## STATE OF NEW MEXICO

ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

CASE NOS. 13,586; 13,274; 13,589; 13,532, de novo; 13,486, de novo; 13,480, de novo; 13,367, de novo; 13,368, de novo; and 13,372, de novo (Continued)

#### CONTINUED CASES

### TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS

BEFORE: MARK E. FESMIRE, CHAIRMAN ORIGINALS 150

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January 12th, 2006 Santa Fe, New Mexico

These matters were continued to future hearing dates by MARK E. FESMIRE, Chairman, New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission, on Thursday, January 12th, 2006, at the New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department, 1220 South Saint Francis Drive, Room 102, Santa Fe, New Mexico, Steven T. Brenner, Certified Court Reporter No. 7 for the State of New Mexico.

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WHEREUPON, the following proceedings were had at 10:05 a.m.:

CHAIRMAN FESMIRE: Okay, so the first thing we'll do is go ahead and go on the record for the Thursday,

January 12th, 2006, meeting of the Oil Conservation

Commission to order. Let the record reflect that

Commissioner Bailey and Commissioner Olson are not present.

We therefore do not have a quorum and cannot conduct other business. However, we do have several continuances we need to call.

The first continuance is Case Number 13,586, which was continued from the December 8th Commission meeting. This case will be continued to March 23rd, 2006. It's in the matter of the Application of the New Mexico Oil Conservation for removal of existing Rules 709 and 710 and the adoption of new rules governing surface waste management.

The next case on the docket is Case Number 13,274, continued from the December 8th, 2005, Commission. This case will be continued to the February 9th, 2006, Commission meeting. It's the Application of Arch Petroleum, Inc., for approval of two nonstandard gas spacing and proration units in the Jalmat Gas Pool, Lea County, New Mexico.

The third case is Case Number 13,589, continued

from the December 8th, 2005, Commission meeting. This case will be continued to the February 9th, 2006, Commission meeting. It's the Application of Duke Energy Field Services, L.P., for approval of an acid gas injection well in Lea County, New Mexico.

The next case is Case Number 13,532. It's de novo, continued from the December 8th, 2005, Commission case -- Commission meeting. The case will be continued to the February 9th, 2006, Commission meeting. It's the Application of J.W. Neal, Patricia Neal, and the Claudia Young Trust to rescind Division Administrative Order Number SWD-984, in Lea County, New Mexico.

The next case is Case Number 13,486, de novo, continued from the November 10th, 2005, Commission meeting. This case will be continued to the February 9th, 2006, Commission meeting. It's the Application of Synergy Operating, LLC, for compulsory pooling in San Juan County, New Mexico.

The next case before the Commission is Case

Number 13,480. It's de novo, continued from the November

8th [sic], 2005, Commission meeting. The case will be

continued in the February 9th, 2006, Commission meeting and
then dismissed. The Application of Gandy Marley, Inc., to

modify their existing NMOCD 711 Permit Number NM-01-019 so

that they may accept salt-contaminated oilfield wastes.

The next case is Case Number 13,367, de novo, continued from the November 10th, 2005, Commission meeting. This case will be continued to the February 9th, 2006, Commission meeting. It's the Application of Bass Enterprises Production Company for an order authorizing the drilling of a well in the potash area of Eddy County, New Mexico.

The next case before the Commission is Case

Number 13,368, de novo, continued from the November 10th,

2005, Commission meeting. This case will be continued to
the February 9th, 2006, Commission meeting. It's the

Application of Devon Energy Production Company, L.P., for
an order authorizing the drilling of a well in the potash
area of Eddy County, New Mexico.

And the last case before the Commission today is Case Number 13,372, de novo, continued from the November 10th, 2005, Commission meeting. This case will be continued to the February 9th, 2006, Commission meeting. It's the Application of Devon Energy Production Company, L.P., for approval of an unorthodox well location and authorization to drill a well in the potash area of Eddy County, New Mexico.

Without a quorum, there will be no approval of the minutes.

Is there any other business that needs to come

before the small part of the Oil Conservation Commission that is here today? Okay, the Chair seeing none will go ahead and adjourn this meeting of the Oil Conservation Commission for Thursday, January 12th, 2006. (Thereupon, these proceedings were concluded at 10:12 a.m.) 

### CERTIFICATE OF REPORTER

STATE OF NEW MEXICO )
) ss.
COUNTY OF SANTA FE )

I, Steven T. Brenner, Certified Court Reporter and Notary Public, HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing transcript of proceedings before the Oil Conservation Commission was reported by me; that I transcribed my notes; and that the foregoing is a true and accurate record of the proceedings.

I FURTHER CERTIFY that I am not a relative or employee of any of the parties or attorneys involved in this matter and that I have no personal interest in the final disposition of this matter.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL January 12th, 2006.

STEVEN T. BRENNER CCR No. 7

My commission expires: October 16th, 2006