

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

REPORTER'S TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS
COMMISSIONER MEETING
APPROVAL OF AGENDA AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES

July 19, 2016
Santa Fe, New Mexico

BEFORE: DAVID R. CATANACH, CHAIRPERSON
PATRICK PADILLA, COMMISSIONER
DR. ROBERT S. BALCH, COMMISSIONER
BILL BRANCARD, ESQ.

This matter came on for hearing before the
New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission on Tuesday,
July 19, 2016, at the New Mexico Energy, Minerals and
Natural Resources Department, Wendell Chino Building,
1220 South St. Francis Drive, Porter Hall, Room 102,
Santa Fe, New Mexico.

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1 (9:00 a.m.)

2 CHAIRPERSON CATANACH: We'll call the
3 Commission hearing to order this morning. Today's date
4 is July 19th. This is a meeting of the New Mexico Oil
5 Conservation Commission. The time is 9:00 a.m. We are
6 in the Wendell Chino Building at the State of New
7 Mexico. And at this time, I will -- well, this is
8 Commissioner David Catanach. I'm Chairman of the
9 Commission and Director of the Oil Conservation
10 Division.

11 I ask the other Commissioners to introduce
12 themselves, please.

13 COMMISSIONER PADILLA: Patrick Padilla,
14 designee for the State Land Commissioner.

15 COMMISSIONER BALCH: Dr. Robert Balch,
16 designee of the Secretary of Energy and Minerals.

17 CHAIRPERSON CATANACH: Also present is Bill
18 Brancard, the general counsel for the Energy, Minerals
19 and Natural Resources Department and the Commission
20 attorney.

21 For the record, Dr. Balch is calling in via
22 conference phone today. He's not present at the
23 meeting.

24 So at this time, we have a couple of just
25 small items to take care of, to approve the minutes for

1 the June 16th, 2016 Commission meeting.

2 Commissioners, have you had a chance to
3 review the minutes, and do you have any changes to the
4 minutes?

5 COMMISSIONER PADILLA: I've reviewed the
6 minutes, and I have no changes.

7 COMMISSIONER BALCH: I also have no
8 changes.

9 CHAIRPERSON CATANACH: Okay. Do I have a
10 motion to approve the minutes?

11 COMMISSIONER PADILLA: So moved.

12 COMMISSIONER BALCH: And second.

13 CHAIRPERSON CATANACH: Okay. All in favor.
14 (Ayes are unanimous.)

15 CHAIRPERSON CATANACH: Okay. The minutes
16 from the June 16th meeting will be approved.

17 (The proceedings conclude, 9:01 a.m.)

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16 I FURTHER CERTIFY that I am neither
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