

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: 21621

APPLICATION OF TITUS OIL AND GAS  
PRODUCTION, LLC, FOR COMPULSORY POOLING,  
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

REPORTER'S TRANSCRIPT OF VIRTUAL PROCEEDINGS

EXAMINER HEARING

FEBRUARY 18, 2021

SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

This matter came on for virtual hearing before the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division, HEARING OFFICER FELICIA ORTH and TECHNICAL EXAMINERS LEONARD LOWE and BAYLEN LAMKIN on February 18, 2021, as hosted by the New Mexico Energy, Minerals, and Natural Resources Department, Santa Fe, New Mexico.

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STATUS CONFERENCE

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1 HEARING EXAMINER ORTH: Let's move then to 21621,  
2 Titus Oil and Gas, the applicant. It's a compulsory pooling  
3 application. Cane West is the name of the well. Ms.  
4 Shaheen, are you representing Titus here as well?

5 MS. SHAHEEN: Yes, I am. Thank you.

6 HEARING EXAMINER ORTH: Thank you. And then we  
7 have COG having entered an appearance. I see Mr. Rodriguez  
8 or Ms. Munds-Dry?

9 MR. RODRIGUEZ: Good morning, Michael Rodriguez  
10 for COG Operating.

11 HEARING EXAMINER ORTH: Good morning. Let me  
12 pause for a moment in the event there are other entries.

13 (No audible response.)

14 HEARING EXAMINER ORTH: No? And I understand we  
15 are having a status conference this morning. Do we need to  
16 talk about anything other than setting a hearing date?

17 MS. SHAHEEN: I don't believe so.

18 HEARING EXAMINER ORTH: So let me give you this  
19 date that Marlene and I came up with this morning. March  
20 18, although it had had a number of hearings on it has been  
21 freed up quite a bit. So if you would be ready to go March  
22 18 we can actually put you there. Otherwise, the next two  
23 available dates are May 6 and May 20.

24 MR. RODRIGUEZ: Madam Examiner, I believe COG, we  
25 were under the impression this would be further out in May,

1 but I can run the March 18 date by the witnesses and see  
2 what the availability looks like.

3 HEARING EXAMINER ORTH: Okay. Ms. Shaheen, how  
4 are you fixed for March 18?

5 MS. SHAHEEN: I'm in the same position as Mr.  
6 Rodriguez. I need to confer with the client.

7 HEARING EXAMINER ORTH: All right. So if you  
8 would, please, when you have conferred with your client,  
9 send all of us an e-mail and I will get a prehearing order  
10 out after you have locked in a date with your client.

11 MS. SHAHEEN: Sounds good, and I will confer  
12 with Michael as well.

13 HEARING EXAMINER ORTH: Thank you so much.

14 MR. RODRIGUEZ: Thank you.

15 MS. SHAHEEN: Thank you.

16 (Status conference concluded.)

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7 Reporter, CCR 253, do hereby certify that I reported the  
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9 that the foregoing pages are a true and correct transcript  
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12 nor related to any of the parties or attorneys in this case  
13 and that I have no interest in the final disposition of this  
14 case.

15 I FURTHER CERTIFY that the Virtual Proceeding was  
16 of poor to good quality.

17 Dated this 18th day of February 2021.

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/s/ Irene Delgado

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