

18. COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT FOR WATER INJECTION OPERATIONS, RANGER ZONE, BELMONT OIL FIELD, LONG BEACH UNIT, ORANGE COUNTY; HUMBLE OIL & REFINING COMPANY AND TEXACO INC. - P.R.C. 186.1, W.O. 6629; W.O. 5200.505.6.

After consideration of Calendar Item 18 attached, and upon motion duly made and carried, the following resolution was adopted:

THE COMMISSION

1. FINDS AS TO THE CITY OF LONG BEACH:
 - A. THAT THE "COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT FOR WATER INJECTION OPERATIONS, LONG BEACH UNIT, HUMBLE AND TEXACO, RANGER ZONE" BETWEEN HUMBLE OIL & REFINING COMPANY AND TEXACO INC., AND THE CITY OF LONG BEACH ACTING IN ITS CAPACITY AS UNIT OPERATOR OF THE LONG BEACH UNIT, PROVIDES THAT ANY IMPAIRMENT OF THE PUBLIC TRUST FOR COMMERCE, NAVIGATION, OR FISHERIES TO WHICH GRANTED LANDS ARE SUBJECT IS PROHIBITED;
 - B. THAT THE ENTERING INTO AND THE PERFORMANCE OF SUCH AGREEMENT IS IN THE PUBLIC INTEREST.
2. APPROVES THE AFORESAID COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT ON BEHALF OF THE STATE, PURSUANT TO APPLICABLE LAW.
3. FINDS AS TO THE STATE'S LESSEES OF LEASE P.R.C. 186.1 THAT IT IS NECESSARY AND ADVISABLE IN THE PUBLIC INTEREST THAT THE SAID LESSEES ENTER INTO THE AFORESAID COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT.
4. AUTHORIZES THE EXECUTIVE OFFICER TO EXECUTE ON BEHALF OF THE COMMISSION THE "APPROVAL BY STATE LANDS COMMISSION."

Attachment

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On July 27, 1967, the Commission approved a Cooperative Agreement for Water Injection Operations, Long Beach Unit, Humble and Texaco, Ranger Zone, and authorized the Executive Officer to execute the "Approval by State Lands Commission."

Action by the Long Beach City Council, as required under Section 6879 of the Public Resources Code, was taken on July 11, 1967. Subsequently, the form of "Approval by State Lands Commission" was modified.

On August 8, 1967, the City Council rescinded its action of July 11, 1967, and by resolution adopted the amended form. For this reason it is desirable that the Commission reaffirm its action of July 27, 1967, in connection with the Cooperative Agreement.

IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT THE COMMISSION

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B. THAT THE ENTERING INTO AND THE PERFORMANCE OF SUCH AGREEMENT IS IN THE PUBLIC INTEREST.

2. APPROVE THE AFORESAID COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT ON BEHALF OF THE STATE, PURSUANT TO APPLICABLE LAW.

3. FIND AS TO THE STATE'S LESSEES OF LEASE P.R.C. 186.1 THAT IT IS NECESSARY AND ADVISABLE IN THE PUBLIC INTEREST THAT THE SAID LESSEES ENTER INTO THE AFORESAID COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT.

4. AUTHORIZE THE EXECUTIVE OFFICER TO EXECUTE ON BEHALF OF THE COMMISSION THE "APPROVAL BY STATE LANDS COMMISSION."