

MINUTE ITEM

This Calendar Item No. 26
was approved as Minute Item
No. 26 by the State Lands
Commission by a vote of 3
to 0 at its 9/29/77 CALENDAR ITEM
meeting.

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PRC 4906.1
PRC 4927.1
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QUITCLAIM OF PERMITS TO PROSPECT FOR
GEOTHERMAL RESOURCES PRC 4906.1 AND PRC 4927.1
MODOC COUNTY

PERMITTEE: American Thermal Resources, Inc.
1740 West Katella Avenue - Suite "D"
Orange, California 92667

LOCATION: PRC 4906.1 - Surprise Valley, Middle Alkali
Lake, Modoc County.
PRC 4927.1 - Surprise Valley, Lower Alkali
Lake, Modoc County.

ACREAGE: PRC 4906.1 - 4,270 acres.
PRC 4927.1 - 3,836 acres.

DATE OF ISSUANCE: PRC 4906.1 - April 24, 1974.
PRC 4927.1 - June 27, 1974.

PERTINENT DATA: American Thermal Resources and Gulf Oil
Corporation drilled well "Goodwin" 1-11,
near the permit areas in December of 1974.
No geothermal resources were encountered
and the well was abandoned. The permittee
feels that additional exploration is unwar-
ranted and for this reason has quitclaimed
the permits pursuant to the provisions
of Section 29 of the permit. All other
terms and conditions of the permit have
been complied with.

EXHIBIT: A. Location Map.

IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT THE COMMISSION AUTHORIZE THE ACCEPTANCE
OF QUITCLAIMS TO TERMINATE PERMITS TO PROSPECT FOR GEOTHERMAL
RESOURCES PRC 4906.1 AND PRC 4927.1, MODOC COUNTY, EFFECTIVE
MARCH 7, 1976; IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 29 OF THE PERMITS,
AS REQUESTED BY THE PERMITTEE, AMERICAN THERMAL RESOURCES,
INC.

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