

Chronology of Wood State Leasing  
Hansen's & Yeagers

NOTE: Case No. 11993, heard July 9, 1998 before the commission, Exhibit No. 5 lists a chronology of 30 dates on which the Hansen's and Yeagers were either called or sent letters. This witness, Damian Barrett, has had many contacts with these two parties regarding this same lease.

- 09/09/98 Letter sent (attached as an exhibit) to both the Hansens' and Yeagers' offering to have them Participate in drilling the Wood State #5 or an option to purchase their lease.
- 09/17/98 10:25 a.m. phone call and message to Mr. & Mrs. Roger Hansen. I left a message asking them if they received my letter and what option would they choose. 6:30 pm I talked with them and they did receive my letter and had no thoughts about it at this time.
- 09/17/98 10:28 a.m. phone call and message to Dr. Yeager, not in. 6:28 pm, I talked with Dr. Yeager. He did receive my letter and said they are still not wanting to do anything with me. He asked if I was going to proceed with forced pooling this tract also. I said yes. He said good luck.
- 09/17/98 Certified letters (attached as an exhibit) mailed to both the Yeagers' and the Hansens'. This letter had three options; Participate, Sell, or be Forced Pooled, along with the necessary paperwork to participate or a draft to pay for the purchase of their lease with instructions. This letter also described how the forced pooling process would occur and that I would start it in 26 days.
- 10/12/98 Certified letters (attached as an exhibit) mailed to both the Yeagers' and the Hansens'. This letter was to notify them that there was the possibility to drill a horizontal well at the Wood State No. 5 location as well as possibly a vertical well. **The horizontal well would cover both 40 acre locations and possibly be cheaper than drilling and completing two wells.** This letter again had three options; Participate, Sell, or be Forced Pooled, along with the necessary paperwork to participate or a draft to pay for the purchase of their lease with instructions.
- 10/20/98 9:00 p.m. phone call to Dr. Yeager. He had received my letter. **NOTE: I had written down the following question to ask both parties "Are there any circumstances under which you would either sell to me or participate in drilling on the 80 acres in the E/2 NW/4, Sec 16, T 20 S, R 37 E"?** His response was no, we are going to allow you to force pool us and we will wait to see what happens.
- 10/20/98 9:05 p.m. call to the Hansens'. They had my letter. Mr. Hansen answered my question above with the response **I don't think so. We are going to take the gamble. We are not worried about the money.**

It is with these last two responses that assures me that they are not going to do anything except wait on a forced pooling order and wait to receive their portion of the well when the penalty is paid out.