

STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT  
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION  
STATE LAND OFFICE BUILDING  
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

5 June 1985

EXAMINER HEARING

IN THE MATTER OF:

The hearing called by the Oil Con- CASE  
servation Division on its own motion 3612  
to consider an order creating, abo-  
lishing, contracting and assigning  
a discovery allowable to certain pools  
in Chaves and Eddy Counties, New Mexico.

BEFORE: Gilbert P. Quintana, Examiner

TRANSCRIPT OF HEARING

A P P E A R A N C E S

For the Oil Conservation	Maryann Lunderman
Division:	Attorney at Law
	Energy and Minerals Dept.
	Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

For the Applicant:

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MR. QUINTANA: We'll call next  
Case 8612.

MS. LUNDERSON: In the matter  
of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Division on  
its own motion to consider an order creating, abolishing,  
contracting and assigning a discovery allowable to certain  
pools in Chaves and Eddy Counties, New Mexico.

MR. QUINTANA: Case 8612 was  
prior -- was previously heard by Mike Stogner, and it was  
readvertised.

Are there other appearances in  
this case?

If not, Case 8612 will be taken  
under advisement.

(Hearing concluded.)

## C E R T I F I C A T E

I, SALLY W. BOYD, C.S.R., DO HEREBY  
CERTIFY that the foregoing Transcript of Hearing before the  
Oil Conservation Division was reported by me; that the said  
transcript is a full, true, and correct record of the  
hearing, prepared by me to the best of my ability.

Sally W. Boyd CSR

I do hereby certify that the foregoing is  
a complete and true transcript of the record made in  
the Examiner's hearing of Case No. 8612,  
heard by me on June 5, 1985.

Gilbert P. Quintana, Examiner  
Oil Conservation Division

STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT  
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION  
State Land Office Building  
Santa Fe, New Mexico

22 May 1985

EXAMINER HEARING

IN THE MATTER OF:

The hearing called by the Oil  
Conservation Division on its own  
motion for an order creating,  
abolishing, contracting, and as-  
signing a discovery allowable in  
Chaves and Eddy Counties, New  
Mexico.

CASE  
8612

BEFORE: Michael E. Stogner, Examiner

TRANSCRIPT OF HEARING

A P P E A R A N C E S

For the Oil Conservation  
Division:

Jeff Taylor  
Attorney at Law  
Legal Counsel for the Division  
Oil Conservation Division  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

For the Applicant:

## I N D E X

DAVID CATANACH

Direct Examination by Mr. Taylor

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## E X H I B I T S

Division Exhibit One, Documents

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MR. STOGNER: This hearing will  
resume to order.

Call next Case Number 8612,  
which is in the matter of the hearing called by the Oil  
Conservation Division on its own motion for an order  
creating, abolishing, contracting, and assigning a discovery  
allowable, for certain pools in Chaves and Eddy Counties,  
New Mexico.

MR. TAYLOR: May it please the  
Examiner, my name is Jeff Taylor, counsel for the Oil  
Conservation Division and I have one witness to be sworn.

MR. STOGNER: Call for any  
other appearances?

There being none, will the  
witness please stand and raise your right hand?

(Witness sworn.)

DAVID CATANACH,  
being called as a witness and being duly sworn upon his  
oath, testified as follows, to-wit:

## DIRECT EXAMINATION

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2 BY MR. TAYLOR:

3 Q Would you please state your name and  
4 position?

5 A David Catanach. I work as a petroleum  
6 engineer for the Oil Conservation Division in Santa Fe.

7 Q And have you ever testified before the  
8 Commission or its Examiners and had your qualifications as a  
9 petroleum engineer accepted?

10 A Yes, I have.

11 Q Are you prepared to make recommendations  
12 to the Commission concerning the nomenclature of certain  
13 pools in Eddy and Chaves Counties, New Mexico?

14 A I am.

15 Q Are your recommendations prepared in the  
16 form of an exhibit?

17 A They are.

18 Q How is that exhibit denominated. We can  
19 mark it as Exhibit One.

20 Q Exhibit One, okay.

21 Would you please refer to the Exhibit One  
22 and to the docket that's been prepared and distributed at  
23 the hearing and point out any substantial differences be-  
24 tween the two?

25 A There are no differences.

1           Q           No differences.   Do you have anything  
2 further to add to your testimony?

3           A           I do not.

4           Q           Was this exhibit prepared by you or under  
5 your supervision or are you -- or have you reviewed its con-  
6 tents to make sure that they are correct?

7           A           Yes, I have.

8                       MR. TAYLOR: Mr. Examiner, I'd  
9 like to move the exhibit -- the admission of Exhibit One.

10                      MR. STOGNER: Are there any ob-  
11 jections?

12                      Exhibit One will be admitted  
13 into evidence.

14                      Are there any other questions  
15 of Mr. Catanach?

16                      There being none, and I don't  
17 have any, he may be excused.

18                      I might mention at this time  
19 due to a typographical error in the docket certain wordings  
20 were left out. They will be corrected at the -- on the  
21 docket for the Examiner's Hearing scheduled for June 5th,  
22 1985, at which time this case will be continued and then  
23 taken under advisement.

24                      This hearing is hereby  
25 adjourned.

(Hearing concluded.)



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the Examination of Case No. 8612,  
heard by me on 22 May 1985.

May Michael E. Stewart Examiner  
Oil Conservation Division