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

APPLICATION OF THREE RIVERS  
OPERATING COMPANY, LLC FOR A  
NONSTANDARD SPACING AND PRORATION  
UNIT AND COMPULSORY POOLING,  
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

CASE NO. 14827

REPORTER'S TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS

EXAMINER HEARING

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

May 24, 2012

Santa Fe, New Mexico

This matter came on for hearing before the  
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division, DAVID K. BROOKS,  
Chief Examiner, and TERRY WARNELL, Technical Examiner,  
on Thursday, May 24, 2012, at the New Mexico Energy,  
Minerals and Natural Resources Department, 1220 South  
St. Francis Drive, Porter Hall, Room 102, Santa Fe,  
New Mexico.

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APPEARANCES

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1 (9:29 a.m.)

2 EXAMINER BROOKS: Let us proceed the pace.  
3 Case Number 14839 has been taken under  
4 advisement.

5 We'll next call Case Number 14827, the  
6 application of Three Rivers Operating Company, LLC for a  
7 nonstandard spacing and proration unit and compulsory  
8 pooling, Lea County, New Mexico.

9 Call for appearances.

10 MR. FELDEWERT: Mr. Examiner, Michael  
11 Feldewert, with the Santa Fe office of the law firm of  
12 Holland & Hart, appearing on behalf of the Applicant,  
13 Three Rivers Operating Company, LLC.

14 EXAMINER BROOKS: Okay. My understanding  
15 is that this is -- this case was heard at a previous  
16 hearing and has been reset to this docket for the  
17 purpose of supplementing the record with regard to  
18 notice; is that correct?

19 MR. FELDEWERT: Yes, Mr. Examiner. This  
20 was heard on April 26th. Evidence was presented.  
21 There were 13 exhibits that were admitted. We  
22 determined at that time that there was an affected  
23 party, Nasco [phonetic] Energy, for which they did not  
24 have a current address, so I know that the case was  
25 continued to allow the public notice, which has

1 occurred.

2 I've handed to both the court reporter and  
3 to each of you what has been marked as Three Rivers  
4 Exhibit 14, so it remains within the sequence of prior  
5 exhibits. We ask that you admit that exhibit and take  
6 this case under advisement.

7 EXAMINER BROOKS: Okay. Exhibit Number 14  
8 will be admitted.

9 (Three Rivers Exhibit Number 14 was offered  
10 and admitted into evidence.)

11 EXAMINER BROOKS: And if there is nothing  
12 further, Case Number 14827 will be taken under  
13 advisement.

14 (The hearing concluded, 9:30 a.m.)  
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18 I do hereby certify that the foregoing is  
19 a complete record of the proceedings in  
20 the Examiner hearing of Case No. \_\_\_\_\_  
21 \_\_\_\_\_, Examiner  
22 Oil Conservation Division  
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1 STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
2 COUNTY OF BERNALILLO  
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4 CERTIFICATE OF COURT REPORTER

5 I, MARY C. HANKINS, New Mexico Certified  
6 Court Reporter No. 20, and Registered Professional  
7 Reporter, do hereby certify that I reported the  
8 foregoing proceedings in stenographic shorthand and that  
9 the foregoing pages are a true and correct transcript of  
10 those proceedings that were reduced to printed form by  
11 me to the best of my ability.

12 I FURTHER CERTIFY that the Reporter's  
13 Record of the proceedings truly and accurately reflects  
14 the exhibits, if any, offered by the respective parties.

15 I FURTHER CERTIFY that I am neither  
16 employed by nor related to any of the parties or  
17 attorneys in this case and that I have no interest in  
18 the final disposition of this case.

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