

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

REPORTER'S TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS
COMMISSION HEARING
Adoption of Agenda
and
Adoption of August 25, 2016 Minutes

September 6, 2016
Santa Fe, New Mexico

BEFORE: DAVID R. CATANACH, CHAIRPERSON
PATRICK PADILLA, COMMISSIONER
DR. ROBERT S. BALCH, COMMISSIONER
BILL BRANCARD, ESQ.

This matter came on for hearing before the
New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission on Tuesday,
September 6, 2016, at the New Mexico Energy, Minerals
and Natural Resources Department, Wendell Chino
Building, 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Porter Hall,
Room 102, Santa Fe, New Mexico.

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1 (10:00 a.m.)

2 CHAIRMAN CATANACH: Good morning. This is
3 the meeting of New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission.
4 My name is David Catanach. I'm the Chairman of the
5 Commission and Director of the Oil Conservation
6 Division. The time is 9:00 -- sorry -- 10:00. Today's
7 date is September 6th, 2016. This meeting is conducted
8 in Porter Hall within the Wendel Chino State Building.
9 At this time I will take roll.

10 Will the Commissioners please introduce
11 themselves for the record?

12 COMMISSIONER PADILLA: Patrick Padilla,
13 designee of the New Mexico State Land Commission.

14 COMMISSIONER BALCH: Dr. Robert Balch,
15 designee of the Secretary of Energy and Minerals.

16 CHAIRMAN CATANACH: Also present today
17 is Mr. Bill Brancard, the general counsel for the
18 Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department and
19 the Commission attorney.

20 And I understand, Mr. Brancard, that
21 Ms. Cheryl Bada will be here this afternoon?

22 MR. BRANCARD: Yes, that's correct.

23 CHAIRMAN CATANACH: So, Commissioners, in
24 your packet, you should have an agenda for today's
25 meeting. If you've reviewed the agenda, do I hear a

1 motion to pass the agenda today?

2 COMMISSIONER PADILLA: So moved.

3 COMMISSIONER BALCH: And seconded.

4 CHAIRMAN CATANACH: All in favor?

5 (Ayes are unanimous.)

6 CHAIRMAN CATANACH: Motion to adopt today's
7 agenda is passed.

8 Also in your packet are the draft minutes
9 from the August 25th, 2016 Commission meeting.

10 Commissioners, any changes to the minutes?
11 And if not, is there a motion and a second to adopt the
12 minutes?

13 COMMISSIONER BALCH: I have no changes and
14 move to adopt the minutes.

15 COMMISSIONER PADILLA: I likewise have no
16 changes and second that motion.

17 CHAIRMAN CATANACH: All in favor?

18 (Ayes are unanimous.)

19 CHAIRMAN CATANACH: Motion to adopt the
20 minutes from the August 25th, 2016 meeting passes.

21 (Proceedings conclude, 10:02 a.m.)

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