY: Don H. Littleton, agent

BEAR PAW ENERGY, LL

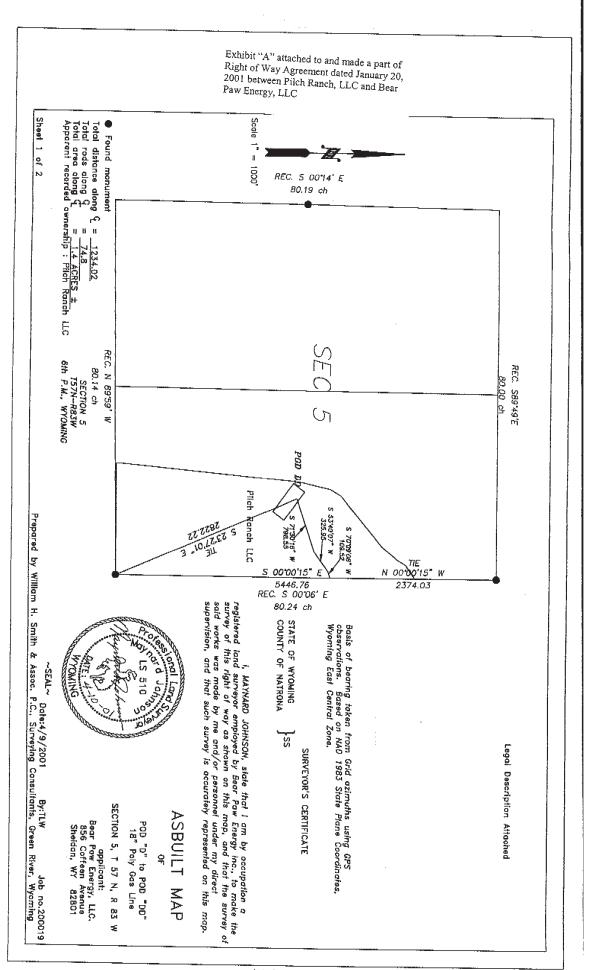
OWNER:

BY: Joe A. Pilch, Member

BY: Marilyn Pilch Wolter, Member

# **ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

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The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this $\underline{20th}$ and as Trustee of the Anna Pilch Agreement of Trust, dated July 23, 1985,	day of <u>January</u> 2001, by Anna Pilch, Individually member of Pilch Ranch, LLC.
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LEGAL DESCRIPTION
TO ACCOMPANY MAP OF
POD "D" TO POD "DD"
18" POLY GAS LINE
RIGHT-OF-WAY EASEMENT
SECTION 5, T 57 N, R 83 W

A strip of land for the purpose of right of way located in Section 5, T 57 N, R 83 W of the Sixth Principal Meridian, Sheridan County, Wyoming. Right of Way is 50 feet in width 25 feet on either side of the following described centerline:

Beginning at a point(Sta. 20+72.35) on the East line of Section 5 T57N, R83W, from which the Northeast corner of Section 5 T57N, R83W bears N00°00'15"W, a distance of 2374.03 feet:

thence: S70-09'08"W, along said pipeline centerline 109.52 feet, to a point(Sta. 21+81.87):

thence: \$53°40'07"W, along said pipeline centerline 325.95 feet, to a point(Sta. 25+07.82):

thence: \$71°30′16″W, along said pipeline centerline 798.55 feet, to a point(\$ta. 33+06.37), being the end of said pipeline centerline, from which the Southeast corner of Section 5 bears \$23°27'01″E a distance of 2822.22 feet.

Said right of way is 1234.02 feet in length, or 74.8 rods, and contains 1.4 acres  $\pm$ .

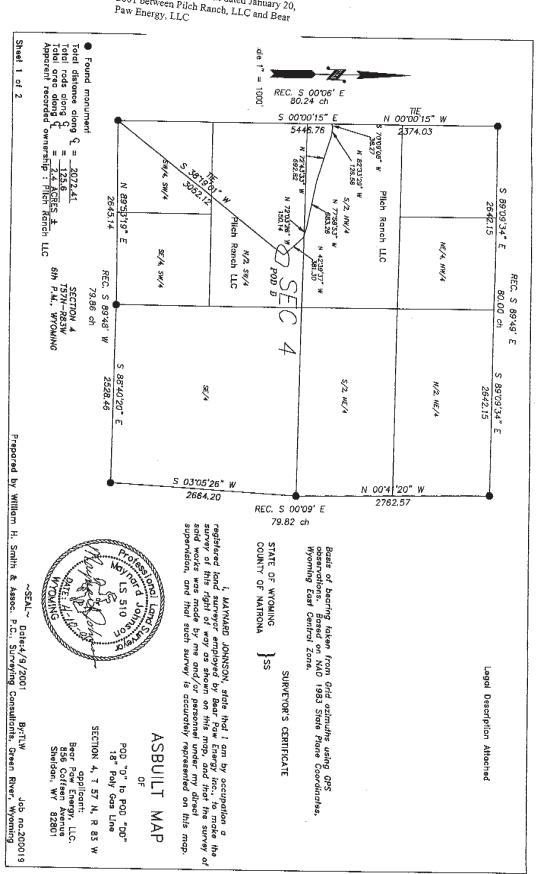
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A strip of land for the purpose of right of way located in Section 4, T 57 N, R 83 W of the Sixth Principal Meridian, Sheridan County, Wyoming. Right of Way is 50 feet in width 25 feet on either side of the following described centerline:

Beginning at a point(Sta. 0+00.00) being the point of beginning, from which the Southwest corner of Section 4 T57N, R83W bears S38\*19'01"W, a distance of 3052.12 feet:

thence: N42'39'37"W, along said pipeline centerline 381.30 feet, to a point(Sta. 3+81.30):

thence: N72°03'26"W, along said pipeline centerline 150.14 feet, to a point(Sta. 5+31.44):

thence: N77°58'53"W. along said pipeline centerline 683.26 feet, to a point(Sta. 12+14.70):

thence: N72\*43'33"W, along said pipeline centerline 692.82 feet, to a point(Sta. 19+07.52):

thence: N82°33′29″W, along said pipeline centerline 126.56 feet, to a point(Sta. 20+34.08):

thence: \$70°09'08"W, along sold pipeline centerline 38.27 feet, to a point(Sta. 20+72.35), on the West line of Section 4 T57N, R83W, from which the Northwest corner of Section 4 bears N00°00'15"W a distance of 2374.03 feet.

Said right of way is 2072.41 feet in length, or 125.6 rods, and contains 2.4 acres  $\pm$ .

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Exhibit "A" attached to and made a part of Right of Way Agreement dated January 20, 2001 between Pilch Ranch, LLC and Bear Paw Energy, LLC Sheet 1 of 2 Scale 1" = 1000" Total distance along \( \) = \( \frac{2451.16}{15.2} \)

Total rods along \( \) = \( \frac{149.2}{2.8 \text{ ACRES } \text{ 4.61}} \)

Apparent recorded ownership : Plich Ranch LLC Found monument REC \$ 0074' 80.19 ch REC № 89'59' W SECTION 5 T57N-R83W 6th P.M., WYOMING REC. S 89'49' E 80.14 ch 80.00 ch  $\Omega$ 5 00'11'26" W 1216,47 \$ 02'57'23" 1044.70 PHICH Ranch ELC S 00'00'15" E 1322.4 Prepared by William H. Smith & Assoc. P.C., Surveying Consultonis, Green River, Wyoming 5446.76 REC. S 00°06' E 80.24 ch i, MAYNARD JOHNSON, state that I am by occupation a registered land surveyor employed by Bear Paw Energy Inc., to make the survey of this right of way as shown on this map, and that the survey of said works was made by me and/or personnel under my direct supervision, and that such survey is accurately represented on this map. STATE OF WYOMING COUNTY OF NATRONA Basis of bearing taken from Grid azimuths using GPS observations. Based on NAD 1983 State Plane Coordinates, Wyoming East Central Zone. ~SEAL~ SS Legal Description Attached SURVEYOR'S CERTIFICATE POD "OD" to 10 ACRE 16" Steel Trunkline RIGHT OF WAY EASEMENT SECTION 5, T 57 N, R 83 W applicant:
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Beginning at a point(Sta. 0+00.00) being the point of beginning, from which the Southeast corner of Section 5 T57N, R83W bears \$25°13'21"E, a distance of 2688.31 feet:

thence: \$36°28'30"W, along said pipeline centerline 199.99 feet, to a point(Sta. 1+99.99):

thence: S02°57′23″W, along said pipeline centerline 1044.70 feet, to a point(Sta. 12+44.69):

thence: S00°11'26"W, along sold pipeline centerline 1216.47 feet, to a point(Sta. 24+61.16), on the South line of Section 5 T57N, R83W, from which the Southeast corner of Section 5 bears 589'30'20"E a distance of 1322.44 feet.

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