

State of California

Minutes of the Meeting of the
State Lands Commission
Sacramento, California

March 28, 1963

A regular meeting of the State Lands Commission was called to order by Chairman Cranston in the Department of Employment Conference Room W-1075, 722 Capitol Avenue, Sacramento 14, California, at 10:30 a.m. on Thursday, March 28, 1963.

Present: Alan Cranston, State Controller, Chairman
Glenn M. Anderson, Lieutenant Governor, Member*
Hale Champion, Director of Finance, Member
* Present for morning session only

Staff Members in Attendance:

F. J. Hortig, Executive Officer
Fred W. Kreft, Assistant Executive Officer
A. W. Pfeil, Supervising Mineral Resources Engineer
Kenneth C. Smith, Public Lands Officer
Julia T. Stahl, Secretary

Others in Attendance, representing:

Special Subcommittee of the Senate Research Committee
Senator Virgil O'Sullivan, Chairman

Assembly Committee on Manufacturing, Oil and Mining Industry
Assemblyman Joseph M. Koznick, Chairman

State Legislature
Assemblyman C. George Deukmejian

Office of the Lieutenant Governor
Alan Sieroty, Executive Secretary

Office of the State Controller
Irwin J. Nebron, Deputy State Controller

Office of the Attorney General
Jay L. Shavelson, Deputy Attorney General, Los Angeles
Paul M. Joseph, Deputy Attorney General, Sacramento

Department of Fish & Game
Robert D. Montgomery, Acting Deputy Director

Department of Water Resources
N. D. Sturm for John E. Hunt

City of Long Beach

L. W. Brock, Petroleum Properties Administrator
Gerald Desmond, City Attorney
Harold A. Lingle, Deputy City Attorney
Raymond C. Kealer, Councilman
John D. Mansell, City Manager
M. N. Mayuga, Chief Petroleum Engineer, Long Beach Harbor
Department
W. C. McWhinney, Legislative Representative
Emmet M. Sullivan, Councilman

Common Market Trading Corporation

Jerry Godell, President

Continental Oil Company

C. M. Curb, Attorney
L. E. Graham, Special Representative

Continental Eastern Corp. and Jade Oil & Gas Co.

C. C. Albright, Consultant

Edwin W. Pauley & Associates

J. Barton Hutchins

Humble Oil & Refining Company

William R. Gardner, Area Attorney
C. F. Guion, Scout
Neal D. Williams, Landman

Jade Oil & Gas Co.

Johnny Mitchell, President

Jameson Petroleum

Gene W. Wilbur, Secretary-Treasurer

Mobil Oil Company

Geo. H. Ketchum, Division Landman

Orion Oil Company & S. I. Corporation

W. A. Foraker, President, Orion Oil Company

Pauley Petroleum

L. E. Scott, Assistant to the President

Phillips Petroleum Company

Fox Thomas, Area Landman

Richfield Oil Corporation

Ray Arnett, Public Relations Representative, Bakersfield
Mervyn Phelan, Attorney
R. W. Ragland, Vice President
M. J. Taves, Unit Engineer

Standard Oil Company of California

John W. Alden, Attorney, Pillsbury, Madison & Sutro
James E. Lindsay, Staff Engineer
J. Thacher
James L. Wanvig, Lawyer

Standard Oil Company of California, Western Operations, Inc.

Paul K. Home, Contract Counsel

Shell Oil Company

D. E. Clark
R. F. Karshner
A. T. Newcomb, Attorney
Otton M. Smith, Tax Representative

Signal Oil and Gas Company

Paul Ottoson, Attorney
Wm. B. Townsend, Attorney
James K. Wootan, Vice President

Texaco Inc.

Wayne Eckert, District Landman
Rex M. Grivetti, Assistant Division Geologist
J. F. McClung, Division Landman

Union Oil Company of California

Sam A. Snyder, Attorney
Robert W. Putnam, Attorney
Earl M. Welty, Director of Public Relations

Western Oil & Gas Association

H. W. Wright, Manager, Land & Tax Department

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Hal Cruzan, 793 Market Street, San Francisco

The Press

Wilson K. Lythgie, Sacramento Bee
Herman H. Ridder, Publisher, Long Beach Press-Telegram
Don Ohl, Editorial Associate, Long Beach Independent,
Press-Telegram

1. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF JANUARY 1963 MEETING

Upon motion duly made and unanimously carried, the minutes of the meeting of the State Lands Commission of January 24, 1963, were approved as written and mailed to the members of the Commission.

2. NEXT COMMISSION MEETING

The next meeting of the Commission was reconfirmed for 10 a.m. Thursday, April 25, 1963, in Sacramento, with the understanding that an afternoon session may possibly be necessary.