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1	STATE OF NEW MEXICO
2	ENERGY, MINERAL AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT
3	OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
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5	TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS
6	DOCKET NO. 12-16: EXAMINER HEARING
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8	BEFORE: MICHAEL McMILLAN, Lead Examiner
9	DAVID K. BROOKS, Legal Examiner WILLIAM JONES, Examiner
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11	March 31, 2016
12	Santa Fe, New Mexico
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14	This matter came on for hearing before the New
15	Mexico Oil Conservation Division, MICHAEL McMILLAN,
16	Lead Examiner, and DAVID K. BROOKS, Legal Examiner,
17	and WILLIAM JONES, Examiner, on Thursday, March 31,
18	2016, at the New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural
19	Resources Department, 1220 South St. Francis Drive,
20	Room 102, Santa Fe, New Mexico.
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- 1 EXAMINER McMILLAN: Good morning. I would
- 2 like to call to order. Today's date is March 31,
- 3 2016. This is Docket Number 12-16.
- 4 My name is Michael McMillan. I will be
- 5 the lead examiner today.
- 6 We have Mr. Will Jones, who will actually
- 7 be doing the nomenclature case.
- We have David Brooks, attorney.
- 9 What I would like to do now is go through
- 10 the continuances.
- On page 1, Case Number 15463 has been
- 12 continued until April 14.
- Case Number 15464 has been continued until
- 14 April 14.
- 15 Turning to page 2, Case Number 15465 has
- 16 been continued until April 14.
- 17 If you'll turn to page 3, Case Number
- 18 15469 has been dismissed.
- 19 Case Number 15470 has been continued until
- 20 April 14.
- 21 Case Number 15471 has been continued until
- 22 April 14.
- Case Number 15472 has been dismissed.
- 24 Case Number 15442 has been dismissed.
- 25 Turning to page 4, Case Number 15473 has

- 1 been continued until April 14.
- 2 Case Number 15456 has been continued until
- 3 April 14.
- 4 Case Number 15457 has been continued until
- 5 April 14.
- 6 Case Number 15458 has been continued until
- 7 April 14.
- 8 Turning to page 5, Case Number 15459 has
- 9 been continued until April 14.
- 10 Case Number 15460 has been continued until
- 11 April 14.
- 12 Case Number 15461 has been continued until
- 13 April 14.
- We will continue to go through the docket.
- 15 If we continue to go through the docket,
- 16 we're going to go through Case Number 15475.
- 17 MR. BROOKS: Ms. Kessler, did you have
- 18 something to say?
- 19 MS. KESSLER: I would like to make a brief
- 20 statement.
- Mr. Examiners, Case Numbers 15466 and
- 22 15467 have been continued at the agreement of COG
- 23 Operating, LLC, and BC.
- Mr. Bruce had entered an appearance on
- 25 behalf of BC and requested a continuance.

- 1 COG's understanding is that this case will
- 2 be continued for two weeks only; and, therefore,
- 3 agreed to a continuance until April 14 only.
- 4 And Mr. Bruce has a statement if he wishes
- 5 to as well.
- 6 MR. BROOKS: Mr. Bruce is here.
- 7 EXAMINER McMILLAN: I'm sorry. What case
- 8 was that?
- 9 MS. KESSLER: These are cases 15466 and
- 10 15467.
- 11 As I mentioned, BC Operating had requested
- 12 a continuance of these two cases, and COG is willing
- to agree to such a continuance so long as there will
- 14 be no other continuances in this case because of the
- 15 expiration issues.
- MR. BRUCE: That's acceptable.
- 17 EXAMINER McMILLAN: Okay. So 15466 is
- 18 continued until April 14.
- 19 15467 is continued until April 14.
- Now, any other continuances?
- 21 Case Number 15475?
- MR. HERRMANN: Yes, Mr. Examiner.
- 23 Keith Herrmann representing the Oil
- 24 Conservation Division Compliance and Enforcement
- 25 Bureau.

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1	We have agreed to a joint continuance on
2	this case. This case was added to the docket in
3	response to an emergency order. Siana has agreed to
4	remain shut in, since some new information has been
5	discovered since the emergency order was issued.
б	And both parties agree that it would be better to
7	bring in a more complete case on April 14.
8	EXAMINER McMILLAN: Okay. So Case Number
9	15475 shall be continued until April 14.
10	(Proceedings concluded at 8:27 a.m.)
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4	State of New Mexico, do hereby certify that the
5	above and foregoing contains a true and correct
6	record, produced to the best of my ability via
7	machine shorthand and computer-aided transcription,
8	of the proceedings had in this matter.
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