

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

CASE NOS. 12,186 and 12,148-50 (Continued)

CONTINUED CASES
TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS

BEFORE: LORI WROTENBERY, CHAIRMAN
JAMI BAILEY, COMMISSIONER
ROBERT LEE, COMMISSIONER (Present by Telephone)

October 14th, 1999

Santa Fe, New Mexico

These matters came on for hearing before the Oil Conservation Commission, LORI WROTENBERY, Chairman, on Thursday, October 14th, 1999, 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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1 WHEREUPON, the following proceedings were had at
2 9:00 a.m.

3 CHAIRMAN WROTENBERY: Okay, we'll go ahead and
4 get started. This should be a very quick meeting of the
5 Oil Conservation Commission. It's October 14th, 1999, and
6 most of us are here in the OCD conference room in Santa Fe.

7 I'm Lori Wrotenbery, Chairman of the Oil
8 Conservation Commission.

9 We've got Commissioner Jami Bailey representing
10 Land Commissioner Ray Powell here.

11 Commissioner Robert Lee is participating in this
12 meeting by telephone. It's going to be such a short
13 meeting, we determined that we would hook him in by phone
14 rather than asking him to make the four-hour trip back and
15 forth between Santa Fe and Socorro.

16 Lyn, do we need to say anything more to make
17 Commissioner Lee's participation official?

18 MS. HEBERT: Commissioner Lee is attending
19 pursuant to the Division's rule on attendance of
20 Commissioners at hearings by telephone.

21 CHAIRMAN WROTENBERY: Okay, great, thank you.

22 We also have Florene Davidson, the Commission
23 secretary, Lyn Hebert, the Commission's legal counsel,
24 Steve Brenner is going to record this short meeting for us
25 today, and then the Oil Conservation Division's legal

1 counsel Rand Carroll is going to assist us with one of the
2 items on the agenda.

3 First thing is the minutes of last meeting of the
4 Oil Conservation Commission, it's the one we held in
5 Farmington on September 23rd, 1999.

6 Commissioners, have you had a chance to review
7 the draft minutes?

8 COMMISSIONER BAILEY: Yes, I have, and I move
9 that we accept the minutes of the last meeting.

10 COMMISSIONER LEE: I second.

11 CHAIRMAN WROTENBERY: All in favor say "aye".

12 COMMISSIONER BAILEY: Aye.

13 COMMISSIONER LEE: Aye.

14 CHAIRMAN WROTENBERY: Aye. And I will sign those
15 minutes on behalf of the Commission.

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18 CHAIRMAN WROTENBERY: And let's see, we did have
19 a couple of cases that were originally scheduled for
20 today's meeting, but they have been continued.

21 One of them is Case 12,186. This is the *de novo*
22 hearing on the Application of Chesapeake Oil Operating,
23 Inc., for compulsory pooling in Lea County, New Mexico. At
24 the request of the parties, this case is being continued to
25 the Commission's hearing on November 17th, 1999.

1 And then we had three cases involving the Wiser
2 Oil Company. These were Cases 12,148, 12,149 and 12,150.
3 They all involve Applications of the Wiser Oil Company to
4 qualify three of their waterflood expansion projects for
5 the recovered oil tax rates, and these particular cases
6 have been continued to the Commission's hearing on November
7 17th, 1999, at the request of the *de novo* Applicant.

8 (Thereupon, these proceedings were concluded at
9 9:05 a.m.)

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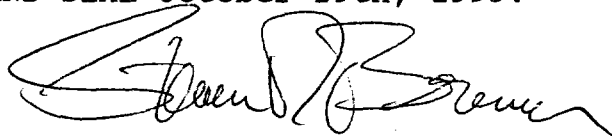
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COUNTY OF SANTA FE)

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 October 29th, 1999.



STEVEN T. BRENNER
CCR No. 7

My commission expires: October 14, 2002