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ENERGY, MINERALS, AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

REPORTER'S TRANSCRIPT OF PREHEARING PROCEEDINGS

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 2, 2021

This matter came on for hearing before the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division before Hearing Examiner William Brancard, via Webex videoconferencing platform

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Page 3 1 HEARING EXAMINER BRANCARD: Good morning, 2 everyone. This is a hearing of the New Mexico Oil 3 Conservation Division. it is June 2nd, 2021, 10:00 A.M. 4 and on today's docket we have four cases that are listed 5 on our website in the agenda. I will go through the numbers in a minute. б 7 This hearing is being recorded and will be transcribed by a court reporter, so please speak clearly 8 so that your words can be properly transcribed. 9 This morning we have four cases on Notices 10 of Violations issued by the New Mexico Oil Conservation 11 Division. I will list the cases in order. --12 13 No. 1, 21669 Flare Oil, Inc. No. 2 is 21842, Dwight A. Tipton and 14 15 Zimmerman Gas Exploration, Inc. 16 No. 3 is 21899 Roger Slayton DBA Escudilla 17 Oil Company. No. 4 is 21900 Bar v. Barb LLC. 18 19 And we will go in that order unless there is some objection or motion at this point. 20 In each case the Oil Conservation Division 21 22 has the burden of persuasion, so it will go first and then 23 I will ask whether there's any other testimony to be 24 provided today with these cases. 25 (Time noted: 10:02 a.m.)

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| 5 | REPORTER'S CERTIFICATE | |
| 6 | I, MARY THERESE MACFARLANE, New Mexico Reporter | |
| 7 | CCR No. 122, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that on Wednesday, June 2, | |
| 8 | 2021, the proceedings in the above-captioned matter were | |
| 9 | taken before me; that I did report in stenographic | |
| 10 | shorthand the proceedings set forth herein, and the | |
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| 12 | the best of my ability and control. | |
| 13 | I FURTHER that I am neither employed by nor | |
| 14 | related to nor contracted with (unless excepted by the | |
| 15 | rules) any of the parties or attorneys in this case, and | |
| 16 | that I have no interest whatsoever in the final | |
| 17 | disposition of this case in any court. | |
| 18 | /s/ Mary Macfarlane | |
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