

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:

CASE NOS: 21091

APPLICATION OF CATENA RESOURCES OPERATING LLC
FOR COMPULSORY POOLING,
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

REPORTER'S TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS

EXAMINER HEARING

MARCH 5, 2020

SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

This matter came on for hearing before the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division, EXAMINERS FELICIA ORTH KATHLEEN MURPHY and PHILLIP GOETZE, on Thursday, March 5, 2020 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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1 HEARING EXAMINER ORTH: Now we have matter 21090
2 AWR Disposal, and we are moving that matter down into our
3 cases involving a witness. Next 21091, Catena Resources,
4 compulsory pooling matter concerning the well Omega 1835.

5 MS. LUCK: Good morning. Kaitlyn luck with the
6 Santa Fe office of Holland & Hart on behalf of the applicant
7 in this case, Catena Resources.

8 MS. BENNETT: Good morning, Deana Bennett on
9 behalf of Marathon Oil Permian LLC.

10 HEARING EXAMINER ORTH: Thank you.

11 MS. BENNETT: And we have no objection to her
12 proceeding by affidavit.

13 MS. LUCK: As mentioned, Catena would like to
14 present this case by affidavit, so before you I have
15 presented with you an exhibit packet which includes
16 affidavits from the landman and geologist.

17 Catena as well, as notice information, which is
18 found behind E and F, you will find an affidavit from our
19 office showing we provided notice of this hearing, and we
20 also timely published notice of this hearing to the interest
21 owners.

22 Just something like that I would like to point
23 out as noted in the Landman's affidavit, which is Exhibit C,
24 within the spacing unit there is a lease that is subject to
25 expiration on June 1, 2020, and so for that specific reason

1 we are requesting an expedited order in this case.

2 So with that I would move the admission of these
3 exhibits and ask the case be taken under advisement.

4 HEARING EXAMINER ORTH: Do you have questions,
5 Ms. Murphy?

6 EXAMINER MURPHY: Exhibit A looks good. Your
7 notice was timely.

8 MS. LUCK: That's correct.

9 EXAMINER MURPHY: I will note that it -- that you
10 want an expedited order, and I have no further questions.

11 MS. LUCK: Thank you.

12 HEARING EXAMINER ORTH: Thank you. So the
13 exhibits are accepted and the matter will be taken under
14 advisement.

15 (Exhibits admitted.)

16 (Taken under advisement.)

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4 REPORTER'S CERTIFICATE

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6 I, IRENE DELGADO, New Mexico Certified Court
7 Reporter, CCR 253, do hereby certify that I reported the
8 foregoing proceedings in stenographic shorthand and that the
9 foregoing pages are a true and correct transcript of those
10 proceedings that were reduced to printed form by me to the
11 best of my ability.

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

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

19 Dated this 5th of March 2020.

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