UPON MOTION DULY MADE AND UNANTMOUS Y CARRIED, IT WAS RESOLVED AS FOLLOWS:

The Executive Officer is authorized to issue a permit, conforming to the criteria established by the Commission, with respect to Santa Barbara County (Minute Item No. 13 preceding), to the Western Gulf Oil Company for the conduct of submerine geophysical exploration operations on those tide and submerged lands under the jurisdiction of the State Lands Commission lying southerly of a line drawn due West from Point Dume, Los Angeles Gounty, and northerly of the extension westerly of the California-Mexico Border for the period November 1, 1953, to January 31, 1954, inclusive, the permittee to reimburse the Division of State Lands for all of its inspection costs. The permit is to be effective only as long as a concurrent permit by the Fish and Game Commission is in effect for the same operating area.

15. (SUPMARINE GEOFHYSICAL EXPLORATION, VENTURA, LOS ANGELES, GRANGE AND SAN DIEGO COUNTIES, RICHFIELD OIL CORPORATION - W.O. 1523, P.R.C. 853.1.) The Richfield Oil Corporation has made application for authorization to conduct submarine geophysical exploration operations on those tide and submerged lands under the jurisdiction of the State Lands Commission lying between the westerly boundary of the County of Ventura and the projection seaward of the California-Mexico Border, during the period September 14 to December 14, 1953.

The Department of Fish and Game has granted a concurrent permit for the use of explosives in connection with the proposed operations. The Boards of Supervisors of the Counties of Ventura, Los Angeles, Orange and San Diego were informed that this application was to be considered.

Mr. Hortig reported that a request has been received from Ventura County for inclusion in any permit of the same limitations as may be authorized for Santa Barbara County.

UPON MOTION DULY MADE AND UNANIMOUSLY CAPRIED, IT WAS RESOLVED AS FOLLOWS:

The Executive Officer is authorized to issue a permit, conforming to all criteria established by the Commission, with respect to Santa Barbara County (Minute Item No. 13 preceding), to the Richfield Oil Corporation for the conduct of submarine geophysical exploration operations on those tide and submerged lands under the jurisdiction of the State Lands Commission lying southerly and easterly of the projection due South of the westerly boundary of the County of Ventura and northerly of a line drawn due West from the California-Mexico Border, Orange County, for the period October 27 to December 14, 1953, inclusive, the permittee to reimburse the Division of State Lands for all of its inspection costs. The permit is to be effective only as long as a concurrent permit by the Fish and Game Commission is in effect for the same operating area.