

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: 21651

APPLICATION OF LONGFELLOW ENERGY
FOR COMPULSORY POOLING,
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

REPORTER'S TRANSCRIPT OF VIRTUAL PROCEEDINGS
EXAMINER HEARING
March 4, 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 EXAMINER BAYLEN LAMKIN on
Thursday, March 4, 2021, through the Webex Platform.

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1 HEARING EXAMINER ORTH: The next case is 21651.
2 This is Longfellow Energy, compulsory pooling application,
3 the well name is Hendrix.

4 Ms. Shaheen, is that you from Montgomery &
5 Andrews?

6 MS. SHAHEEN: Good morning, Madam Examiner, it
7 is. Sharon Shaheen of Montgomery & Andrews on behalf of
8 Longfellow Energy.

9 HEARING EXAMINER ORTH: Good morning. And I
10 think I saw Mr. Rankin flash on the screen there. Good
11 morning. The other party entering an appearance in the file
12 was Spur Energy Partners. Mr. Rankin?

13 MR. RANKIN: Good morning, Madam Hearing Officer.
14 Adam Rankin with the office of Holland & Hart on behalf of
15 Spur Energy Partners.

16 HEARING EXAMINER ORTH: Good morning. Let me
17 pause for a moment in the event there are other appearances.

18 (No audible response.)

19 HEARING EXAMINER ORTH: No? I understand we are
20 having a status conference.

21 MS. SHAHEEN: That is correct. We are here to
22 set a date for a contested hearing, and I have spoken or
23 e-mailed with Mr. Rankin, and we -- our parties have agreed
24 that May 21 would be a good date if that were available and
25 acceptable to the Division. If not, obviously we'll

1 accommodate the Division's schedule.

2 HEARING EXAMINER ORTH: Okay. So what that would
3 mean, to ask for May 21, is that it would be put on the
4 docket for May 20, right, because that's our ordinary
5 Thursday session, and it would be put at the end after the
6 other contested hearings that would appear, their set of
7 hearings, if you will.

8 And we can then, obviously we have Thursday and
9 Friday to, to play with, so we can certainly, as a practical
10 matter, wherever we finish on the 20th, simply adjourn and
11 reconvene that next Friday morning on May 21 regardless
12 of -- of where we are with the other contested hearings if
13 they don't go.

14 If they do go, you are simply in waiting mode
15 until we finish the first set of contested hearings so we
16 can make this work. I just can't give you a time certain
17 without knowing whether that first set of hearings is going
18 to go or not.

19 MS. SHAHEEN: Is there a chance it would go on
20 May 20 because our engineer is not available on May 20.
21 That's my only concern.

22 HEARING EXAMINER ORTH: Right. So what I'm
23 describing is, we don't have to go on May 20 if you don't
24 have an engineer available, your engineer is not available.
25 We can adjourn on May 20 and reconvene on the 21st.

1 MS. SHAHEEN: I think that would suit Longfellow.

2 HEARING EXAMINER ORTH: Okay. It's still going
3 to show on that May 20 docket, that's all I'm saying.

4 MS. SHAHEEN: I understand.

5 HEARING EXAMINER ORTH: Is there anything else we
6 need to talk about while we are on the line here together?

7 (No audible response.)

8 HEARING EXAMINER ORTH: No? Okay. I will get
9 that prehearing order out then. And thank you both very
10 much.

11 (Status conference concluded.)

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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 virtual proceedings in stenographic shorthand and
9 that the foregoing pages are a true and correct transcript
10 of those proceedings to the best of my ability.

11 I FURTHER CERTIFY that I am neither employed by
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 4th day of March 4, 2021.
18 /s/ Irene Delgado

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