

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

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

ORIGINAL

APPLICATION OF MRC PERMIAN
COMPANY FOR COMPULSORY POOLING
AND APPROVAL OF AN UNORTHODOX
GAS WELL LOCATION, EDDY COUNTY,
NEW MEXICO.

CASE NO. 15245

REPORTER'S TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS

EXAMINER HEARING

March 19, 2015

Santa Fe, New Mexico

BEFORE: PHILLIP GOETZE, CHIEF EXAMINER
GABRIEL WADE, LEGAL EXAMINER

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This matter came on for hearing before the
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division, Phillip Goetze,
Chief Examiner, and Gabriel Wade, Legal Examiner, on
Thursday, March 19, 2015, 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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14 EXHIBITS OFFERED AND ADMITTED

15	MRC Permian Company Exhibit Number 12	4
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1 (9:43 a.m.)

2 EXAMINER GOETZE: As agreed upon prior, we
3 will go ahead to Case 15245, application of MRC Permian
4 Company for compulsory pooling and approval of an
5 unorthodox gas well location.

6 Call for appearances.

7 MR. BRUCE: Mr. Examiner, Jim Bruce of
8 Santa Fe representing the Applicant. I just have a
9 brief statement and notice exhibits to submit.

10 My brief statement is that yesterday I was
11 told that MRC Permian has reached agreement with all of
12 the interest owners and forced pooling is no longer
13 required.

14 EXAMINER GOETZE: Congratulations
15 (laughter).

16 MR. BRUCE: It only took four months.

17 The only thing left is -- and this is a
18 Wolfcamp well, and it's an unorthodox location request.
19 And I submit the Affidavit of Notice because there was
20 one offset, Plantation Operating, LLC, which disappeared
21 somewhere along the line, so notice was published as
22 against them.

23 I'd move the admission of Exhibit 12 and
24 ask that the matter be taken under advisement for the
25 unorthodox location portion.

1 EXAMINER GOETZE: So in Case 15245, Exhibit
2 Number 12 is so accepted.

3 As requested by counsel, the compulsory
4 pooling request shall be dropped from the application.

5 Case 15245 is taken under advisement.

6 Thank you.

7 (MRC Permian Company Exhibit Number 12 was
8 offered and admitted into evidence.)

9 (Case Number 15245 concludes, 9:45 a.m.)

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I do hereby certify that the foregoing is
a complete record of the proceedings in
the Examiner hearing of Case No. 15245
heard by me on March 19, 2015
Philip V. Goetze, Examiner
Oil Conservation Division

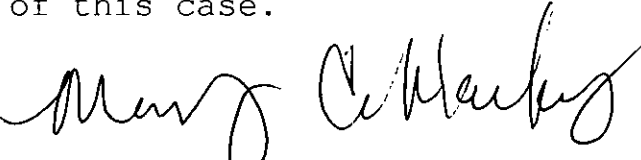
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4 CERTIFICATE OF COURT REPORTER

5 I, MARY C. HANKINS, New Mexico Certified
6 Court Reporter No. 20, and Registered Professional
7 Reporter, do hereby certify that I reported the
8 foregoing proceedings in stenographic shorthand and that
9 the foregoing pages are a true and correct transcript of
10 those proceedings that were reduced to printed form by
11 me to the best of my ability.

12 I FURTHER CERTIFY that the Reporter's
13 Record of the proceedings truly and accurately reflects
14 the exhibits, if any, offered by the respective parties.

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

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