OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION COMMISSION
4515 N. 7th Avenue
Phoenix, Arizona 85013

Minutes of Meeting
May 23, 1971

Present:
Mr. Ralph W. Bilby, Chairman
Mr. Lucien B. Owens, Member
Mr. W. Roger Hafford, Member
Mr. Frank E. Moore, Member
Mr. Robert A. Bledsoe, Member

The regular Commission meeting for the month of May, 1971 was called to order by Chairman Ralph Bilby at 10:00 a.m.

The minutes of the meeting of April 16, 1971 were approved as written.

Reports of Executive Secretary, Enforcement Section and Geology Section were accepted.

Executive Secretary advised that since House Bill 147 has passed both houses of the Legislature, been signed by the Governor, and did not have the emergency clause, it will become law on August 13, 1971. As changes were made in the statutes, certain changes will be necessary in the rules and regulations, which will require a public hearing before new rules can be published. Executive Secretary was instructed to arrange the hearing to coincide with the regular September Commission meeting.

After discussion, motion was made and carried that Executive Secretary approach the Finance Department with an amended proposal from Ammon International Corporation for sale of copyrights for certain maps which would be of invaluable use to Commission geologists, as well as other state departments. The original proposal from Ammon International Corporation was refused by the Finance Department, as the purchase would necessitate transfer of funds from "Other Operating Funds Account" to "Capital Outlay Account".

Mr. F. L. Ryan, Supervisor of Water, Mineral, Oil and Gas Production, State Land Department, introduced Mr. John M. Little, Assistant State Land Commissioner. Mr. Little advised that the State Land Department might be in position to assist with the purchase of the Ammon copyrights, as might some other State departments.
Meeting adjourned at 11:45 a.m.

APPROVED

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Ralph W. Bilby, Chairman