THE PARTIES HERETO DO GIVE NOTICE that they, on the _ day of October, 2000, did enter into an agreement whereby <u>Texaco Inc.</u>, hereinafter referred to as "Owner" did grant to RT Communications, Inc., a Wyoming Corporation; Range Telephone Cooperative, Inc. a Montana Corporation and Advanced Communications Technology, Inc., a Montana Corporation, collectively as "Grantees", their successors and assigns, a twenty (20) foot wide perpetual right-of-way and easement over, across, under and upon the surface of certain lands owned in Sheridan and Johnson Counties, Wyoming, more specifically described as follows:

A strip of land 20 feet wide across the W_2 of Section 10 and across the N_2 of Section 15 and abutting the easterly right-of-way boundary of U.S. Highway 87 across the SE¼ of Section 15 and the SW¼ of Section 14, Township 53 North, Range 83 West of the 6th P.M., Sheridan County, Wyoming.

And strip of land 20 feet wide being parallel to and abutting the easterly right-of-way boundary of U.S. Highway 87, Piney Creek Road; and the easterly and westerly right-of-way boundary of a now private road (Old Highway 87) across the W½ of Section 23, the NW¼ and E½ of Section 26, the SW¼ of Section 25, and the W½ and SE¼ of Section 36, Township 53 North, Range 83 West of the 6th P.M., Johnson County, Wyoming.

And a strip of land 20 feet wide across the NW¼ of Section 1 and the NE¼ of Section 2 and being parallel to and abutting the easterly right-of-way boundary of Interstate Highway I-70 across the SE% of Section 2, the E½ of Section 11, the NE¼ of Section 14, the W½ and SE¼ of Section 13, the NW¼ and E½ of Section 24, Township 52 North, Range 83 West of the 5th P.M., Johnson County, Wyoming.

And a strip of land 20 feet wide being parallel to and abutting the easterly right-of-way boundary of Interstate Highway 1-90 across the SW¼ of Section 19, the N½ and SE¼ of Section 30 and across the W½ of Section 29, and the NW¼ and E½ of Section 32, Township 52 North, Range 82 West of the $6^{\rm lh}$ P.M., Johnson County, Wyoming.

And more particularly depicted on the map or drawing attached as Exhibit "A".

This right-of-way and easement of ingress and egress is granted for the purpose of constructing, reconstructing, maintaining, operating, repairing, inspecting, surveying, altering, abandoning, replacing and/or removing above and below ground communications facilities and equipment, and to license, permit or otherwise agree to the joint occupancy of said right-of-way and easement by any other person, firm or corporation for public utility purposes.

All provisions of the right-of-way grant are appurtenant to and run with the land. The right-of-way and easement burdens the property of the Owner on which the easement and right-of-way is located, and is binding upon and inures to the benefit of successors and assigns of each of the parties to this agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Owner herein has executed this agreement on this 29^{-71} 2000.

OWNER:

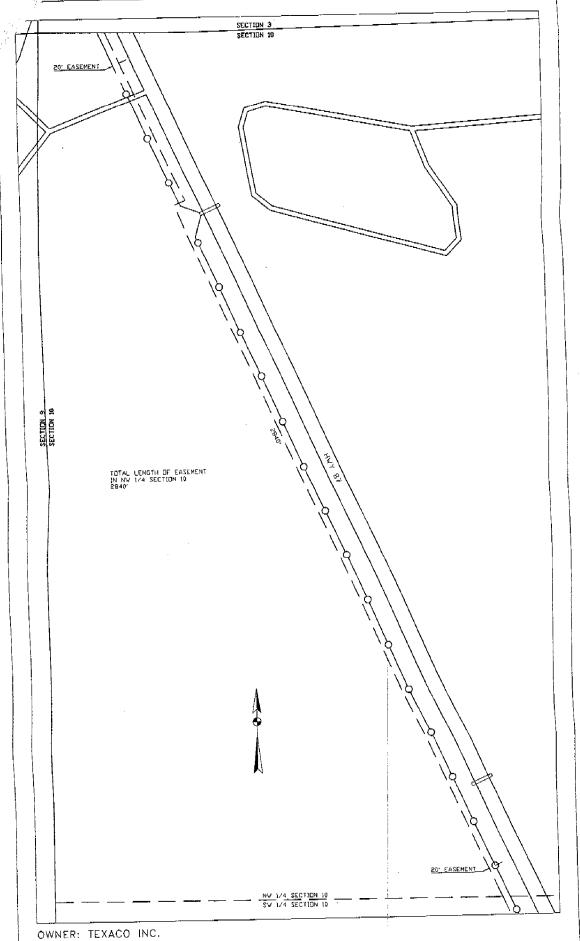
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to me personally day of October, 2000, before me appeared known, who, being by me duly sworn, did say that he is the file section in of Texaco Inc. >ela-uMce corporation and that the seal affixed to said instrument is th ate seal of said corporation, and that said instrument we and scaled in behalf of said corporation by authority of its Board of Directors and said said instrument to be the free act and deed of said corporation.

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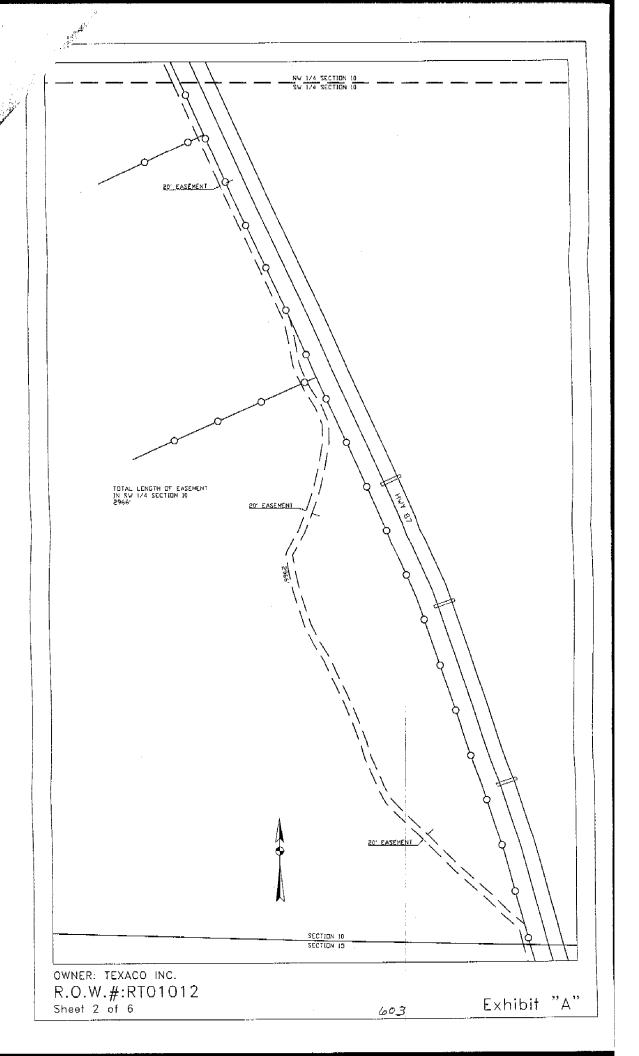
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Qualified in Westchester County
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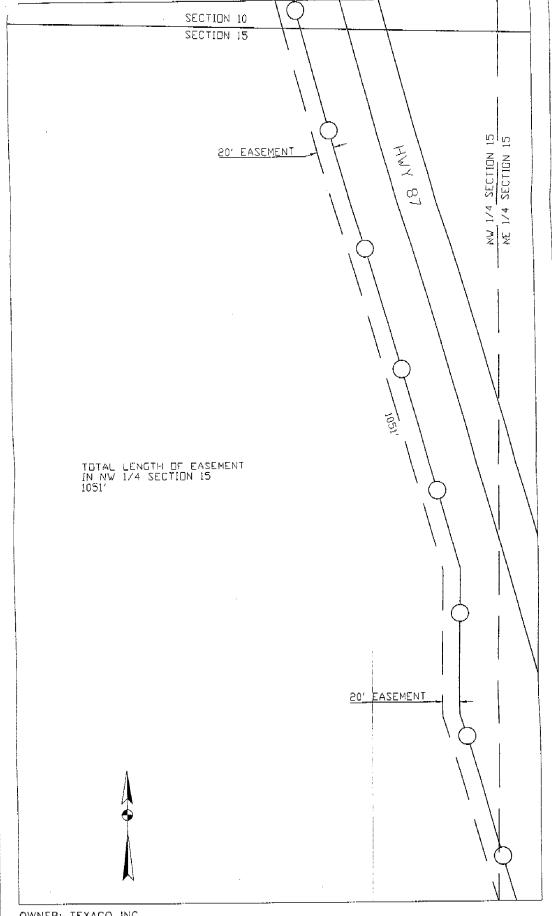
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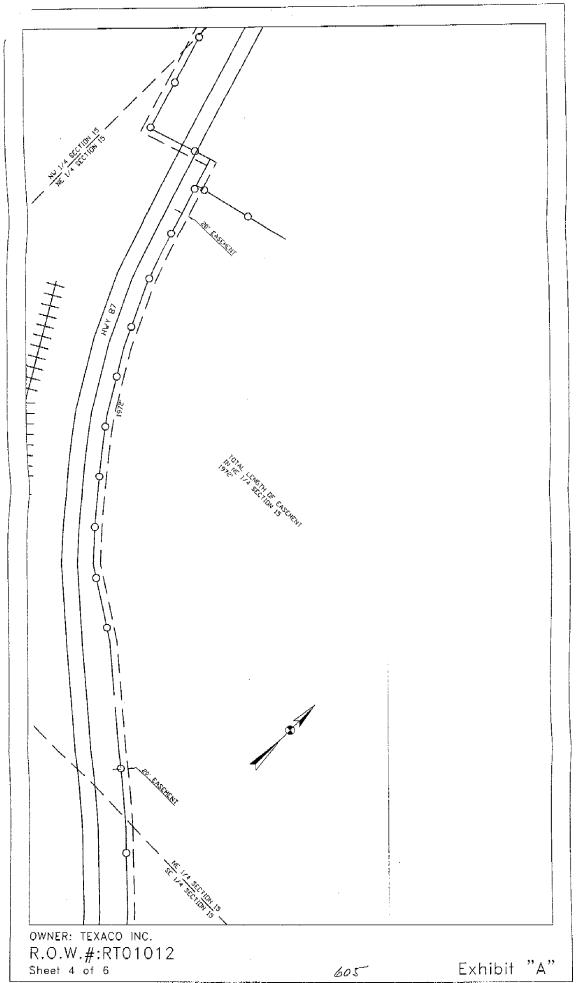
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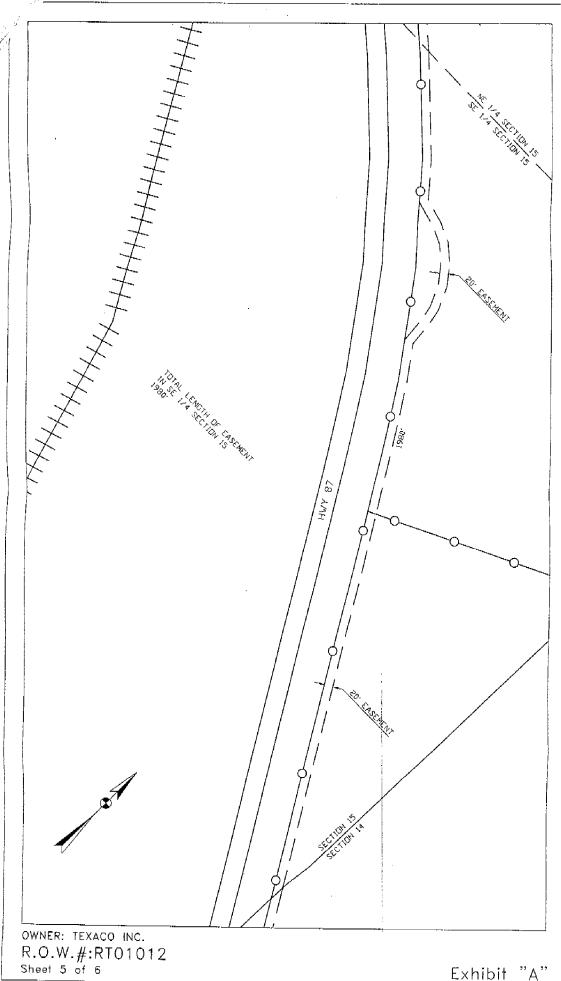


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