

A meeting of the State Lands Commission was held in Room 301 State Building, Los Angeles, on March 18, 1946 at 2:30 P.M.

Present: Honorable James S. Dean, Chairman
Honorable Frederick F. Houser, Member
Honorable Thomas H. Kuchel, Member.

1. Upon motion duly made and unanimously carried, the minutes of the meetings of the State Lands Commission held in Sacramento on January 18th and February 15th, 1946, were approved and confirmed as submitted.

2. The next meeting of the Commission was tentatively scheduled to be held in Sacramento, on Saturday, April 13, 1946, at 10 A.M.

3. (Partial Assignment - State Oil and Gas Lease No. P.R.C. 91) Upon motion duly made and unanimously carried, the Commission authorized approval of partial assignment from H. R. Hamilton to T. H. Sherman of fifteen per cent of H. R. Hamilton's one - third interest in that portion of the leasehold estate which has not been conveyed heretofore to Huntington State Company under approval by the State Lands Commission.

Approval of the assignment is subject to agreement by the Lessees and Assignees or any successors thereto to continue assumption of all liabilities and responsibilities for compliance with all terms, provisions and conditions of said Lease No. P.R.C. 91 and exhibits thereof.

4. (Notice of Intention to Lease Tide and Submerged Lands for Oil Development - Santa Barbara Mesa) The Commission was informed that the City of Santa Barbara had passed ordinances which will become effective April 7, 1946, prohibiting oil drilling on the area within the City of Santa Barbara known as Santa Barbara Mesa.

Upon motion duly made and unanimously carried, the Commission adopted a resolution rescinding the previous Commission action on April 7, 1944 authorizing the advertising for bids of the tide and submerged area offshore from Santa Barbara Mesa.