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STATE OF NEW MEXICO

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED BY THE OIL
CONSERVATION DIVISION FOR THE PURPOSE OF
CONSIDERING:

ORIGINAL

PREHEARING MATTERS

JULY 28, 2011
9:00 a.m.
1220 St. Francis Drive
Santa Fe, New Mexico

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JAMI BAILEY, Chairwoman
SCOTT DAWSON
ROBERT BALCH
MARK SMITH, Assistant General Counsel

1 (Note: In session at 9:00)

2 CHAIRWOMAN BAILEY: Today is the meeting
3 of the Oil Conervation Commission on Thursday, July
4 28th in Porter Hall in Santa Fe, New Mexico. The
5 Commission: Scott Dawson, who is the designee of
6 the Commissioner of Public Lands; Robert Balch, who
7 is designee of the Secretary of Energy and Natural
8 Resources; to Scott's right is Florene Davidson, the
9 Commission Clerk; to Bob's left is Mark Smith,
10 Counsel for the Commission; and Jan is our court
11 reporter today.

12 Have the commissioners had a chance to
13 read the Minutes of the previous hearing?

14 MR. BALCH: Yes.

15 MR. DAWSON: Yes.

16 CHAIRWOMAN BAILEY: Is there a motion to
17 adopt the Minutes?

18 MR. BALCH: Yes.

19 MR. DAWSON: I second.

20 CHAIRWOMAN BAILEY: All in favor? All
21 those opposed? Then I will sign on behalf of the
22 Commission. Have the commissioners have a chance to
23 read the draft order granting the Motion to Amend
24 the Order No. R 12546?

25 MR. DAWSON: I have.

1 MR. BALCH: Yes.

2 CHAIRWOMAN BAILEY: Is there a motion to
3 adopt this order?

4 MR. BALCH: I will move to adopt.

5 MR. DAWSON: Second.

6 CHAIRWOMAN BAILEY: All in favor? All
7 opposed? We will give the Order and Minutes to the
8 Commission Secretary.

9 CHAIRWOMAN BAILEY: On the docket today we
10 have some cases that will be continued. I would
11 like to go ahead and take care of those right now.
12 Case No. ~~14497~~ Application of David H. Arrington
13 Oil and Gas for Compulsory Cooling, Lea County New
14 Mexico, and Case 14538, Application of Marshall &
15 Winston, Incorporated to Cancel an Operator's
16 Authority and Terminate a Spacing Unit and Approve a
17 Change of Operator in Lea County, New Mexico have
18 both been continued to the August 25, 2011
19 commission hearing.

20 We will deliberate the de novo case 14472
21 following testimony of today's hearing so that
22 there's no time pressure for those deliberations.

23 (Note: The prehearing matters were
24 concluded.)

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REPORTER'S CERTIFICATE

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I, JAN GIBSON, Certified Court Reporter for the State of New Mexico, do hereby certify that I reported the foregoing proceedings in stenographic shorthand and that the foregoing pages are a true and correct transcript of those proceedings and was reduced to printed form under my direct supervision.

I FURTHER CERTIFY that I am neither employed by nor related to any of the parties or attorneys in this case and that I have no interest in the final disposition of this case.



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