Affidavit Made Pursuant To Article 1438a, Vernon's Annotated Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas

STATE OF NEW YORK SS.:

Before ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Fred T. Wagner, affiant, who, being duly sworn, on his oath says:

- (1) that he is a Senior Vice President of El Paso Natural Gas Company;
- (2) that the above and foregoing Fifty-sixth Supplemental Indenture to which this affidavit is annexed is an indenture which by its terms subjects to the lien thereof property to be acquired by said Company subsequent to the execution by it of said Indenture; and
- (3) that said El Paso Natural Gas Company, which executed the foregoing Fifty-sixth Supplemental Indenture, owns and operates in the State of Texas gas pipe lines for the transportation and sale of natural gas to other pipe line companies or to local distribution systems, or to municipalities, or to industrial consumers for their own use, and is one of the corporations referred to in Section I of Article 1438a, Vernon's Annotated Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said El Paso Natural Gas Company, this 9th day of November, 1966.

Senior Vice President of El Pase Natural Gas Company

Subscribed and sworn to before me by said Free T. Wagner this 9th day of November, 1966, to certify which witness the hand and seal of office.

L. MATT. MASTERSON Notary Public, State of New York Qualified in Orange County Certificate filed in New York County Commission Expires March 30, 1968

(Note: The foregoing affidavit is included herein to comply with the laws of the State of Texas and was executed only on the counter-parts of this instrument to be recorded or filed in that State and on a limited number of other counterparts.)