

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
STATE LAND OFFICE BUILDING
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

20 August 1986

EXAMINER HEARING

IN THE MATTER OF:

The hearing called by the Oil Con- CASE
servation Division on its own motion 8981
or an order creating and extending
certain pools in Eddy County, New
Mexico.

BEFORE: David R. Catanach, Examiner

TRANSCRIPT OF HEARING

A P P E A R A N C E S

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MICHAEL E. STOGNER

Direct Examination by Mr. Taylor 3

E X H I B I T S

Division Exhibit One, Documents

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2 MR. CATANACH: Call next Case
3 8981. In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil
4 Conservation Division on its own motion for an order creat-
5 ing and extending certain pools in Eddy County, New Mexico.

6 Are there appearances in this
7 case?

8 MR. TAYLOR: May it please the
9 Examiner, I'm Jeff Taylor, Counsel for the Division, and I
10 have one witness to be sworn.

11 MR. CATANACH: Are there other
12 appearances?

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14 (Witness sworn.)

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16 MICHAEL E. STOGNER,
17 being called as a witness and being duly sworn upon his
18 oath, testified as follows, to-wit:

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20 DIRECT EXAMINATION

21 BY MR. TAYLOR:

22 Q Would you please state your name, occupa-
23 tion, and place of residence?

24 A I'm Michael E. Stogner. I'm a petroleum
25 engineer with the Oil Conservation Division here in Santa

1 Fe. I reside in Las Vegas, New Mexico.

2 Q Mr. Stogner, you have previously testi-
3 fied befor the Commission and had your credentials accepted.

4 A Yes, I have.

5 MR. TAYLOR: Mr. Examiner, I
6 tender the witness as an expert petroleum engineer.

7 MR. CATANACH: Mr. Stogner's
8 considered qualified.

9 Q Mr. Stogner, are you prepared to make re-
10 commendations to the Examiner today concerning the nomencla-
11 ture of certain pools in Eddy County, New Mexico?

12 A I am.

13 Q And are your recommendations prepared in
14 the form of an exhibit?

15 A They are.

16 Q And how is that exhibit denominated?

17 A Number 1.

18 Q Will you then please refer to exhibit
19 Number One and to the docket that's been prepared and dis-
20 tributed at the hearing today and point out any differences
21 between the two?

22 A There are no differences between the ex-
23 hibit and the docket today.

24 Q Do you have anything further to add to
25 your testimony?

1 A I do not.

2 Q Was Exhibit Number One prepared by you or
3 have you examined it and can testify as to its accuracy and
4 correctness?

5 A Mr. Taylor, I have just noticed a mistake
6 here. No, it's reversed, I'm sorry.

7 Q It's just reversed.

8 A I'm sorry, my mistake. There is no mis-
9 take. Yes, I have.

10 Q Do you have anything further to add to
11 your testimony?

12 A No, I do not.

13 MR. TAYLOR: Mr. Examiner, I'd
14 move to admit Exhibit Number One.

15 MR. CATANACH: Exhibit Number
16 One will be admitted into evidence.

17 MR. TAYLOR: And that's all we
18 have in this matter.

19 MR. CATANACH: Is there any-
20 thing further in Case 8981?

21 MR. TAYLOR: No, sir.

22 MR. CATANACH: If not, it will
23 be taken under advisement.

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(Hearing concluded.)

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C E R T I F I C A T E

I, SALLY W. BOYD, C.S.R., DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing Transcript of Hearing before the Oil Conservation Division (Commission) was reported by me; that the said transcript is a full, true, and correct record of the hearing prepared by me to the best of my ability.

Sally W. Boyd CSR

I do hereby certify that the foregoing is a complete record of the proceedings in the Examiner hearing of Case No. 8981, heard by me on August, 1986.

David R. Catonah, Examiner
Oil Conservation Division