

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
CASE 9882, CASE 9888, CASE 9889, CASE 9892
CASE 9893, CASE 9881, CASE 9894, CASE 9895
CASE 9897, CASE 9898, CASE 9884, CASE 9885

EXAMINER HEARING

IN THE MATTER OF:

CONTINUED AND DISMISSED CASES

TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS

BEFORE: MICHAEL E. STOGNER, EXAMINER

STATE LAND OFFICE BUILDING

SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

March 21, 1990

A P P E A R A N C E S

FOR THE DIVISION:

ROBERT G. STOVALL
Attorney at Law
Legal Counsel to the Divison
State Land Office Building
Santa Fe, New Mexico

1 EXAMINER STOGNER: This hearing will come
2 to order for Docket 9-90. Today is March 21, 1990.
3 I'm Michael E. Stogner, appointed hearing officer for
4 today's cases. I call all the continued and dismissed
5 cases at this time. First I'll call Case No. 9882.

6 MR. STOVALL: Application of Controlled
7 Recovery, Inc., for an oil treating plant permit, for
8 surface water disposal, and an exception to Order No.
9 R-3221, Lea County, New Mexico.

10 Applicant requests this case be continued
11 to April 4, 1990.

12 EXAMINER STOGNER: Case No. 9882 will be so
13 continued.

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15 EXAMINER STOGNER: Call next case, No.
16 9888.

17 MR. STOVALL: Application of Conoco, Inc.,
18 for compulsory pooling, Lea County, New Mexico.

19 Applicant requests this case be continued
20 to April 4, 1990.

21 EXAMINER STOGNER: Case No. 9888 will be so
22 continued.

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24 EXAMINER STOGNER: Call next case, No.
25 9889.

1 MR. STOVALL: Application of Meridian Oil,
2 Inc., for temporary well testing allowable for certain
3 wells in the Parkway-Delaware Pool, Eddy County, New
4 Mexico.

5 Applicant requests this case be continued
6 to April 18, 1990.

7 EXAMINER STOGNER: Case No. 9889 will be so
8 continued.

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10 EXAMINER STOGNER: Second page. I'll call
11 Case No. 9892.

12 MR. STOVALL: Application of Pacific
13 Enterprises Oil Company (USA) for compulsory pooling,
14 Eddy County, New Mexico.

15 Applicant requests this case be dismissed.

16 EXAMINER STOGNER: Case No. 9892 will be
17 dismissed.

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19 EXAMINER STOGNER: Call next case, No.
20 9893.

21 MR. STOVALL: Application of Pacific
22 Enterprises Oil Company (USA) for compulsory pooling,
23 Eddy County, New Mexico.

24 Applicant requests this case be continued
25 to April 4, 1990.

1 EXAMINER STOGNER: Case No. 9893 will be so
2 continued.

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4 EXAMINER STOGNER: Call next case, No.
5 9881.

6 MR. STOVALL: Application of Richmond
7 Petroleum, Inc., for compulsory pooling, unorthodox
8 coal gas well location, and a non-standard gas spacing
9 and proration unit, San Juan and Rio Arriba Counties,
10 New Mexico.

11 Applicant requests this case be continued
12 to April 4, 1990.

13 EXAMINER STOGNER: Case No. 9881 will be so
14 continued.

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16 EXAMINER STOGNER: Call next case, No.
17 9894.

18 MR. STOVALL: Application of Richmond
19 Petroleum, Inc., for compulsory pooling, unorthodox
20 coal gas well location, and a non-standard gas spacing
21 and proration unit, San Juan and Rio Arriba Counties,
22 New Mexico.

23 Applicant requests this case be continued
24 to April 4, 1990.

25 EXAMINER STOGNER: Case No. 9894 will be so

1 continued.

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3 EXAMINER STOGNER: Call next case, No.
4 9895.

5 MR. STOVALL: Application of Richmond
6 Petroleum, Inc., for compulsory pooling and an
7 unorthodox coal gas well location, San Juan and Rio
8 Arriba Counties, New Mexico.

9 Applicant requests this case be continued
10 to April 4, 1990.

11 EXAMINER STOGNER: Case No. 9895 will be so
12 continued.

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14 EXAMINER STOGNER: Call next case, No.
15 9897.

16 MR. STOVALL: Application of Siete Oil &
17 Gas Corporation for a waterflood project, Eddy County,
18 New Mexico.

19 Applicant requests this case be continued
20 to April 4, 1990.

21 EXAMINER STOGNER: Case No. 9897 will be so
22 continued.

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24 EXAMINER STOGNER: Call next case, No.
25 9898.

1 MR. STOVALL: Application of Doyle Hartman
2 for compulsory pooling, a non-standard gas proration
3 unit and simultaneous dedication, Lea County, New
4 Mexico.

5 Applicant requests this case be continued
6 to April 4, 1990.

7 EXAMINER STOGNER: Case No. 9898 will be so
8 continued.

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10 EXAMINER STOGNER: Call next case, No.
11 9884.

12 MR. STOVALL: Application of OXY USA, Inc.,
13 for compulsory pooling, non-standard gas proration
14 unit and simultaneous dedication, Lea County, New
15 Mexico.

16 Applicant requests this case be dismissed.

17 EXAMINER STOGNER: Case 9884 will be
18 dismissed.

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20 EXAMINER STOGNER: Call next case, No.
21 9885.

22 MR. STOVALL: Application of Doyle Hartman
23 for compulsory pooling, a non-standard gas proration
24 unit and simultaneous dedication, Lea County, New
25 Mexico.

1 Applicant requests this case be continued
2 to April 4, 1990.

3 EXAMINER STOGNER: Case No. 9885 will be so
4 continued.

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO)

) ss.

COUNTY OF SANTA FE)

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I caused my notes to be transcribed under my personal
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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 March 21, 1990.

Carla Diane Rodriguez
CARLA DIANE RODRIGUEZ
CSR No. 91

My commission expires: May 25, 1991

I do hereby certify that the foregoing is
a complete and true transcript of the proceedings in
the Ex parte hearing of Case No. 9888,
heard by me on 21 March 1990.

Matthew E. [Signature] Examiner
Oil Conservation Division

1 STATE OF NEW MEXICO
2 ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT
3 OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
4 CASE 9899, CASE 9888, CASE 9903,
5 CASE 9885, CASE 9898, CASE 9904,
6 CASE 9905
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16 BEFORE: DAVID R. CATANACH, EXAMINER
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18 STATE LAND OFFICE BUILDING
19 SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO
20 APRIL 4, 1990
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1 WHEREUPON, the following proceedings were had
2 at 8:15 a.m.:

3 EXAMINER CATANACH: Call the hearing to order
4 this morning for Docket Number 10-90.

5 First off, we'll call the dismissals and
6 continuances.

7 Call Case 9899.

8 MR. STOVALL: Application of BTA Oil
9 Producers for an unorthodox gas well location, Eddy
10 County, New Mexico.

11 Applicants request this case be dismissed.

12 EXAMINER CATANACH: Case 9899 is hereby
13 dismissed.

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15 EXAMINER CATANACH: Call Case 9888.

16 MR. STOVALL: Application of Conoco, Inc.,
17 for compulsory pooling, Lea County New Mexico.

18 Applicant has requested this case be
19 dismissed.

20 EXAMINER CATANACH: Case 9888 is hereby
21 dismissed.

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23 EXAMINER CATANACH: Call Case 9903.

24 MR. STOVALL: Application of Yates Petroleum
25 Corporation for directional drilling and an unorthodox

1 gas well location, Eddy County, New Mexico.

2 Applicants request this case be continued and
3 readvertised for April 18th, 1990.

4 EXAMINER CATANACH: Case 9903 is hereby
5 continued to the April 18th Docket.

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7 EXAMINER CATANACH: Call Case 9885.

8 MR. STOVALL: Application of Doyle Hartman
9 for compulsory pooling, a non-standard gas proration
10 unit and simultaneous dedication, Lea County, New
11 Mexico.

12 Applicant has requested this case be
13 dismissed.

14 EXAMINER CATANACH: Case 9885 is hereby
15 dismissed.

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17 EXAMINER CATANACH: Call Case 9898.

18 MR. STOVALL: Application of Doyle Hartman
19 for compulsory pooling, a non-standard gas proration
20 unit and simultaneous dedication, Lea County, New
21 Mexico.

22 Applicant has requested this case be
23 continued to May 2nd, 1990.

24 EXAMINER CATANACH: Case 9898 is hereby
25 continued to the May 2nd docket.

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(Off the record)

EXAMINER CATANACH: Let's retract a little bit. At this time let's call Case 9904.

MR. STOVALL: Application of Nassau Resources, Inc., for an unorthodox coal gas well location, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico.

EXAMINER CATANACH: Are there appearances in this case?

MR. KELLAHIN: Mr. Examiner, I'm Tom Kellahin of the Santa Fe law firm of Kellahin, Kellahin and Aubrey, appearing on behalf of the Applicant. We request at this time that you also call case 9905.

EXAMINER CATANACH: Call Case 9905.

MR. STOVALL: Application of Nassau Resources, Inc., for unorthodox coal gas well location, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico.

MR. KELLAHIN: I don't know if there are any other appearances, Mr. Examiner.

EXAMINER CATANACH: Oh, are there any other appearances in either one of these cases?

MR. KELLAHIN: There being no other appearances, Mr. Examiner, we would request that both applications be dismissed and the request for unorthodox locations be returned to the Division for

1 administrative processing.

2 EXAMINER CATANACH: Case 9904 and 9905 are
3 hereby dismissed.

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14 I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is
15 a correct and true statement of the proceedings in
the Executive Hearing of Case No. 9904,
16 heard by me on April 4 19 90.

17 David R. Catanach, Examiner
Oil Conservation Division

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2 CERTIFICATE OF REPORTER3
4 STATE OF NEW MEXICO)
5) ss.
6 COUNTY OF SANTA FE)7 I, Steven T. Brenner, Certified Shorthand
8 Reporter and Notary Public, HEREBY CERTIFY that the
9 foregoing transcript of proceedings before the Oil
10 Conservation Division was reported by me; that I
11 transcribed my notes; and that the foregoing is a true
12 and accurate record of the proceedings.13 I FURTHER CERTIFY that I am not a relative or
14 employee of any of the parties or attorneys involved in
15 this matter and that I have no personal interest in the
16 final disposition of this matter.

17 WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL April 5, 1990.

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20 STEVEN T. BRENNER
21 CSR No. 10622 My commission expires: October 14, 1990
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