RECORDED JUNE 29, 2001 BK 424 PG 662 NO 379854 AUDREY KOLTISKA, COUNTY CLERK

RIGHT OF WAY AGREEMENT

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: that the undersigned (hereinafter referred to as "OWNER", whether one or more), for and in consideration of Ten and More Dollars (\$10.00+) in hand paid, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledge, does hereby grant, sell and convey unto Bear Paw Energy, LLC, 370 17th Street, Suite 2775, Denver, Colorado 80202-1370, its successors and assigns (hereinafter referred to as "COMPANY") a right of way and easement Fifty feet (50') in width where the diameter of the gas pipeline is equal to or less than twelve inches (12"), and a right of way and easement Seventy Five feet (75') in width where the diameter of the gas pipeline is greater than twelve inches (12"), 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 03: NWSW

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 egress 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 easement except for any use which conflicts with the purposes for which this right of way and easement 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 28 day of \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \	, 2000, but agreed by OWNER and COMPANY as being
effective as of the . 22nd day of September, 2000	
OWNER: LPD Ranch Partnership, a Montana General Partnership By David Ross, General Partner	BEAR PAW ENERGY TEC By: Don H. Littleton, as agent



ACKNOWLEDGMENT

My Commission Expires Oct. 13, 2004

Exhibit "A" attached to and made a part of Right of Way Agreement dated November 28, 2000 between LPD Ranch Partnership and Bear Paw Energy, LLC

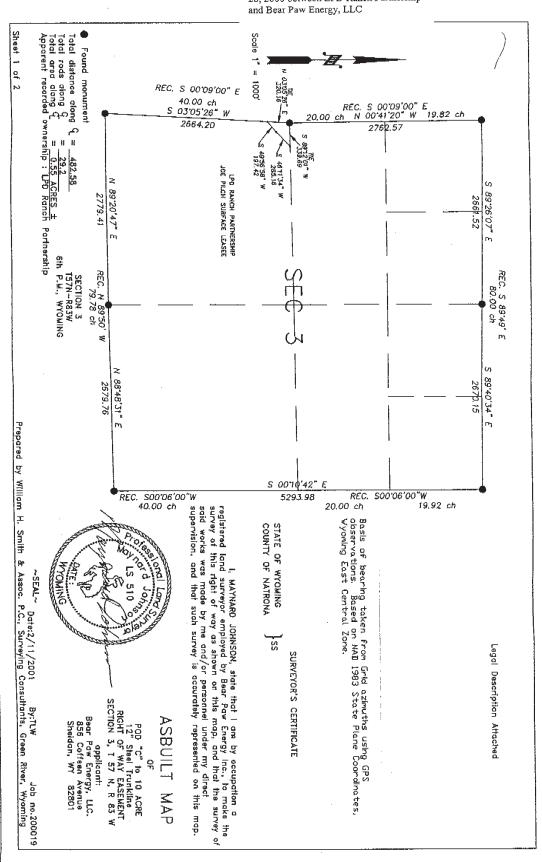


Exhibit "A" attached to and made a part of Right of Way Agreement dated November 28, 2000 between LPD Ranch Partnership and Bear Paw Energy, LLC

LEGAL DESCRIPTION
TO ACCOMPANY MAP OF
POD "C" TO 10 ACRE
12" STEEL TRUNKLINE
RIGHT-OF-WAY EASEMENT
SECTION 3, T 57 N, R 83 W

A strip of land for the purpose of right of way located in Section 3, 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. 10+77.38) on the apparent property line between LPD Ranch Partnership and Anna Pilch, from which the West 1/4 corner of Section 3 T57N, R83W bears S89*12'01"W, a distance of 339.69 feet:

thence: S46*11'34"W, along said pipeline centerline 285.16 feet, to a point(Sta. 13+62.54):

thence: S49°56'58"W, along said pipeline centerline 197.42 feet, to a point(Sta. 15+59.96), on the West line of Section 3 T57N, R83W, from which the West 1/4 corner of said Section 3 bears N03°05'26"E a distance of 320.16 feet.

Said right of way is 482.58 feet in length, or 29.2 rods, and contains 0.55 acres ±.

Basis of bearing taken from Grid azimuths using GPS observation. Based on NAD 1983 State Plane Coordinates, Wyoming East Central Zone.

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applicant: Bear Paw Energy, LLC. 856 Coffeen Avenue Sheridan, WY 82801

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