

CORRECTNESS OF SAID REPORT OR AUDIT MAY BE SHOWN; PROVIDED, FURTHER, THAT SUCH REPORT OR AUDIT MAY BE ADMITTED IN EVIDENCE ONLY AGAINST THE PARTY BY OR FROM WHOM IT WAS MADE.

(B) IN THE EVENT THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS SHALL FILE SUIT OR CLAIM FOR TAXES, PROVIDED FOR IN THE FOREGOING, AND ATTACH OR FILE AS AN EXHIBIT ANY REPORT OR AUDIT OF SAID PURCHASER OR PRODUCER, AND AN AFFIDAVIT MADE BY THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OR THEIR REPRESENTATIVE THAT THE TAXES SHOWN TO BE DUE BY SAID REPORT OR AUDIT ARE PAST DUE AND UNPAID; THAT ALL PAYMENTS AND CREDITS HAVE BEEN ALLOWED, THEN, UNLESS THE PARTY RESISTING THE SAME SHALL FILE AN ANSWER IN THE SAME FORM AND MANNER AS REQUIRED BY LAW, SAID AUDIT OR REPORT SHALL BE TAKEN AS PRIMA FACIE EVIDENCE THEREOF.

(C) ON NOTICE FROM THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, IT SHALL BE UNLAWFUL FOR ANY PERSON TO PRODUCE OR REMOVE ANY NATURAL AND/OR CASING-HEAD GAS FROM ANY LEASE IN GARRETT COUNTY WHENEVER THE OWNER OR OPERATOR OF SAID LEASE HAS FAILED TO FILE REPORTS AS REQUIRED UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SUB-TITLE.

(D) WHENEVER ANY LEASE PRODUCING NATURAL AND/OR CASING-HEAD GAS CHANGES HANDS OR ANY PURCHASER OF GAS TRANSFERS HIS INTEREST, IT SHALL BE THE DUTY OF THE OWNER OR OPERATOR OF SAID LEASE AND ANY SUCH PURCHASER OF GAS TO NOTE ON HIS LAST REPORT THAT SAID LEASE OR INTEREST HAS BEEN SOLD OR TRANSFERRED, SHOWING THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF SAID CHANGE AND THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE INDIVIDUAL, FIRM, ASSOCIATION, JOINT STOCK COMPANY, SYNDICATE, CO-PARTNERSHIP, CORPORATION, AGENCY, OR RECEIVER WHO WILL OPERATE SAID LEASE, OR WHO BOUGHT SAID INTEREST AND WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE FILING OF REPORTS PROVIDED FOR IN THIS SUB-TITLE. IT FURTHER SHALL BE THE DUTY OF THE NEW OWNER OR OPERATOR OF SAID LEASE OR INTEREST TO NOTE ON HIS FIRST REPORT THAT SAID LEASE OR IN-