

**RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS
HEARINGS DIVISION**

FINAL ORDER

Oil & Gas Docket No. 03-0308529

Single Signature P-4 Filing of American Patriot Operating Corp. (Operator No. 018883) for the Shelton, Charles H. Fee Lease (Lease No. 11146), Well Nos. 1, 2 and 4, Goose Creek Field, Harris County, Texas, to Change the Operator of Record from OTeX Resources, LLC (Operator No. 628135) to American Patriot Operating Corp.

Oil & Gas Docket No. 03-0308540

Single Signature P-4 Filing of American Patriot Operating Corp. (Operator No. 018883) for the Shelton, Busch "D" Lease (Lease No. 17912), Well No. 1, Goose Creek Field, Harris County, Texas, to Change the Operator of Record from OTeX Resources, LLC (Operator No. 628135) to American Patriot Operating Corp.

Oil & Gas Docket No. 03-0308541

Single Signature P-4 Filing of American Patriot Operating Corp. (Operator No. 018883) for the Enderli, Busch Lease (Lease No. 17378), Well Nos. 1 and 2, Goose Creek Field, Harris County, Texas, to Change the Operator of Record from OTeX Resources, LLC (Operator No. 628135) to American Patriot Operating Corp.

Oil & Gas Docket No. 03-0308545

Single Signature P-4 Filing of American Patriot Operating Corp. (Operator No. 018883) for the CRH Corp Lease (Lease No. 16107), Well No. 1, Goose Creek Field, Harris County, Texas, to Change the Operator of Record from OTeX Resources, LLC (Operator No. 628135) to American Patriot Operating Corp.

Oil & Gas Docket No. 03-0308547

Single Signature P-4 Filing of American Patriot Operating Corp. (Operator No. 018883) for the Busch-Shelton Lease (Lease No. 16363), Well No. 1A, Goose Creek Field, Harris County, Texas, to Change the Operator of Record from OTeX Resources, LLC (Operator No. 628135) to American Patriot Operating Corp.

Oil & Gas Docket No. 03-0308549

Single Signature P-4 Filing of American Patriot Operating Corp. (Operator No. 018883) for the Shelton, Busch "E" Lease (Lease No. 18095), Well No. 1, Goose Creek Field, Harris County, Texas, to Change the Operator of Record from OTeX Resources, LLC (Operator No. 628135) to American Patriot Operating Corp.

Oil & Gas Docket No. 03-0308550

Single Signature P-4 Filing of American Patriot Operating Corp. (Operator No. 018883) for the Jones, W.L. Lease (Lease No. 23994), Well No. 1, Goose Creek Field, Harris County, Texas, to Change the Operator of Record from OTeX Resources, LLC (Operator No. 628135) to American Patriot Operating Corp.

Oil & Gas Docket No. 03-0308552

Single Signature P-4 Filing of American Patriot Operating Corp. (Operator No. 018883) for the Busch Shelton "B" Lease (Lease No. 16865), Well No. 2, Goose Creek Field, Harris County, Texas, to Change the Operator of Record from OTeX Resources, LLC (Operator No. 628135) to American Patriot Operating Corp.

The Railroad Commission of Texas ("Commission") finds that after statutory notice in the above-docketed cases, heard on February 26, 2018, the presiding Administrative Law Judge and Technical Examiner have made and filed a Proposal for Decision containing findings of fact and conclusions of law, which was served on all parties of record, and that this proceeding was duly submitted to the Commission at a conference held in its offices in Austin, Texas.

The Commission, after review and due consideration of the Proposal for Decision and the findings of fact and conclusions of law contained therein, and any exceptions and replies thereto, hereby adopts as its own the findings of fact and conclusions of law contained therein, and incorporates those findings of fact and conclusions of law as if fully set out and separately stated herein.

IT IS ORDERED that the applications of American Patriot Operating Corp. to change the Commission operator of record for the following leases and wells in the Goose Creek Field in Harris County are **APPROVED**:

1. The Shelton, Charles H. Fee Lease (Lease No. 11146), Well Nos. 1, 2 and 4;
2. The Shelton, Busch "D" Lease (Lease No. 17912), Well No. 1;
3. The Enderli, Busch Lease (Lease No. 17378), Well Nos. 1 and 2;
4. The CRH Corp Lease (Lease No. 16107), Well No. 1;
5. The Busch-Shelton Lease (Lease No. 16363), Well No. 1A;
6. The Shelton, Busch "E" Lease (Lease No. 18095), Well No. 1;
7. The Jones, W.L. Lease (Lease No. 23994), Well No. 1; and
8. The Busch Shelton "B" Lease (Lease No. 16865), Well No. 2.

American Patriot's submitted Form P-4s *Certificate of Compliance and Transportation Authority* reflecting itself as the current operator for the these wells and leases are hereby **APPROVED** subject to the provisions of TEX. NAT. RES. CODE §§ 91.1041, 91.1042, 91.107, 91.114, 91.142, and 16 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §§ 3.15, 3.58, and 3.78.

It is **ORDERED** that Mineral Traders, LLC's request to be a protestor and/or intervenor in this case is **DENIED** and Mineral Traders, LLC is **DIMISSED** from this case.

It is **ORDERED** that Tri City Oil Co., LLC's request to be a protestor and/or intervenor in this case is **DENIED** and Tri City Oil Co., LLC is **DIMISSED** from this case.

It is further **ORDERED** by the Commission that this order shall not be final and effective until 25 days after the Commission's Order is signed, unless the time for filing a motion for rehearing has been extended under TEX. GOV'T CODE § 2001.142, by agreement under TEX. GOV'T CODE § 2001.147, or by written Commission Order issued pursuant to TEX. GOV'T CODE § 2001.146(e). If a timely motion for rehearing of an application is filed by any party at interest, this order shall not become final and effective until such motion is overruled, or if such motion is granted, this order shall be subject to further action by the Commission. Pursuant to TEX. GOV'T CODE § 2001.146(e) and 16 TEX. ADMIN. CODE § 1.128(e), the time allotted for Commission action on a motion for rehearing in this case prior to its being overruled by operation of law is hereby extended until 100 days from the date the Commission Order is signed.

Each exception to the Proposal for Decision not expressly granted herein is overruled. All requested findings of fact and conclusions of law which are not expressly adopted herein are denied. All pending motions and requests for relief not previously granted or granted herein are denied.

DONE in Austin, Texas on August 21, 2018.

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