

State of California

Minutes of the Meeting of the  
State Lands Commission  
Sacramento, California

May 25, 1961

A regular meeting of the State Lands Commission was called to order by Chairman Alan Cranston in Room 2170 State Capitol Annex, Sacramento 14, California, at 10:12 a.m. on Thursday, May 25, 1961.

Present: Alan Cranston, State Controller, Chairman\*  
Glenn M. Anderson, Lieutenant Governor, Member\*  
John E. Carr, Director of Finance, Member \*\*

\* Chairman Cranston left meeting just before action was taken on Minute Item 11, and asked Commissioner Anderson to take over as Chairman for the remainder of the meeting.

\*\* Commissioner Carr was absent from the meeting during presentation of Minute Items 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10.

Staff Members in Attendance:

F. J. Hortig, Executive Officer  
F. W. Kreft, Assistant Executive Officer  
Kenneth C. Smith, Public Lands Officer  
Nathan Blacker, Staff Counsel  
Julia T. Stahl, Secretary

Others in Attendance:

Representing the Office of the Lieutenant Governor

Don Rose, Executive Secretary

Representing the Office of the Attorney General

Jay L. Shavelson, Deputy Attorney General, Los Angeles  
Paul M. Joseph, Deputy Attorney General, Sacramento

Representing the City of Long Beach

Harold A. Lingle, Deputy City Attorney  
W. C. McWhinney, Legislative Representative

Representing Oil and Gas Interests

Edwin W. Pauley & Associates  
J. Barton Hutchins

Gulf Oil Corporation of California

Booth Kellough, Attorney (Denver, Colorado)  
Don Gilkison, Area Exploration Manager (Bakersfield)  
T. L. Lewis, Jr., Area Landman (Bakersfield)  
Paul A. Rahe, District Landman (Denver, Colorado)

Representing Oil and Gas Interests (contd.)

Humble Oil & Refining Company  
C. F. Guion, Exploration Scout

Mobil Oil Company  
Geo. H. Ketchum, Division Landman

Phillips Petroleum Company  
Mark R. Corcoran

Richfield Oil Corporation  
Clark Heggeness, Ball, Hunt & Hart  
K. M. Cook  
Merwyn W. Phelan, Attorney  
A. S. Rudder, Special Assignments

Signal Oil and Gas Company  
Paul Ottoson, Attorney

Standard Oil Company of California,  
Western Operations, Inc.  
D. G. Couvillon, General Manager, Land Department  
Paul K. Home, Land Department

Texaco Inc.  
Wayne J. Eckert, District Landman

1. NEXT COMMISSION MEETING

UPON MOTION DULY MADE AND UNANIMOUSLY CARRIED, IT WAS CONFIRMED THAT THE NEXT MEETING OF THE COMMISSION WOULD BE HELD IN LOS ANGELES AT 10:00 A.M. ON THURSDAY, JUNE 22, 1961.