

7. (Application for Geophysical Exploration Permit - Standard Oil Company of California - Santa Barbara County - W. O. 346) The Commission was informed that an application has been received from the Standard Oil Company of California for permission to conduct submarine geophysical exploration operations on tide and submerged lands between the City of Santa Barbara and Point Conception, Santa Barbara County during the period August 9 to September 30, 1948, inclusive. Approval has been given by the State Fish and Game Commission for the use of explosives during the subject period. Permission has been granted subject to confirmation by the State Lands Commission to conduct the operations up to and including September 30, 1948.

Upon motion duly made and unanimously carried a resolution was adopted confirming the issuance of the permit to the Standard Oil Company of California for the conduct of submarine geophysical exploration operations on tide and submerged lands between the City of Santa Barbara and Point Conception, Santa Barbara County during the period August 9 to September 30, 1948, inclusive for the consideration of the statutory \$5.00 filing fee, subject to the agreement of the applicant to indemnify and save the State free and harmless of and from any and all liability in any way arising out of or in connection with the proposed operations.

8. (Application for Mineral Extraction Lease - Mono Lake - Charles C. Miller - W. O. 163) The Commission was informed that an application has been received from Mr. Charles C. Miller of Baldwin Park, California for a mineral extraction lease in Mono Lake, Mono County, covering an area lying 50 feet on either side of a center line running North and South parallel with and 100 feet East of the 1/16th section line of Section 19, T. 2 N., R. 26 E., M.D.B. & M., and extending from the ordinary low water mark of Mono Lake to a point one thousand feet South of South line of said Section 19 all adjacent to the fee property of the applicant. The statutory \$5.00 filing fee and cost deposit in the amount of \$50.00 to cover advertising have been deposited.

Upon motion duly made and unanimously carried a resolution was adopted authorizing the Executive Officer to publish a Notice of Intention in accordance with the Rules and Regulations of the Commission, to receive bids for a Mineral Extraction Lease from the area specified hereinbefore subject to the condition that no royalty offers of less than \$.50 per ton or 2% of the weighted average sales price per ton F.O.B. the extraction plant of the aggregate of all minerals and mineral products extracted from the leased premises and sold whichever is the greater as specified by Section 6966 of the Public Resources Code, will be considered.

9. (Application for Right of Way Easement - Owens Lake, Inyo County - Permanente Metals Corporation - W. O. 334) The Commission was informed that an application has been received from the Permanente Metals Corporation for the issuance of a right-of-way Easement for the construction, maintenance and operation of pipe lines within the meander line of Owens Lake, Inyo County, to inter-connect the operations to be conducted under the sublease of a portion of the Natural Soda Products Company, Lease 659 and the area leased by the Permanente Metals Corporation under Lease P.R.C. No. 356.