31. PERMIT TO PROSPECT FOR GEOTHERMAL RESOURCES, SUBMERGED LAND AND SCHOOL LAND, MONO LAKE, MONO COUNTY; GEOTHERMAL RESOURCES INTERNATIONAL, INC. - W-6715, P.R.C. 4399.1.

After consideration of Calendar Item 30 attached, and upon motion duly made and carried, the following resolution was adopted:

PURSUANT TO SECTION 6904 OF THE PUBLIC RESOURCES CODE, THE COMMISSION AUTHORIZES THE ISSUANCE OF THE STANDARD FORM OF PERMIT TO GEOTHERMAL RESOURCES INTERNATIONAL, INC., TO PROSPECT FOR GEOTHERMAL RESOURCES ON LAND DESCRIBED IN EXHIBIT "A" ATTACHED AND HEREBY MADE A PART HEREOF. THE PERMIT SHALL CONTAIN THE PROVISIONS IN EXHIBIT "B" ATTACHED AND BY REFERENCE MADE A PART HEREOF.

Attachment Calendar Item 30 (3 pages) 30.

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO PROSPECT FOR GEOTHERMAL RESOURCES

APPLICANT:

Geothermal Resources International, Inc.

LCCATION:

Mono Lake, Mono County.

TYPE OF LAND:

Submerged land and school land.

ACREAGE:

1,750.65.

SURFACE OWNER:

State.

PREREQUISITE ITEMS:

- a. Application approved by Attorney General's Office.
- b. Land has not been classified as known geothermal resources land.
- c. Statutory filing fee and permit fee have been deposited by applicant.

IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT, PURSUANT TO SECTION 6904 OF THE PUBLIC RESOURCES CODE, THE COMMISSION AUTHORIZE THE ISSUANCE OF THE STANDARD FORM OF PERMIT TO SECTIFEMAL RESOURCES INTERNATIONAL, INC., TO PROSPECT FOR GEOTHERMAL RESOURCES ON LAND DESCRIBED IN EXHIBIT "A" ATTACHED AND HEREBY MADE A PART HEREOF. THE PERMIT SHALL CONTAIN THE PROVISIONS IN EXHIBIT "B" ATTACHED AND BY REFERENCY MADE A PART HEREOF.

Attachments: Exhibits "A" and "B"

EXHIBIT "A"

All those State lands within the bed and shores of Mono Lake, which are located within the following Sections and Projections thereof:

Township 3 North, Range 27 East, M.D.M.	Acreage
Section 36	24.20
Township 2 North, Range 27 East, M.D.M.	
Section 1	576.40
Township 2 North, Range 28 East, M.D.M.	
Section 6 Section 7	215.05 638.20
and all those contiguous State lands located as follows:	
Township 3 North, Range 27 East, M.D.M.	
Section 36: The northwest quarter (NW/4), the north half of the southwest	
quarter $(N/2 SW/4)$, and Lots 1 and 2.	296,80
Total	1,750.65

NOTE: Acreage computations for that fractional section in T. 2 N., R. 27 E., M.D.M., is based on the township plat approved August 12, 1879, the acreage computations for those fractional sections in T. 2 N., R. 28 E., M.D.M., are based on the township plat approved January 28, 1856, and the acreage computation for that fractional section in T. 3 N., R. 27 E., M.D.M., is based on the township plat approved December 17, 1857. These acreages are for the purpose of computing rental rates and are not necessarily all of the State-owned submerged land in those fractional sections.

EXHIBIT "B"

- 1. Notwithstanding any other provisions of the permit, in order to provide the State with access to Mono Lake, permittee shall not occupy the surface of the West 900 feet of Section 36, T. 3 N., R. 27 E., M.D.M., or use such surface for drilling or producing geothermal resources or generating electricity.
- 2. No filled lands, piers, platforms, or other fixed or floating structures in, on, or over the submerged lands covered by this permit shall be constructed, used, maintained, or operated without the written authorization of the State Lands Division.