

Cases 16178, 79 and 80 final STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT  
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED  
BY THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION FOR  
THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING:

APPLICATION OF MATADOR PRODUCTION                      CASE NO. 16178  
COMPANY FOR A NONSTANDARD OIL SPACING  
AND PRORATION UNIT, AN UNORTHODOX WELL  
LOCATION, AND COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA  
COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

Consolidated with

APPLICATION OF MATADOR PRODUCTION                      CASE NOS. 16179,  
COMPANY FOR A NONSTANDARD OIL SPACING                      16180  
AND PRORATION UNIT AND COMPULSORY  
POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

REPORTER'S TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS

EXAMINER HEARING

June 28, 2018

Santa Fe, New Mexico

BEFORE:    PHILLIP GOETZE, CHIEF EXAMINER  
              DAVID K. BROOKS, LEGAL EXAMINER

This matter came on for hearing before the  
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division, Phillip Goetze,  
Chief Examiner, and David K. Brooks, Legal Examiner, on  
Thursday, June 28, 2018, 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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2 EXAMINER GOETZE: Case Number 16178,  
3 application of Matador Production Company for a  
4 nonstandard oil spacing and proration unit and  
5 unorthodox well location and compulsory pooling, Lea  
6 County, New Mexico.

7 Call for appearances.

8 MR. BRUCE: Mr. Examiner, Jim Bruce of  
9 Santa Fe representing the Applicant. I have no  
10 witnesses.

11 EXAMINER GOETZE: Fire away.

12 MR. BRUCE: Mr. Examiner, this case was  
13 previously heard and continued for notice purposes only.  
14 I've handed you -- we did present notice exhibits, but  
15 these have been updated.

16 Exhibit 5A is the notice to the interest  
17 owners. We had been missing green cards, but everybody  
18 else received actual notice. Exhibit 5B is just a list  
19 of offsets, and Exhibit 5C is the application of notice  
20 to the offsets. The only person -- the only entity we  
21 notified strictly as an offset was EOG Resources, Inc.  
22 And there are other offsets, but they were notified as  
23 part Exhibit 5A. So notice is complete. We'd move the  
24 admission of Exhibit 5A, B and C.

25 EXAMINER GOETZE: So for clarity of the

1 record, this is consolidated cases, so this would be  
2 Case Number 16178, as well as 16179 and 16180.

3 MR. BRUCE: That's correct.

4 EXAMINER GOETZE: So with that, we would  
5 enter into the record Exhibits 5A, 5B and 5C for notice.

6 (Matador Production Company Exhibit Numbers  
7 5A, 5B and 5C are offered and admitted into  
8 evidence.)

9 EXAMINER GOETZE: Any other comments or  
10 requests?

11 MR. BRUCE: No.

12 EXAMINER GOETZE: Would you like to have it  
13 taken under advisement?

14 MR. BRUCE: I would ask that it be taken  
15 under advisement.

16 EXAMINER GOETZE: Okay. Thank you. Case  
17 Numbers 16178, 16179 and 16180 will be taken under  
18 advisement.

19 (Case Numbers 16178, 16179 and 16180  
20 conclude, 8:36 a.m.)

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1 STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
2 COUNTY OF BERNALILLO

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4 CERTIFICATE OF COURT REPORTER

5 I, MARY C. HANKINS, Certified Court  
6 Reporter, New Mexico Certified Court Reporter No. 20,  
7 and Registered Professional Reporter, do hereby certify  
8 that I reported the foregoing proceedings in  
9 stenographic shorthand and that the foregoing pages are  
10 a true and correct transcript of those proceedings that  
11 were reduced to printed form by me to the best of my  
12 ability.

13 I FURTHER CERTIFY that the Reporter's  
14 Record of the proceedings truly and accurately reflects  
15 the exhibits, if any, offered by the respective parties.

16 I FURTHER CERTIFY that I am neither  
17 employed by nor related to any of the parties or  
18 attorneys in this case and that I have no interest in  
19 the final disposition of this case.

20 DATED THIS 26th of July 2018.

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23 MARY C. HANKINS, CCR, RPR  
24 Certified Court Reporter  
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Date of CCR Expiration: 12/31/2018  
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