MINUTE ITEM

18. DEFERMENT OF DRILLING REQUIREMENTS, STATE OIL & GAS LEASE P.R.C. 1824.1, SUMMERLAND OFFSHORE AREA, SANTA BARBARA COUNTY; STANDARD OIL COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA AND HUMBLE OIL & REFINING COMPANY - W-9259.

After consideration of Calendar Item 22 attached, and upon motion duly made and carried, the following resolution was adopted:

THE COMMISSION AUTHORIZES THE GRANTING TO STANDARD OIL COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA, WESTERN OPERATIONS, INC., OF A DEFERMENT OF DRILLING REQUIREMENTS UNDER OIL AND GAS LEASE P.R.C. 1824.1 THROUGH JUNE 9, 1971; ALL OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE LEASE TO REMAIN IN FULL FORCE ALL EFFECT.

Attachment:

Calendar Item 22 (1 page)

22.

DEFERMENT OF DRILLING REQUIREMENTS

P.R.C.:

1824.1.

LESSEE:

Standard Oil Company of California and

Humble Oil & Refining Company.

OPERATOR:

Standard Oil Company of California Western Operations, Inc.

COUNTY:

Santa Barbara.

AREA:

Summerland offshore.

ISSUED:

January 10, 1957.

WORK COMPLETED ON LEASE:

Constructed two drilling and production platforms, "Hilda" and "Hazel". Drilled 52 wells and redrilled 28. Twenty-seven wells are currently producing.

PREVIOUS DEFERMENTS:

From April 20, 1964, through December 9, 1970.

THIS DEFERMENT:

From December 10, 1970, through June 9, 1971.

REASON FOR DEFERMENT:

The operator has postponed proposed drilling operations pending further determination of State policy concerning offshore drilling.

IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT THE COMMISSION AUTHORIZE THE GRANTING TO STANDARD OIL COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA, WESTERN OPERATIONS, INC., OF A DEFERMENT OF DRILLING REQUIREMENTS UNDER OIL AND GAS LEASE P.R.C. 1824.1 THROUGH JUNE 9, 1971; ALL OTHER TERMS AND COLDITIONS OF THE LEASE TO REMAIN IN FULL FORCE AND EFFECT.