

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. 11,820

APPLICATION OF McELVAIN OIL AND GAS )  
PROPERTIES, INC., FOR A NONSTANDARD )  
GAS PRORATION UNIT, SAN JUAN COUNTY, )  
NEW MEXICO )

**ORIGINAL**

REPORTER'S TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS

EXAMINER HEARING

**RECEIVED**

BEFORE: MICHAEL E. STOGNER, Hearing Examiner

AUG 11 1997

Oil Conservation Division

July 24th, 1997

Santa Fe, New Mexico

This matter came on for hearing before the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division, MICHAEL E. STOGNER, Hearing Examiner, on Thursday, July 24th, 1997, at the New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department, Porter Hall, 2040 South Pacheco, Santa Fe, New Mexico, Steven T. Brenner, Certified Court Reporter No. 7 for the State of New Mexico.

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July 24th, 1997  
Examiner Hearing  
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REPORTER'S CERTIFICATE

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1 WHEREUPON, the following proceedings were had at  
2 12:50 p.m.:

3 EXAMINER STOGNER: This hearing will come to  
4 order again. I'll call Case Number 11,820, Application of  
5 McElvain Oil and Gas Properties, Inc., for a nonstandard  
6 gas proration unit, San Juan County, New Mexico.

7 This Application is for a nonstandard 288.73-acre  
8 Blanco-Mesaverde gas spacing and proration unit to comprise  
9 all of irregular Section 7, Township 32 North, Range 9  
10 West. It is advertised in such a matter in the absence of  
11 objection that this case will be taken under advisement.

12 Pursuant to the special rules and regulations,  
13 this matter could not be considered administratively  
14 because it did meet the guidelines set forth in the rules  
15 and regs. Because this proration unit does go over half-  
16 section lines, it was advertised in this manner because of  
17 the land surveys up there, is conducive to form a proration  
18 unit in such a manner.

19 At this time I will call for any appearances.  
20 There being none, because nobody's in the room, this matter  
21 will be taken under advisement and I will act accordingly.

22 With that, this hearing is adjourned.

23 (Thereupon, these proceedings were concluded at  
24 12:51 p.m.)

25 \* \* \* heard by me on 24 July 1997.  
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Michael P. Stogner, Examiner

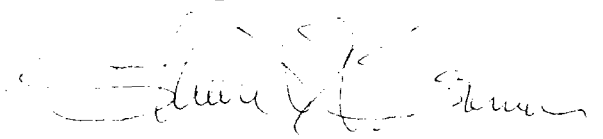
## CERTIFICATE OF REPORTER

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 Division 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 July 29th, 1997.

  
STEVEN T. BRENNER  
CCR No. 7

My commission expires: October 14, 1998