MINUTE ITEM

53. AWARD OF OIL AND GAS LEASE, GRAY LODGE WATERFOWL MANAGEMENT AREA, BUTTE COUNTY; E. B. TOWNE, AN INDIVIDUAL - W.O. 6895, P.R.C. 4003.1.

After consideration of Calendar Item 50 attached, and upon motion duly made and carried, the following resolution was adopted:

THE COMMISSION ACCEPTS THE BID MADE BY E. B. TOWNE, AN INDIVIDUAL, AND AUTHORIZES THE ISSUANCE OF AN OIL AND GAS LEASE TO THE AFORESAID BIDDER FOR APPROXIMATELY 520 ACRES OF LAND IN BUTTE COUNTY DESIGNATED AS W.O. 6895, AS DETAILED IN THE NOTICE OF INTENTION PUBLISHED JUNE 5 AND JUNE 12, 1968. THE CASH-BONUS PAYMENT IN CONSIDERATION OF ISSUANCE OF THE LEASE IS TO BE \$2,666.66, AS OFFERED IN THE BID.

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50.

AWARD OF OIL AND GAS LEASE

HIGHEST QUALIFIED BIDDER:

E. B. Towne, an individual

BID:

\$2,666.66

DATE OF BID:

July 12, 1968

ACREAGE:

520

LOCATION:

Gray Lodge Waterfowl Management Area, Butte County

TYPE OF LAND:

Proprietary land under the jurisdiction of the Department of

Fish and Game

AUTHORIZATION TO OFFER:

May 23, 1968 (Minute Item 44, Page 610)

NOTICE OF INTENTION PUBLISHED:

June 5 and June 12, 1968

OTHER BIDS:

None

STAFF DETERMINATION:

Sufficient as to technical and economic factors.

ATTORNEY GENERAL DETERMINATION:

- A. The Commission has complied with procedural requirements of law;
- B. The bid submitted conforms with:
 - 1. The bid requirements as specified in the proposals of the Commission;
 - 2. The applicable provisions of law; and
 - 3. The Rules and Regulations of the Commission.

IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT THE COMMISSION ACCEPT THE BID MADE BY E. B. TOWNE, AN INDIVIDUAL, AND AUTHORIZE THE ISSUANCE OF AN OIL AND GAS LEASE TO THE AFORESAID BIDDER FOR APPROXIMATELY 520 ACRES OF LAND IN BUTTE COUNTY DESIGNATED AS W.O. 6895, AS DETAILED IN THE NOTICE OF INTENTION PUBLISHED JUNE 5 AND JUNE 12, 1968. THE CASH-BONUS PAYMENT IN CONSIDERATION OF ISSUANCE OF THE LEASE IS TO BE \$2,666.66, AS OFFERED IN THE BID.