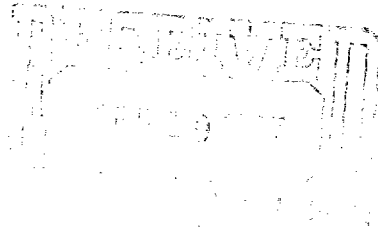




The Travelers Companies
7600 East Orchard
P.O. Box 5980
Denver, CO 80217-5980
Telephone: 303 740-1600



Larry Richardson
Manager
Surety Department

Denver Office

February 6, 1987

State of New Mexico
Energy and Minerals Dept.
Oil Conservation Division
P.O. Box 2088
Santa Fe, NM 87501-2088

Attention: R.L. Stamets
Director

Reference: (Case No. 8983)
Order No. R-6053-A
Oil Processing, Inc.
Bond No. 862E405A
Our File No. 042 SR V99 4505 N

Dear Mr. Stamets:

This acknowledges receipt of Order No. R-6053-A, dated 12-31-86, and received in this office 1-26-87.

I am trying to contact our principal to get them to take care of this. I've given them until 2-13-87 to advise me what they intend to do. I will contact you on or before 2-13-87.

Is there an estimate on the cost of reclaiming this site? Please let me know or we can discuss that when I call also.

Very truly yours,

Susan M. Perry
Assistant Manager
Surety/Denver

SMP/ljs



STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

TONEY ANAYA
GOVERNOR

January 5, 1987

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McCleskey, Harriger,
Brazill & Graf
Attorneys at Law
P. O. Drawer 6170
Lubbock, Texas 79493

Re: CASE NO. 8983
ORDER NO. R-6053-A

Applicant:

~~OCD (Oil Processing Inc.)~~

Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith are two copies of the above-referenced
Division order recently entered in the subject case.

Sincerely,

R. L. STAMETS
Director

RLS/fd

Copy of order also sent to:

Hobbs OCD x
Artesia OCD x
Aztec OCD

Other The Travelers Companies



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STATE OF NEW MEXICO
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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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September 2, 1986

CERTIFIED - RETURN
RECEIPT REQUESTED

McCleskey, Harriger, Brazill & Graf
Attorneys at Law
P. O. Drawer 6170
Lubbock, Texas 79493

The Travelers Companies
P. O. Box 4356
Englewood, Colorado 80155

Re: Oil Processing, Inc.
Treating Plant Bond
Lea County

Gentlemen:

Enclosed is a copy of the advertisement of the Examiner Hearing to be held on Wednesday, September 17, 1986, at 8:15 a.m. in the Oil Conservation Division Conference Room, State Land Office Building, Santa Fe, New Mexico. Case 8983 concerns the above captioned subject matter.

- Sincerely,

JEFFREY TAYLOR
General Counsel

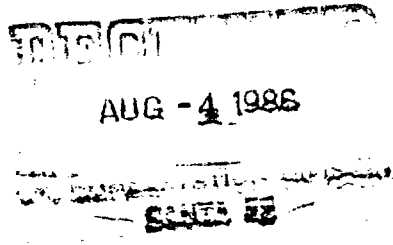
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Larry Richardson
Manager
Surety Department

Denver Office



August 1, 1986

State of New Mexico
Oil & Gas Commission
P. O. Box 2088
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

RE:
Principal: Oil Processing, Inc.
Bond No.: 862E405A
Bond Amount: \$10,000.00*
Description: Oil Treating Plant Bond

Gentlemen:

The above referenced bond was executed effective 08-13-79.

Please check your records and advise if all is in order for cancellation of this bond. If not, please let us know what needs to be done to effect cancellation.

A self-addressed, stamped envelope is attached for your convenience in replying.

Very truly yours,

Becky Amann
Surety/Denver

cc:



STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

October 31, 1984

TONEY ANAYA
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McCleskey, Harriger, Brazill & Graf
Law Offices
P. O. Drawer 6170
Lubbock, Texas 79493

Attention: Gary A. Ward

Re: \$10,000 Treating Plant Bond
Oil Processing, Principal
Bond No. 862E405A

Dear Mr. Ward:

The Oil Conservation Division hereby acknowledges receipt of and approves the rider changing the name of principal as follows:

OIL PROCESSING, INC.

Sincerely,

R. L. STAMETS,
Acting Director

dr/

cc: Oil Conservation Division
Hobbs, New Mexico

LAW OFFICES
McCLESKEY, HARRIGER, BRAZILL & GRAF

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H. ALAN CARMICHAEL
JIM HUND
THOMAS E. PITTS
DAN G. YOUNG

October 24, 1984

Oil Conservation Division
P.O. Box 2088
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Attention: Diane Richardson

Re: Oil Processing, Inc.

Dear Mrs. Richardson:

Pursuant to our telephone conversation of October 24th, I am sending to you the original rider which has been issued by the Travelers Insurance Agency changing the name of a treating plant in Hobbs, New Mexico, from Oil Processing to Oil Processing, Inc. As I mentioned, the business previously operated as a partnership and it is now operating in a corporate form.

I have forwarded a copy of this bond to the Hobbs District Office to the attention of Melba Carpenter.

I would appreciate your writing me a letter of approval showing that Oil Processing, Inc., is now operating under the previous permit issued by the State. That was Case No. 6577, Order No. R-6053, Application of Oil Processing for an oil treating plant permit, Lea County, New Mexico.

If you have any questions, please contact me immediately. Thank you for your attention and courtesy in this matter.

McCLESKEY, HARRISER, BRAZILL & GRAF


GARY A. WARD

te
Enc.

cc: Perc DeTamble

WJ



THE TRAVELERS

CHANGE RIDER

BOND NO. 862E405A	ON BEHALF OF Oil Processing	
DATE OF BOND 08-13-79	IN FAVOR OF State of New Mexico	
ADDITIONAL PREMIUM \$ Nil	RETURN PREMIUM \$ Nil	EFFECTIVE DATE OF CHANGE October 2, 1984

This rider is to be attached to and form a part of the above described bond.

In consideration of the additional or return premium shown above the surety hereby gives its consent to _____

change name of Principal

FROM: Oil Processing

TO: Oil Processing, Inc.

Provided, however, that the aggregate liability of the surety for any one or more losses occurring prior to the effective date of change shall not exceed \$10,000.00*, or for any one or more losses occurring after said date exceed \$10,000.00*. It is further understood that in no event shall the surety's liability be cumulative.

Signed and dated on October 18, 1984
(Month, day, year)

THE TRAVELERS INDEMNITY COMPANY

By Rebecca K. Payton
(Attorney in fact)
/ Rebecca K. Payton

Accepted _____

By _____

The Travelers Indemnity Company

Hartford, Connecticut

POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That THE TRAVELERS INDEMNITY COMPANY, a corporation of the State of Connecticut, does hereby make, constitute and appoint

Andrew Collins, Rebecca K. Payton, Susan M. Perry, Larry Richardson, Thomas J. Roberts, all of Englewood, Colorado, EACH

its true and lawful Attorney(s)-in-Fact, with full power and authority, for and on behalf of the Company as surety, to execute and deliver and affix the seal of the Company thereto, if a seal is required, bonds, undertakings, recognizances, consents of surety or other written obligations in the nature thereof, as follows:

Any and all bonds, undertakings, recognizances, consents of surety or other written obligations in the nature thereof

and to bind THE TRAVELERS INDEMNITY COMPANY thereby, and all of the acts of said Attorney(s)-in-Fact, pursuant to these presents, are hereby ratified and confirmed.

This appointment is made under and by authority of the following by-laws of the Company which by-laws are now in full force and effect:

ARTICLE IV, SECTION 14. The Chairman of the Board, the President, the Chairman of the Finance Committee, any Executive Vice President, any Senior Vice President, any Vice President, any Second Vice President, the Corporate Secretary or any Department Secretary may appoint attorneys-in-fact or agents with power and authority, as defined or limited in their respective powers of attorney, for and on behalf of the Company to execute and deliver, and affix the seal of the Company thereto, bonds, undertakings, recognizances, consents of surety or other written obligations in the nature thereof and any of said officers may remove any such attorney-in-fact or agent and revoke the power and authority given to him.

ARTICLE IV, SECTION 16. Any bond, undertaking, recognizance, consent of surety or written obligation in the nature thereof shall be valid and binding upon the Company when signed by the Chairman of the Board, the President, the Chairman of the Finance Committee, any Executive Vice President, any Senior Vice President, any Vice President or any Second Vice President and duly attested and sealed, if a seal is required, by the Corporate Secretary or any Department Secretary or any Assistant Corporate Secretary or any Assistant Department Secretary, or shall be valid and binding upon the Company when duly executed and sealed, if a seal is required, by a duly authorized attorney-in-fact or agent, pursuant to and within the limits of the authority granted by his or her power of attorney.

This power of attorney is signed and sealed by facsimile under and by the authority of the following Resolution adopted by the Directors of THE TRAVELERS INDEMNITY COMPANY at a meeting duly called and held on the 30th day of November, 1959:

VOTED: That the signature of any officer authorized by the By-Laws and the Company seal may be affixed by facsimile to any power of attorney or special power of attorney or certification of either given for the execution of any bond, undertaking, recognizance or other written obligation in the nature thereof; such signature and seal, when so used being hereby adopted by the Company as the original signature of such officer and the original seal of the Company, to be valid and binding upon the Company with the same force and effect as though manually affixed.

This power of attorney revokes that dated March 27, 1984 on behalf of Rebecca K. Amann, Andrew Collins, Stephen T. Pate, Susan M. Perry, Larry Richardson, Robert West

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, THE TRAVELERS INDEMNITY COMPANY has caused these presents to be signed by its proper officer and its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed this 1st day of October 19 84



THE TRAVELERS INDEMNITY COMPANY

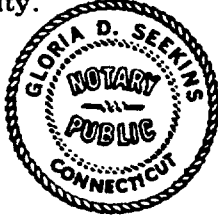
By

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "D.L. Banta". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "D".

Secretary, Surety

State of Connecticut, County of Hartford—ss:

On this 1st day of October in the year 1984 before me personally came D. L. Banta to me known, who, being by me duly sworn, did depose and say: that he resides in the State of Connecticut; that he is Secretary (Surety) of THE TRAVELERS INDEMNITY COMPANY, the corporation described in and which executed the above instrument; that he knows the seal of said corporation; that the seal affixed to said instrument is such corporate seal; that it was so affixed by authority of his office under the by-laws of said corporation, and that he signed his name thereto by like authority.



Gloria D. Seekins

Notary Public

My commission expires April 1, 1988

CERTIFICATION

I, Paul D. Tubach, Assistant Secretary (Surety) of THE TRAVELERS INDEMNITY COMPANY, certify that the foregoing power of attorney, the above quoted Sections 14. and 16. of Article IV of the By-Laws and the Resolution of the Board of Directors of November 30, 1959 have not been abridged or revoked and are now in full force and effect.

Signed and Sealed at Hartford, Connecticut, this 18th day of October 19 84



Paul D. Tubach

Assistant Secretary, Surety



STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

BRUCE KING
GOVERNOR
LARRY KEHOE
SECRETARY

September 5, 1979

POST OFFICE BOX 2088
STATE LAND OFFICE BUILDING
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87501
(505) 827-2434

The Travelers Indemnity
Company
Hartford, Connecticut

Re: \$10,000 Treating Plant Bond
Oil Processing, Principal
The Travelers Indemnity Company,
Surety
Bond No. 862E405A

Gentlemen:

The Oil Conservation Division hereby approves the
above-referenced treating plant bond.

Sincerely,

JOE D. RAMEY,
Director

JDR/ELP/dr

cc: Oil Conservation Division
Hobbs, Artesia, Aztec

(Revised August 1, 1963)

NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

\$10,000.00 TREATING PLANT BOND

BOND NO. 862405A
(THE TRAVELERS INDEMNITY COMPANY)

(Note: File with Oil Conservation Commission, Santa Fe, New Mexico)

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That OIL PROCESSING, (an individual) (partnership) (a corporation organized in the State of _____, with its principal office in the city of Monument State of New Mexico, and authorized to do business in the State of New Mexico), as PRINCIPAL, and THE TRAVELERS INDEMNITY COMPANY a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Connecticut, and authorized to do business in the State of New Mexico with duly appointed resident agent licensed in the State of New Mexico to execute this bond on behalf of the surety company, as SURETY, are held firmly bound unto the State of New Mexico, for the use and benefit of the Oil Conservation Commission of New Mexico pursuant to Chapter 72, Laws of New Mexico, 1935, as amended, and to the State of New Mexico in the sum of Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars lawful money of the United States for the payment of which, well and truly to be made, said PRINCIPAL and SURETY hereby bind themselves; their successors and assigns, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

The conditions of this obligation are such that:

WHEREAS, The above principal has heretofore or may hereafter enter into the process of treating and reclaiming sediment oil within the State of New Mexico,

NOW, THEREFORE, This \$10,000.00 performance bond is conditioned upon substantial compliance with all applicable statutes of the State of New Mexico and all rules, regulations, and orders of the Oil Conservation Commission; otherwise the principal amount of the bond to be forfeited to the State of New Mexico.

Signed and sealed this 13th day of August, 19 79.

Oil Processing PRINCIPAL THE TRAVELERS INDEMNITY COMPANY SURETY
By [Signature] [Signature]
Signature Title Attorney-in-Fact, Alberto Paez

(Note: Principal, if corporation, Affix corporate seal here.)

(Note: Corporate surety affix corporate seal here.)

(Note: If corporate surety executes this bond by an attorney-in-fact not in New Mexico, the resident New Mexico agent shall countersign here below.)

Countersigned by:

NOT REQUIRED
New Mexico Resident Agent Address

ACKNOWLEDGMENT FORM FOR NATURAL PERSONS

STATE OF Kansas)
COUNTY OF Crawford) ss.

On this first day of September, 1978, before me personally appeared IRENE L. HILLIKER, to me known to be the person (persons) described in and who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged that he (they) executed the same as his (their) free act and deed.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal on the day and year in this certificate first above written.



Warren Taylor
Notary Public

My Commission expires _____

KNOW ALL ME
That THE
does hereby make:
Douglas R. Cam
Perry, W. T. R.
Denver, Colora

ACKNOWLEDGMENT FORM FOR CORPORATION

STATE OF _____)
COUNTY OF _____) ss.

On this _____ day of _____, 19____, before me personally appeared _____, to me personally known who, being by me duly sworn, did say that he is _____ and that the foregoing instrument was signed and sealed on behalf of said corporation by authority of its board of directors, and acknowledged said instrument to be the free act and deed of said corporation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal on the day and year in this certificate first above written.

Notary Public

My Commission expires _____

ACKNOWLEDGMENT FORM FOR CORPORATE SURETY

STATE OF Colorado)
COUNTY OF Denver) ss.

On this 13th day of August, 19 79, before me appeared Alberto Paez, to me personally known, who, being by me duly sworn, did say that he is Attorney-in-fact of THE TRAVELERS INDEMNITY COMPANY and that the foregoing instrument was signed and sealed on behalf of said corporation by authority of its board of directors, and acknowledged said instrument to be the free act and deed of said corporation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal on the day and year in this certificate first above written.

My Commission Expires Dec. 29, 1982

Mr. J. Sanchez
Notary Public

My Commission expires _____
(Note: Corporate surety attach power of attorney.)

APPROVED BY:
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF NEW MEXICO

By Joe Ramirez

cc: _____

FRANCIS Y. HILLIKER, Notary Public

Notary Public

Be the person appearing
in the same as his (their)
signature first above

The Travelers Indemnity Company

Hartford, Connecticut

POWER OF ATTORNEY

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_____ This power of attorney revokes that dated January 23, 1978 on behalf of Douglas R. Campbell, George D. Colip, Jr., Samuel Faucett, E. A. Houser, III, Alberto Paez, Susan M. Perry, W. T. Reavis, Larry Richardson, M. J. Saucier, Warren R. Withrow _____

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, THE TRAVELERS INDEMNITY COMPANY has caused these presents to be signed by its proper officer and its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed this 7th day of May 19 79 .

THE TRAVELERS INDEMNITY COMPANY

By

Secretary, Surety



State of Connecticut, County of Hartford—ss:

On this 7th day of May in the year 1979 before me personally came D. J. Nash to me known, who, being by me duly sworn, did depose and say: that he resides in the State of Connecticut; that he is Secretary (Surety) of THE TRAVELERS INDEMNITY COMPANY, the corporation described in and which executed the above instrument; that he knows the seal of said corporation; that the seal affixed to said instrument is such corporate seal; that it was so affixed by authority of his office under the by-laws of said corporation, and that he signed his name thereto by like authority.



Notary Public

My commission expires April 1, 1983

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Paul D. Tubach
Assistant Secretary, Surety



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Larry Richardson
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August 1, 1986

State of New Mexico
Oil & Gas Commission
P. O. Box 2088
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

RE:
Principal: Oil Processing, Inc.
Bond No.: 862E405A
Bond Amount: \$10,000.00*
Description: Oil Treating Plant Bond

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Very truly yours,

Becky Amann
Surety/Denver

cc:

Case No. 6577

R-6053



STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
HOBBS DISTRICT OFFICE

TONY ANAYA
GOVERNOR

May 22, 1986

POST OFFICE BOX 1980
HOBBS, NEW MEXICO 88240
(505) 393-6161

September 17

Case 8983

Mr. Jeff Taylor
Attorney
Oil Conservation Division
Box 2088
Santa Fe, NM 87504-2088

Re: Oil Processing Inc. Treating Plant

Dear Mr. Taylor:

I have had a letter from Mr. Charles W. Imke, attorney for Mr. Jimmy Cooper, concerning cleanup of the treating plant site operated by Oil Processing Inc. (Thurman Smith). This facility is located in the NE/4 SE/4 of Section 8, T20S, R37E, which is owned by Mr. Cooper.

This plant has not been in operation since February 1, 1986, when all the product on hand was moved out. The last C-118, Monthly Treating Plant Operator's Report filed was for November 1985.

I am enclosing an inventory of the facility taken by Eddie Seay of this office on May 13, 1986. Also, two photographs are enclosed to indicate the condition of the area. Please advise what we can do to assist Mr. Cooper in getting the site cleaned up.

Very truly yours,

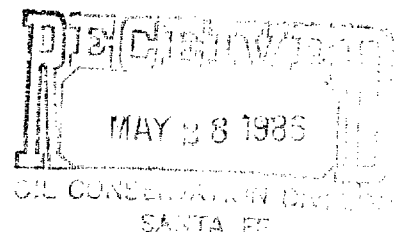
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Jerry Sexton
Supervisor, District I

ed/

cc: Mr. Charles W. Imke
730 West Silver Drive
Hobbs, NM 88240

Oil Processing Inc.
Box 226
Monument, NM 88265



Charles W. Imke
ATTORNEY AT LAW
A PROFESSIONAL CORPORATION
730 W. Silver Dr.
Hobbs, New Mexico 88240

Phone: (505) 392-4770
(505) 392-4939

May 14, 1986

Mr. Jerry T. Sexton
Oil Conservation Commission
P. O. Box 1980
Hobbs, NM 88240

Re: Oil Processing, Inc. vs Jimmy Cooper

Dear Jerry:

Mr. Jimmy Cooper contacted me on May 12, 1986, with regard to the Oil Processing, Inc. (Thurman Smith) Plant, which is located on Mr. Cooper's land near Monument, New Mexico. Mr. Cooper stated that he had talked with you concerning oil pits and other trash which has been left by Oil Processing, Inc., on Mr. Cooper's property. It is my understanding that Oil Processing, Inc., has a \$10,000.00 surety bond posted with the Oil Conservation Commission to insure proper clean-up of these sites.

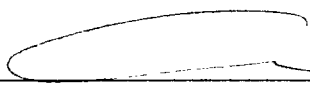
I talked with Jeff Taylor of the Oil Conservation Commission in Santa Fe on May 12, 1986, and he suggested that I write a letter to you asking that you provide Mr. Taylor with the proper name of the company, as listed in your records, and the site location, in order to request that the Commission hold the \$10,000.00 to guarantee clean-up of this site.

Your assistance in this matter is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Charles W. Imke,
Attorney at Law, P. C.

By


CHARLES W. IMKE

CWI:te
cc: Mr. Jimmy Cooper