

**BEFORE THE
OIL & GAS COMMISSION**

STALLION PETROLEUM,
Appellant,

-vs-

DIVISION OF OIL & GAS,
Appellee.

Appeal No. 642


Review of Chief's Order 97-209

**ORDER OF THE
COMMISSION GRANTING
JOINT MOTION FOR
CONSENT DECISION**

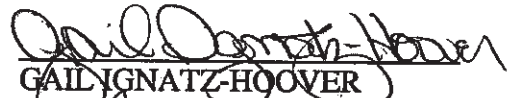

The Oil & Gas Commission has received and reviewed the parties' Joint Motion for Consent Decision and finds it well taken. Accordingly, the Commission **ADOPTS** the Consent Decision. There being no outstanding issues of law or fact, the Commission hereby **DISMISSES** appeal no. 642, with prejudice.

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STALLION OIL AND GAS)

Appellant,)

v.)

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Ohio Department of Natural)
Resources,)

Appellee.)

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CONSENT AGREEMENT

Now come the parties, appellant, Stallion Petroleum dba Stallion Oil and Gas (hereafter "Stallion") and appellee, Thomas G. Tugend, Acting Chief of the Division of Oil and Gas, who, in order to settle the presently pending administrative proceeding captioned Stallion Petroleum v. Donald L. Mason, Chief, Division of Oil and Gas stipulate to the following facts and conditions:

FACTS

1. Stallion is the owner of the oil and gas well known as the Cannon No. 2 well, Permit 5802, located in Perry County, Clayton Township.

2. The Cannon No. 2 well is incapable of producing oil and gas in commercial quantities.

3. Chief's Order 97-209 was issued by the Chief of the Division of Oil and Gas requiring that the subject well either be placed into production within 10 days of the receipt of that Order or plugged and abandoned within 30 days of receipt of the Order.

4. The subject well has not been plugged or placed into production.

CONDITIONS

5. By August 15, 1998, Stallion shall either place into production or plug in accordance with the requirements of R.C. Chapter 1509. and Ohio Admin. Code Chapter 1501 the Cannon No. 2 well.

6. Stallion shall be responsible to follow-up at the Cannon No. 2 well site to insure full compliance with the requirements of R.C. Chapter 1509. and Ohio Admin. Code Chapter 1501., including but not limited to the establishment of vegetative cover to bind the soil and prevent substantial erosion. If necessary, Stallion will reseed the site until proper growth occurs.

7. All work on the well site will be performed in a prudent and workmanlike manner and in compliance with the requirements of R.C. Chapter 1509. and Chapter 1501. of the Ohio Admin. Code.

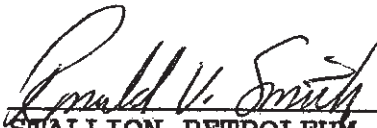
8. Nothing in this CONSENT AGREEMENT shall be construed so as to prejudice the right of the Division of Oil and Gas to issue other decisions and orders to enforce the provisions of R.C. Chapter 1509 and Ohio Admin. Code Chapter 1501. including the seeking of civil penalties for the failure to comply with this Consent Agreement.


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9. Appeal 642 is dismissed with prejudice.

10 The Division of Oil and Gas reserves all rights to enforce R.C. Chapter 1509. and Ohio Admin. Code Chapter 1501. including but not to the right to file a civil enforcement action seeking injunctive relief and civil penalty for noncompliance with this Consent Agreement.


7-24, 1998
STALLION PETROLEUM, dba
STALLION OIL & GAS
By Ronald V. Smith, its
President, who has
authority to enter into
this Agreement and bind
Stallion Petroleum


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