

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY, MINERALS, AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

IN THE MATTER OF THE
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
PRE-HEARING DOCKET 15-20

REPORTER'S TRANSCRIPT OF VIRTUAL PROCEEDINGS

VIRTUAL PRE-HEARING TRANSCRIPT

May 14, 2020

SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

BEFORE: FELICIA ORTH, CHIEF EXAMINER
DYLAN COSS, TECHNICAL EXAMINER
SCOTT COX, TECHNICAL EXAMINER
BAYLEN LAMKIN, TECHNICAL EXAMINER

This matter came on for virtual hearing before the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division, EXAMINERS FELICIA ORTH, DYLAN COSS, SCOTT COX and BAYLEN LAMKIN on Thursday, May 14, 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: This is Felicia Orth.
2 I'm the hearing officer appointed by the Director of the Oil
3 Conservation Division to (inaudible) 15-4. We are now in
4 our third session of virtual hearings. We have a fairly
5 short docket this morning which was posted yesterday
6 afternoon.

7 Please go to the OCD hearings page, if you have
8 not already, to see the order in which I will be calling the
9 matters this morning. There is 13 of them.

10 I thought it might be helpful to name the
11 participants I see here joining us this morning.

12 I'm here under Adrienne Sandoval, as you might
13 have guessed that as the host. I see Mr. Rankin.
14 Mr. Lamkin will be one of our technical reviewers. Darren
15 Warnel, Dana Hardy, Deana Bennett, Dylan Rose Coss, one of
16 the technical reviewers, Kaitlyn Luck, Lance Hough, Marilyn
17 Gruebel, Michael Feldewert, Marlene Salvidrez, Irene at Paul
18 Baca's, Scott Cox, Sharon Shaheen.

19 Then I have three call-in users. Who is call-in
20 user number 3, please?

21 MR. BRUCE: This is Jim Bruce here.

22 HEARING EXAMINER ORTH: Hello, Mr. Bruce. And
23 call-in user 4?

24 MR. RODRIGUEZ: I think that would be me. Good
25 morning, this is Michael Rodriguez with COG Operating LLC.

1 HEARING EXAMINER ORTH: Hi, Mr. Rodriguez. And
2 finally call-in number 5. Who is call in --

3 (No response.)

4 MS. CALLAHAN: That may be me, Candace Callahan.

5 HEARING EXAMINER ORTH: I see now Candace
6 Callahan separately showing, but you might also be call-in
7 user 5, so that's fine.

8 All right. And Phil, where is Phil?

9 All right. If something (inaudible) for our
10 virtual meetings are interrupted by technical (inaudible)
11 please check your e-mail and we will find another way to
12 meet this morning.

13 And if everyone is ready, I'm going to start
14 calling the cases.

15 (Examiner proceedings held.)

16 HEARING EXAMINER ORTH: Okay. If there is
17 nothing further, let's see, Mr. Feldewert and Mr. Hough, we
18 will be in touch with you soon around the Cimarex Energy
19 matter and the rest of you, we will be on a virtual hearing
20 again two weeks from now. So thank you all very much for
21 participating, and we'll have a (inaudible) of this week.

22 (Prehearing concluded.)

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1 STATE OF NEW MEXICO
2 COUNTY OF BERNALILLO

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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 14 day of May 2020.

20 /s/ Irene Delgado

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22 Irene Delgado, NMCCR 253
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