

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 RICHARDSON OPERATING
 COMPANY FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, DOWNHOLE
 COMMINGLING, AND AN UNORTHODOX GAS WELL
 LOCATION, SAN JUAN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

CASE NO. 11,570

ORIGINAL

REPORTER'S TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS

EXAMINER HEARING

BEFORE: DAVID R. CATANACH, Hearing Examiner

July 25th, 1996

Santa Fe, New Mexico

This matter came on for hearing before the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division, DAVID R. CATANACH, Hearing Examiner, on Thursday, July 25th, 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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A P P E A R A N C E S

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1 WHEREUPON, the following proceedings were had at
2 8:40 a.m.:

3 EXAMINER CATANACH: Okay, at this time we'll call
4 Case 11,570.

5 MR. CARROLL: Application of Richardson Operating
6 Company for compulsory pooling, downhole commingling, and
7 an unorthodox gas well location, San Juan County, New
8 Mexico.

9 EXAMINER CATANACH: Are there appearances in this
10 case?

11 MR. KELLAHIN: Mr. Examiner, I'm Tom Kellahin of
12 the Santa Fe law firm of Kellahin and Kellahin, appearing
13 on behalf of the Applicant.

14 EXAMINER CATANACH: Are there any additional
15 appearances in this case?

16 Okay, Mr. Kellahin?

17 MR. KELLAHIN: Mr. Examiner, the land and
18 technical witnesses presented their case to Examiner
19 Stogner on July 11th.

20 At that time the case was continued to
21 readvertise that portion that dealt with the unorthodox
22 location. The location had to be relocated slightly east
23 of its original location in order to accommodate surface-
24 use limitations imposed by the City of Farmington and to
25 accommodate a surface owner.

1 We have provided supplemental notification to all
2 the offsets and to the various parties that are affected.
3 I have Ms. Cathy Colby's certificate of mailing in
4 compliance with the notice requirements, and if I may
5 introduce that to you this morning we would ask that you
6 take this case under advisement.

7 EXAMINER CATANACH: Okay, the certificate of
8 mailing will be admitted as evidence in this case.

9 And do you have anything further, Mr. Kellahin?

10 MR. KELLAHIN: No, sir.

11 EXAMINER CATANACH: There being nothing further
12 in this case, Case 11,570 will be taken under advisement.

13 (Thereupon, these proceedings were concluded at
14 8:42 a.m.)

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21 I do hereby certify that the foregoing is
22 a complete record of the proceedings in
23 an examiner hearing of Case No. 11570
24 heard by me on July 25 1996.
25 David M. Catanch, Examiner
 OH 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 July 25th, 1996.



STEVEN T. BRENNER
CCR No. 7

My commission expires: October 14, 1998