

## 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. 12,678

AMENDED APPLICATION OF RAPTOR RESOURCES, )  
 INC., FOR TWO UNORTHODOX INFILL GAS WELL )  
 LOCATIONS AND SIMULTANEOUS DEDICATION, )  
 LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO )

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REPORTER'S TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGSEXAMINER HEARING

BEFORE: DAVID R. CATANACH, Hearing Examiner

July 12th, 2001

Santa Fe, New Mexico

OIL CONSERVATION DIV  
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This matter came on for hearing before the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division, DAVID R. CATANACH, Hearing Examiner, on Thursday, July 12th, 2001, 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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REPORTER'S CERTIFICATE

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## E X H I B I T

Applicant's	Identified	Admitted
Exhibit A	3	4

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## A P P E A R A N C E S

FOR THE DIVISION:

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FOR THE APPLICANT:

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 P.O. Box 2208  
 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504-2208  
 By: WILLIAM F. CARR

ALSO PRESENT:

RICHARD EZEANYIM  
 Chief Engineer  
 New Mexico Oil Conservation Division  
 1220 South Saint Francis Drive  
 Santa Fe, NM 87501

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1           WHEREUPON, the following proceedings were had at  
2   12:26 p.m.:

3           EXAMINER CATANACH: At this time I'll call Case  
4   12,678, which is the amended Application of Raptor  
5   Resources, Inc., for two unorthodox infill gas well  
6   locations and simultaneous dedication, Lea County, New  
7   Mexico.

8           Call for appearances in this case.

9           MR. CARR: May it please the Examiner, my name is  
10   William F. Carr with the Santa Fe law firm Holland and  
11   Hart, L.L.P. We represent Raptor Resources, Inc., in this  
12   matter.

13           Mr. Examiner, as you will recall, this case was  
14   heard on June the 14th, and at that time it was discovered  
15   that certain wells on the subject unit had been omitted  
16   from the Application and advertisement. We presented  
17   testimony that covered all wells on that date and were  
18   given permission to file an amended Application and  
19   renotify all affected parties with the case to be reopened  
20   today.

21           We filed the amended Application, and I have an  
22   affidavit confirming that all parties have been notified in  
23   accordance with Division rules, and we would ask permission  
24   to admit Raptor Exhibit A, which is the notice affidavit,  
25   and request that the case be taken under advisement based

1 on the June 14th record.

2 EXAMINER CATANACH: Okay, Mr. Carr, Exhibit A  
3 will be admitted in Case Number 12,678.

4 MR. CARR: And that concludes our presentation in  
5 this matter.

6 EXAMINER CATANACH: And just let the record show  
7 that there are no other parties present in the room to  
8 appear in this case. And there being nothing further, Case  
9 12,678 will be taken under advisement.

10 (Thereupon, these proceedings were concluded at  
11 12:28 p.m.)

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16 I do hereby certify that the foregoing is  
17 a complete record of the proceedings in  
18 the Examiner hearing of Case No. 12678,  
19 heard by me on July 12 192001,  
20 Donald M. Catnach, Examiner  
21 Off Conservation Division  
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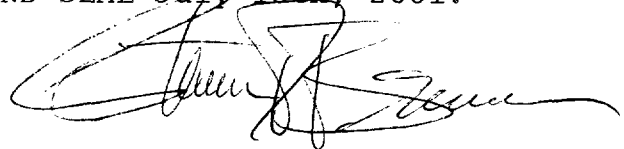
## CERTIFICATE OF REPORTER

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 18th, 2001.



STEVEN T. BRENNER  
CCR No. 7

My commission expires: October 14, 2002