

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 No.: 14642

APPLICATION OF BLACK HILLS GAS  
RESOURCES INC. FOR THE CREATION OF  
THE JICARILLA (MANCOS FORMATION)  
PROJECT AREA, AN EXCEPTION TO THE  
SPECIAL RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR  
THE BASIN-MANCOS GAS POOL AND TO  
RULE 19.15.16 NMAC, RIO ARRIBA  
COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

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REPORTER'S TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS  
EXAMINER'S HEARING

BEFORE: DAVID K. BROOKS, Legal Examiner  
TERRY WARNELL, Technical Examiner

DATE: June 9, 2011  
Santa Fe, New Mexico

This matter came on for hearing before the New  
Mexico Oil Conservation Division, DAVID K. BROOKS,  
Legal Examiner, and TERRY WARNELL, Technical Examiner,  
on Thursday, June 9, 2011, at the New Mexico Energy,  
Minerals and Natural Resources Department, 1220 South  
St. Francis Drive, Room 102, Santa Fe, New Mexico.

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A P P E A R A N C E S

FOR THE APPLICANT:

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1                   EXAMINER BROOKS:    At this time I will call  
2   Case Number 1462 -- no, wait.  I'm sorry, I failed to  
3   note, Case Number 14629 is continued.  It's on Page 6.  
4   Case Number 14629 is continued to June 23.

5                   At this time I will call Case Number 14642,  
6   the Application of Black Hills Gas Resources Inc. for  
7   creation of the Jicarilla Mancos Formation Project  
8   Area, an exception to the special rules and regulations  
9   for the Basin-Mancos Gas Pool and to Rule 19.15.16  
10  NMAC, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico.  I understand  
11  there is a motion for a continuance in this case?

12                  MR. FELDEWERT:  Yes, Mr. Examiner.  We ask  
13  that the matter be continued for two weeks.

14                  EXAMINER BROOKS:  Which would be June 23?

15                  MR. FELDEWERT:  Yes, I'm going to move --

16                  EXAMINER BROOKS:  I believe there is no other  
17  counsel involved in this case.  Is that correct?

18                  MR. FELDEWERT:  That's correct.

19                  EXAMINER BROOKS:  This is unopposed.

20                  MR. FELDEWERT:  Mr. Examiner, if I may, I'm  
21  going to move very slowly on my request for a  
22  continuance here because I didn't let Mr. Bruce know  
23  that we were going to continue, so he called his  
24  witnesses.  They are on their way.  I told him I would  
25  stall as long as I could, but it is my fault, but I did

1 let him know, and I apologize.

2 EXAMINER BROOKS: That is very courteous of  
3 you, Mr. Feldewert. Very well. Case Number 14642 is  
4 continued until June 23. Are there any other  
5 continuances or dismissals that I haven't recorded?

6 (No response.)

7 EXAMINER BROOKS: Very well, we will take a  
8 recess while Mr. Bruce gets organized.

9 MR. BRUCE: I think I'm organized.

10 MR. WARNELL: How long of a recess do you  
11 think that will be?

12 MR. BRUCE: About six days.

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I do hereby certify that the foregoing is  
a complete record of the proceedings in  
the Examiner hearing of Case No. 14642  
heard by me on June 9, 2011.  
David K. Brooks, Examiner  
Oil Conservation Division

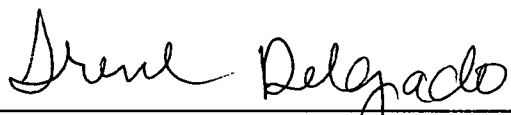
## REPORTER'S CERTIFICATE

I, IRENE DELGADO, New Mexico CCR 253, DO  
HEREBY CERTIFY that on June 9, 2011, proceedings in the  
above-captioned case were taken before me and that I  
did report in stenographic shorthand the proceedings  
set forth herein, and the foregoing pages are a true  
and correct transcription to the best of my ability.

I FURTHER CERTIFY that I am neither employed  
by nor related to nor contracted with any of the  
parties or attorneys in this case and that I have no  
interest whatsoever in the final disposition of this  
case in any court.

WITNESS MY HAND this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_.

  
Irene Delgado CCR 253  
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