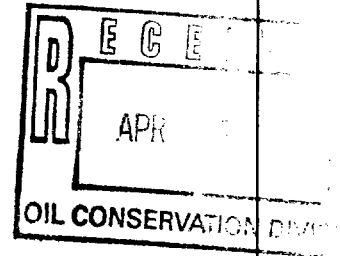


STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
CASE NOS. 11,352, 11,468, 11,298



CONTINUED AND DISMISSED CASES  
CASES AWAITING FINAL COMMISSION ACTION  
TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS

ORIGINAL

BEFORE: WILLIAM J. LEMAY, CHAIRMAN  
WILLIAM WEISS, COMMISSIONER  
JAMI BAILEY, COMMISSIONER

April 11th, 1996  
Santa Fe, New Mexico

These matters came on for hearing before the Oil Conservation Commission, WILLIAM J. LEMAY, Chairman, on Thursday, April 11th, 1996, at the New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department, Porter Hall, 2040 South Pacheco, Santa Fe, New Mexico, Steven T. Brenner, Certified Court Reporter No. 7 for the State of New Mexico.

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1           WHEREUPON, the following proceedings were had at  
2   9:00 a.m.:

3           CHAIRMAN LEMAY: Good morning, this is the Oil  
4   Conservation Commission. My name is Bill LeMay, Chairman  
5   of the Commission. To my left is Commissioner Bill Weiss,  
6   to my right Commissioner Jami Bailey representing the  
7   Commissioner of Public Lands. Welcome to our meeting  
8   today.

9           We shall start by calling Case Number 11,352,  
10   which is the matter called by the Oil Conservation Division  
11   to amend Rule 116 of the General Rules and regulations.

12           My understanding is that this case will be  
13   continued. Is there a date which you want this case  
14   continued to?

15           MS. ANDREWS: I'm not sure -- I'm Ruth Andrews --

16           CHAIRMAN LEMAY: Yes, Ruth?

17           MS. ANDREWS: -- New Mexico Oil and Gas. I'm not  
18   sure what date has been set. Roger, have you been told  
19   where we're headed?

20           MR. ANDERSON: There wasn't anything discussed at  
21   the Committee as to how long it was going to take to  
22   continue -- to finish the work.

23           MS. ANDREWS: We're at a fairly complicated part  
24   of the negotiating right now, and it might take as much as  
25   two or more months to get through this part of it.

1           CHAIRMAN LEMAY: And then you still have more to  
2 look at?

3           MS. ANDREWS: Yes.

4           CHAIRMAN LEMAY: Well, if we continued the case  
5 for four months, and then if you needed more time, we can  
6 always give you -- Is that acceptable?

7           MS. ANDREWS: I think that's perfect.

8           CHAIRMAN LEMAY: Let's continue this case to the  
9 August hearing of the Commission. We don't have a date as  
10 of yet, but we need to get some Commission dates through  
11 the last half of the year also. But it will be the  
12 Commission date in August.

13           Without objection, Case Number 11,352, dealing  
14 with amending Rule 116, will be continued to the August  
15 Commission hearing.

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17           Before we get into the one case we will be  
18 considering today, we do have some business to take care  
19 of.

20           Before you, fellow Commissioners, I think you  
21 have the proration order, which we heard on the February  
22 hearing, and is it your intent to take final action and  
23 sign this order today?

24           COMMISSIONER BAILEY: Yes, it is.

25           CHAIRMAN LEMAY: Thank you, Commissioner Bailey.

1 Commissioner Weiss?

2 COMMISSIONER WEISS: Yes.

3 CHAIRMAN LEMAY: Thank you.

4 Let the record show that final action has been  
5 taken on Case Number 11,468, which is the proration order.

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7 CHAIRMAN LEMAY: I will entertain a motion by my  
8 fellow Commissioners to accept the minutes of the March  
9 12th hearing.

10 COMMISSIONER WEISS: I move that we accept the  
11 minutes of the March 12th hearing.

12 CHAIRMAN LEMAY: Thank you.

13 COMMISSIONER BAILEY: I second.

14 CHAIRMAN LEMAY: Thank you. We all agree that  
15 the minutes of the March 12th hearing will be accepted.  
16 Let the record so show.

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18 CHAIRMAN LEMAY: With -- That's the final action;  
19 I think we're going to take the *de novo*?

20 MS. DAVIDSON: The *Nunc pro tunc* order.

21 CHAIRMAN LEMAY: The *nunc pro tunc* order.

22 Have you looked at the *nunc pro tunc* order,  
23 fellow Commissioners? Well, maybe we should do that after  
24 the break. It's not a very long one. We'll postpone that  
25 order.

1                   You haven't either, I guess, Commissioner Weiss?

2                   COMMISSIONER WEISS: Yes, I did look at it.

3                   CHAIRMAN LEMAY: Oh, okay. Do you want to look  
4 at it --

5                   COMMISSIONER BAILEY: I will sign this.

6                   CHAIRMAN LEMAY: Thank you. Let the record show  
7 that final action will be taken on the *nunc pro tunc* order  
8 that was before us, dealing with Case Number 11,298. So be  
9 it.

10                   (Thereupon, these proceedings were concluded at  
11 9:05 a.m.)

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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 Commission 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 April 14th, 1996.

  
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STEVEN T. BRENNER  
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My commission expires: October 14, 1998