

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 KAISER-FRANCIS OIL                      CASE NO. 20293  
COMPANY FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, EDDY  
COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

REPORTER'S TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS

EXAMINER HEARING

July 11, 2019

Santa Fe, New Mexico

BEFORE:    WILLIAM V. JONES, CHIEF EXAMINER  
             DAVID K. BROOKS, LEGAL EXAMINER

This matter came on for hearing before the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division, William V. Jones, Chief Examiner, and David K. Brooks, Legal Examiner, on Thursday, July 11, 2019, 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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# EXHIBITS OFFERED AND ADMITTED

(No Exhibits.)

1 (3:21 p.m.)

2 MR. BRUCE: Mr. Examiner, may I ask  
3 permission of Holland & Hart -- if you go to the last  
4 case on the docket --

5 EXAMINER JONES: Kaiser-Francis?

6 MR. BRUCE: This will only take 30 seconds.

7 MS. LUCK: That's okay.

8 MR. BRUCE: Mr. Examiner, this case was  
9 heard a couple of weeks ago.

10 EXAMINER JONES: Case Number 20292 [sic].

11 MR. BRUCE: 20293.

12 Jim Bruce representing Kaiser-Francis.

13 This case was heard a couple of weeks ago.  
14 Mr. Brooks had noted an error. These involve Wolfcamp  
15 wells. Mr. Brooks had noted an error in the proposed ad  
16 that said "Bone Spring." It should be "Wolfcamp." I  
17 corrected that, and so the case was simply readvertised.  
18 The application and the other notice itself was proper.

19 MR. RANKIN: And Adam Rankin entering an  
20 appearance, just for the record, for MRC Permian in that  
21 case as well.

22 EXAMINER JONES: MRC?

23 MR. RANKIN: Yeah.

24 MR. BRUCE: So I would simply ask that the  
25 case be taken under advisement.

1 EXAMINER JONES: Okay. I still have listed  
2 "Bone Spring."

3 MR. BRUCE: It is a Wolfcamp.

4 EXAMINER JONES: It's a Wolfcamp.

5 MR. BRUCE: So everything in the case file  
6 is proper. It's just this (indicating).

7 EXAMINER JONES: Now, I didn't have a  
8 record that this was heard a few weeks ago.

9 MR. BRUCE: It was heard two weeks ago,  
10 yeah. I presented the case by affidavit.

11 EXAMINER BROOKS: I seem to recall that,  
12 although I certainly have seen no record of it.

13 EXAMINER JONES: What date was that? The  
14 27th?

15 MR. BRUCE: Yeah, the 27th.

16 EXAMINER JONES: So it got -- okay. I  
17 think I remember that now, too.

18 MR. BRUCE: Yeah. I filed the amended  
19 ad --

20 EXAMINER JONES: It was basically  
21 readvertised.

22 MR. BRUCE: Yeah. It was simply  
23 readvertised to correct -- to remove "Bone Spring" from  
24 the ad and put in "Wolfcamp."

25 EXAMINER JONES: Yeah. No wonder I can't

1 find the file. It's in my office (laughter).

2 EXAMINER BROOKS: Whether or not that had  
3 to be corrected, and it occurred to me that if we assume  
4 that anyone ever reads those advertisements, then it  
5 probably did. So I think it's undignified for us to  
6 assume the contrary.

7 (Case Number 20293 concludes, 3:24 p.m.)

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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 day of July 2019.

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