

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: )  
APPLICATION OF DEVON ENERGY PRODUCTION )  
COMPANY, L.P., FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, )  
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO )

CASE NO. 13,840

ORIGINAL

REPORTER'S TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS

EXAMINER HEARING

BEFORE: DAVID R. CATANACH, Hearing Examiner

January 4th, 2007

Santa Fe, New Mexico

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This matter came on for hearing before the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division, DAVID R. CATANACH, Hearing Examiner, on Thursday, January 4th, 2007, at the New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department, 1220 South Saint Francis Drive, Room 102, Santa Fe, New Mexico, Steven T. Brenner, Certified Court Reporter No. 7 for the State of New Mexico.

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REPORTER'S CERTIFICATE

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## A P P E A R A N C E S

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1           WHEREUPON, the following proceedings were had at  
2 9:07 a.m.:

3           EXAMINER CATANACH: Call Case 13,840, the  
4 Application of Devon Energy Production Company, L.P., for  
5 compulsory pooling, Eddy County, New Mexico.

6           Call for appearances in this case.

7           MR. BRUCE: Mr. Examiner, Jim Bruce of Santa Fe,  
8 representing the Applicant. I just have a brief statement.

9           EXAMINER CATANACH: Any additional appearances?  
10 You may proceed, Mr. Bruce.

11          MR. BRUCE: Mr. Examiner, this case was heard, I  
12 think, on December 13th, and there was one company, Amity  
13 Oil Company, Inc., for which I did not have a green card,  
14 even though we believe the address to be valid. And this  
15 matter was continued to provide evidence that they have  
16 received notice of the hearing.

17          Since then Amity Oil has reached agreement with  
18 the parties, and so we ask that they be dismissed from the  
19 pooling case and that the matter be taken under advisement.

20          EXAMINER CATANACH: So Devon has reached an  
21 agreement with Amity?

22          MR. BRUCE: Devon or one of its other working  
23 interest partners, perhaps Marbob.

24          EXAMINER CATANACH: So they are now --

25          MR. BRUCE: But we do not seek to force pool

1 them.

2 EXAMINER CATANACH: So they're participating in  
3 the well in some form?

4 MR. BRUCE: In some form.

5 EXAMINER CATANACH: Can you provide us with just  
6 a statement, a written statement, to that effect, Mr.  
7 Bruce?

8 MR. BRUCE: (Nods)

9 EXAMINER CATANACH: Okay, anything further?

10 MR. BRUCE: (Shakes head)

11 EXAMINER CATANACH: Nothing further in the case,  
12 Case 13,840 will be taken under advisement.

13 (Thereupon, these proceedings were concluded at  
14 9:08 a.m.)

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17 I do hereby certify that the foregoing is  
18 a complete record of the proceedings in  
19 the Examiner hearing of Case No. 13840,  
20 heard by me on January 4, 2007.  
David R. Catant, Examiner  
21 Oil Conservation Division  
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## CERTIFICATE OF REPORTER

STATE OF NEW MEXICO )  
 ) ss.  
 COUNTY OF SANTA FE )

I, Steven T. Brenner, Certified Court Reporter and Notary Public, HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing transcript of proceedings before the Oil Conservation Division was reported by me; that I transcribed my notes; and that the foregoing is a true and accurate record of the proceedings.

I FURTHER CERTIFY that I am not a relative or employee of any of the parties or attorneys involved in this matter and that I have no personal interest in the final disposition of this matter.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL January 8th, 2007.



STEVEN T. BRENNER  
 CCR No. 7

My commission expires: October 16th, 2010