

A meeting of the State Lands Commission was held in Room 306 State Capitol, Sacramento, October 6, 1943, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Present

Hon. John F. Hassler, Chairman  
Hon. Frederick F. Houser  
Hon. Harry B. Riley

Absent

None.

1. The minutes of the meeting of the State Lands Commission held in Los Angeles on September 8, 1943, were, upon motion duly made and carried, unanimously approved and confirmed as submitted.
2. (State Oil and Gas Lease No. 52.) Upon motion duly made and unanimously carried, a resolution was adopted confirming the action of the Executive Officer which he had heretofore taken in approving the drilling of Well No. 7 on the premises described in State Oil and Gas Lease No. 52 (Chapter 303 - 1921), such approval having been given subject to the lessee's conforming with all the terms and conditions of the lease and the rules and regulations of the State Lands Commission.
3. (Amendment to Rule 501 of Regulation C.) Upon motion duly made and unanimously carried, a resolution was adopted whereby Rule 501 of Regulation C was amended by the addition of the following:

"As a preliminary condition to Commission approval for the drilling of a well on State Oil and Gas Leases or Easements, the operator shall submit to the Commission the proposed course of the well with vertical and horizontal projections of said course drawn up on graph paper to a scale of 100' to the inch. Upon completion of the new well, the operator shall file with the Commission, a complete survey of the well, electric log, well history, drillers log and all core data available."
4. (Lease No. 78, Public Resources Code.) Upon motion duly made and unanimously carried, a resolution was adopted wherein the Executive Officer was authorized to enter into Lease No. 78, P.R.C., with the War Department's River and Harbors and Fortifications Division, for the consideration of \$1.00. The State area involved consists of 3.10 acres of submerged lands in New York Slough, which lie easterly of the city limits of the City of Pittsburg, Contra Costa County. The period covered by the lease expired on June 30, 1943, however, the Government is given an option to renew the lease from year to year, but in no event is the term to extend beyond six months after the termination of the present National Emergency. Provision is also made in the lease for the termination by the Government upon thirty days notice to the State.