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REGULARLY SCHEDULED COMMISSION HEARING
THURSDAY, JUNE 9, 2022

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION:

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William Ampomah:	Commissioner (NM Energy Dept.)
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1 (Time noted 9:03 a.m.)

2 COMMISSION CHAIR SANDOVAL: Good morning,
3 everybody. It is 9:03 on June 9th and this is the
4 regularly scheduled meeting of the Oil Conservation
5 Commission. I am Adrienne Sandoval, the Chair of the Oil
6 Conservation Commission and Director of the Oil
7 Conservation Division.

8 Would the commissioners please introduce
9 themselves for the record.

10 COMMISSIONER BLOOM: Yes, Madam Chair. My name
11 is Greg Bloom. I am the designee of the Commissioner of
12 Public Lands. Thank you.

13 COMMISSIONER AMPOMAH: I am Dr. William Ampomah.
14 I am a professor at New Mexico Tech and Designee of the
15 Secretary of Energy. Thank you.

16 COMMISSION CHAIR SANDOVAL: Also With us is
17 Florene Davidson, Clerk to the Commission, and Chris
18 Moander, Counsel to the Commission.

19 All right. Is there a motion for approval
20 and adoption of the agenda?

21 COMMISSIONER BLOOM: Madam Chair I so move.

22 COMMISSION CHAIR SANDOVAL: Actually, I'm
23 sorry, hold on a second. I'm sorry. Never mind. I was
24 looking at the wrong agenda version. So go ahead.

25 COMMISSIONER BLOOM: Okay. Madam Chair, I move

1 to approve the agenda for today's meeting.

2 COMMISSION CHAIR SANDOVAL: Thank you.

3 COMMISSIONER AMPOMAH: Madam Chair, I do second.

4 COMMISSION CHAIR SANDOVAL: Mr. Moander, would
5 you please do a roll call vote.

6 MR. MOANDER: Happily, Madam Chair.

7 Commissioner Ampomah.

8 COMMISSIONER AMPOMAH: Approved.

9 MR. MOANDER: Commissioner Bloom.

10 COMMISSIONER AMPOMAH: Approved.

11 COMMISSION CHAIR SANDOVAL: Madam Chair.

12 COMMISSION CHAIR SANDOVAL: Approved.

13 MR. MOANDER: The motion carries.

14 COMMISSION CHAIR SANDOVAL: Thank you. Is there
15 a motion to approve the June 3rd meeting minutes?

16 COMMISSIONER BLOOM: Madam Chair, I so move.

17 COMMISSIONER AMPOMAH: Madam Chair, I second.

18 COMMISSION CHAIR SANDOVAL: Would you please do
19 a roll call vote, Mr. Moander.

20 MR. MOANDER: Yes, Madam Chair.

21 Dr. Ampomah.

22 COMMISSIONER AMPOMAH: Approved.

23 MR. MOANDER: Commissioner Bloom.

24 COMMISSIONER AMPOMAH: Approved.

25 COMMISSION CHAIR SANDOVAL: Madam Chair.

1 COMMISSION CHAIR SANDOVAL: Approved.

2 MR. MOANDER: The motion carries.

3 COMMISSION CHAIR SANDOVAL: Thank you.

4 All right. The next item on the agenda is
5 review and voting on the Order in de novo Case No. 22474,
6 OCD Case No. 22294, Application of COG Operating for
7 Compulsory Pooling.

8 (Note: Transcribed under separate cover.)

9 COMMISSION CHAIR SANDOVAL: Okay. Thank you.

10 All right. Great. Now moving on to Item
11 No. 5, motion hearing and status conference of De Novo
12 Case No. 21744, which was Application of Cimarex for De
13 Novo Hearing.

14 (Note: Case No. 21744 Transcribed under
15 separate cover.)

16 COMMISSION CHAIR SANDOVAL: Were you going to
17 say something, Mr. Moander?

18 MR. MOANDER: I was actually assuming you call
19 the next case, 22309 -- I don't actually see any
20 counsel with us today, but I've got a few things I want to
21 address once we get to that.

22 (Note: Case No. 22309 transcribed under
23 separate cover.)

24 COMMISSION CHAIR SANDOVAL: Okay. Is there an
25 update on pending litigation?

1 MR. MOANDER: Madam Chair, nothing has changed
2 from my last report just over a week ago. I have no
3 insight into what the Court of Appeals is doing, so I
4 would -- but I would like to think that we should get
5 something from them in the relatively near future, as this
6 matter has been sitting before it since approximately
7 Thanksgiving of '21.

8 So nothing new.

9 COMMISSION CHAIR SANDOVAL: Okay. Is there any
10 other business before the Commission?

11 Hearing none, our next meeting is on July
12 14, 2022. With that, it is 10:20 and we will adjourn for
13 the day.

14 (Time noted 10:20 a.m.)

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