

38. RESCISSION OF MORATORIUM ON PROCESSING OF APPLICATIONS, PERMITS, OR LEASES FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF GEOTHERMAL RESOURCES - W.O. 4550.11.

On January 26, 1966, pursuant to a request from the Senate Fact Finding Committee on Natural Resources, a moratorium was imposed upon the processing of any applications, permits, or leases for the development of geothermal resources.

The Executive Officer reported that a letter had been received from the Honorable Fred S. Farr, Chairman of the Senate Fact Finding Committee on Natural Resources, dated February 21, 1966, addressed to the Chairman of the Commission, reading;

"In view of the progress toward achieving basic agreement on the form of legislation for permits and leases on State lands for the development of geothermal resources, I feel that there would be no further need to continue the moratorium on processing of applications, permits and leases for this purpose and, therefore, request that such moratorium be lifted."

UPON MOTION DULY MADE AND CARRIED, A RESOLUTION WAS ADOPTED RESCINDING THE MORATORIUM THAT WAS IMPOSED JANUARY 26, 1966, ON THE PROCESSING OF APPLICATIONS, PERMITS, OR LEASES FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF GEOTHERMAL PRODUCTS.