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STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
CASE 9899, CASE 9888, CASE 9903,
CASE 9885, CASE 9898, CASE 9904,
CASE 9905

EXAMINER HEARING

CONTINUED AND DISMISSED CASES

TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS

BEFORE: DAVID R. CATANACH, EXAMINER

STATE LAND OFFICE BUILDING

SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

APRIL 4, 1990

ORIGINAL

A P P E A R A N C E S

FOR THE DIVISION: ROBERT G. STOVALL
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 Santa Fe, New Mexico

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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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13 I do hereby certify that the foregoing is
14 a complete record of the proceedings in
the Examiner hearing of Case No. _____
15 heard by me on April 4 1990.

16 David R. Catanach, Examiner
17 Oil Conservation Division
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CERTIFICATE OF REPORTER

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I, Steven T. Brenner, Certified Shorthand 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 April 5, 1990.

STEVEN T. BRENNER
CSR No. 106

My commission expires: October 14, 1990