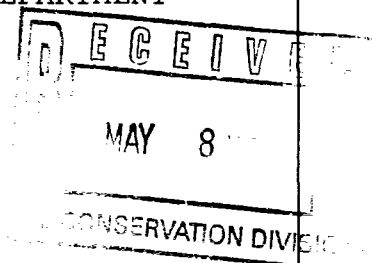


STATE OF NEW MEXICO
 ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT
 OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION



IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING)
 CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION)
 DIVISION FOR THE PURPOSE OF)
 CONSIDERING:)
)
 APPLICATION OF PLAINS PETROLEUM)
 OPERATING CORPORATION)
 _____)

CASE NO. 11,276

ORIGINAL

REPORTER'S TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS

EXAMINER HEARING

BEFORE: DAVID R. CATANACH, Hearing Examiner

May 4th, 1995

Santa Fe, New Mexico

This matter came on for hearing before the Oil Conservation Division on Thursday, May 4th, 1995, at the New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department, Porter Hall, 2040 South Pacheco, Santa Fe, New Mexico, before 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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1 WHEREUPON, the following proceedings were had at
2 8:39 a.m.:

3 EXAMINER CATANACH: At this time, let me call
4 Case 11,276, which is the Application of Plains Petroleum
5 Operating Corporation for directional drilling and an
6 unorthodox bottomhole oil well location, Lea County, New
7 Mexico.

8 This case is styled such that in the absence of
9 objection, this case will be taken under advisement.

10 Are there any appearances or objections to this
11 Application at this time?

12 There being none, Case 11,276 will be taken under
13 advisement.

14 (Thereupon, these proceedings were concluded at
15 8:39 a.m.)

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22 I do hereby certify that the foregoing is
a complete record of the proceedings in
the Examiner's hearing of Case No. 11276,
23 heard by me on May 4 1998.

24 David R. Catanach, Examiner
25 Oil Conservation Division


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 May 12th, 1995.



STEVEN T. BRENNER
CCR No. 7

My commission expires: October 14, 1998

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