

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

IN THE MATTTTER OF THE HEARING CALLED
BY THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION FOR
THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING:

Application of Titus Oil & Gas
Production, LCC to Amend Order
No.R-21433,
Lea County, New Mexico

Case No. 22022
Case No. 22023

REPORTER'S TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS

EXAMINER HEARING

JULY 1, 2021

This matter came on for hearing before the
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division, William
Brancard, Hearing Examiner, John Garcia, Technical
Examiner, on July 1, 2021, via the Webex Virtual
Conferencing Platform hosted by the New Mexico
Department of Energy, Minerals and Natural
Resources.

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1 (Time noted 9:16 a.m.)

2 EXAMINER BRANCARD: With that I'm calling
3 Cases 12 and 13, 22022 and 22023 Titus Oil & Gas,
4 Montgomery Andrews.

5 MS. SHAHEEN: Good morning again. Sharon
6 Shaheen, Montgomery & Andrews, on behalf of Titus Oil &
7 Gas Production.

8 EXAMINER BRANCARD: Thank you. Any other
9 persons interested in Cases 22022 or 22023?

10 Hearing silence, you may proceed, Ms.
11 Shaheen.

12 MS. SHAHEEN: Thank you. We submitted the
13 exhibit package on Tuesday, and taking a look at that you
14 can take a look at the Table of Contents and you will
15 briefly see that we have a landman affidavit, the
16 affidavit of Mr. Brunette, who has previously testified
17 and had his testimony accepted into the record. We've
18 attached the two applications, we've attached the two
19 Orders, and we've attached the Notice Letter.

20 Bottom line here: Titus is seeking to
21 extend the time for drilling the El Campeon Fed Com 322H,
22 422H and 512H, which were previously pooled in Cases Nos.
23 21252 and 21253, issued orders No. 21443 and 21444.

24 As explained in Mr. Brunette's affidavit,
25 the time for drilling expires on September 3rd of 2021.

1 Due to changes in market fluctuations, Covid, and federal
2 permitting issues, Longfellow -- excuse me, Titus has made
3 changes to its drilling schedule, and therefore requests
4 that these Orders be amended to extend the time for
5 drilling to September 3rd, 2022.

6 Titus further requests that the exhibits
7 previously submitted in Case Nos. 21252 and 21253 be
8 incorporated into these two new cases.

9 With that I would ask that the Division
10 accept the hearing package as a matter of record and take
11 these cases under advisement.

12 EXAMINER BRANCARD: Thank you.

13 Mr. Garcia, questions?

14 EXAMINER GARCIA: I have no questions.

15 EXAMINER BRANCARD: That you. Once again are
16 there any other interested persons for Cases 22022 or
17 22023? (Note: Pause.)

18 Hearing none, the exhibits will be admitted
19 into the record and Cases 22022 and 22023 will be taken
20 under advisement. Thank you.

21 MS. SHAHEEN: Thank you.

22 (Time noted 9:18 a.m.)

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1 STATE OF NEW MEXICO)
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3 COUNTY OF TAOS)

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5 REPORTER'S CERTIFICATE

6 I, MARY THERESE MACFARLANE, New Mexico Reporter
7 CCR No. 122, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that on Thursday, July 1,
8 2021, the proceedings in the above-captioned matter were
9 taken before me; that I did report in stenographic
10 shorthand the proceedings set forth herein, and the
11 foregoing pages are a true and correct transcription to
12 the best of my ability and control.

13 I FURTHER CERTIFY that I am neither employed by
14 nor related to nor contracted with (unless excepted by the
15 rules) any of the parties or attorneys in this case, and
16 that I have no interest whatsoever in the final
17 disposition of this case in any court.

18 /s/ Mary Macfarlane
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