STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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

APPEARANCES

Commissioners Present:

Kenneth Cory, State Controller, Chairman
David Ackerman, Commission-Alternate for Mike Curb, Lieutenant Governor
Susanne Morgan, Commission-Alternate for Mary Ann Graves, Director of Finance

Staff Members in Attendance

William F. Northrop, Executive Officer
James F. Trout, Assistant Executive Officer
R. C. Hight, Chief Counsel
D. J. Everitts, Chief, Division of Energy and Mineral Resources Development
W. M. Thompson, Chief, Division of Long Beach Operations

Representing the Office of the Attorney General

N. Gregory Taylor, Assistant Attorney General

Re Minute Item 40:

E. Clemente Shute, representing Save San Francisco Bay Association
Ted MacDonell, City Manager, City of Vallejo
MINUTES OF THE STATE LANDS COMMISSION
MEETING OF
SEPTEMBER 29, 1981

The regular meeting of the State Lands Commission was called to order by Chairman Kenneth Cory at 10:05 a.m. in Room 4202, State Capitol.

Also present were David Ackerman, Commission-Alternate for Mike Curb, Lieutenant Governor, and Susanne Morgan, Commission-Alternate for Mary Ann Graves, Director of Finance.

The minutes of the meeting of August 20, 1981 were approved as presented.

EXECUTIVE OFFICER'S REPORT:

(See attached Exhibit "A")
LETTER OF PERMISSION - CITY OF PACIFICA

A LETTER OF PERMISSION WAS GRANTED TO THE CITY OF PACIFICA, IN ADVANCE OF A ROUTINE PERMIT, TO PLACE RIPRAP ALONG BEACH BOULEVARD IN PACIFICA (SAN MATÉO COUNTY). THE WORK IS NEEDED TO PREVENT EROSION OF BEACH BOULEVARD FROM WINTER STORMS; NORMAL PROCESSING OF A PERMIT WOULD NOT ALLOW THE PROJECT TO BE COMPLETED IN A TIMELY MANNER.

THE CITY HAS AGREED TO APPLY FOR A PERMIT.

STAFF ASSURES ME THAT THE CITY HAS CLEARANCES FROM OTHER JURISDICTIONS, AND THAT THERE ARE NO ENVIRONMENTAL CONCERNS OVER THE PROJECT.

LETTERS OF PERMISSION - THE PACIFIC TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH CO.

ON SEPTEMBER 22, 1981, LETTERS OF PERMISSION WERE GRANTED TO THE PACIFIC TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH CO. TO ENTER UPON SUBMERGED LANDS IN THE SAN JOAQUIN RIVER AT MOSSDALE BRIDGE, SAN JOAQUIN COUNTY, AND THE MOKELUMNE RIVER AT...
BENSON FERRY BRIDGE IN SACRAMENTO AND SAN JOAQUIN COUNTIES FOR
A PERIOD OF SIXTY (60) DAYS TO CONSTRUCT, OPERATE, AND
MAINTAIN AN OPTICAL FIBER SYSTEM.

THIS IS A SUPPLEMENTAL SYSTEM THAT CONVERTS THE HUMAN
VOICE TO AN ELECTRONIC PULSE AND THEN CONVERTS THAT PULSE TO
A LIGHT WAVE WHICH CARRIES MESSAGES ALONG GLASS FIBERS
WITHIN A CABLE.

THE TIMEFRAME FOR INSTALLING THE CABLE ACROSS SOVEREIGN
LANDS IS EXTREMELY CRITICAL BECAUSE THE STATE RECLAMATION BOARD
AND THE DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND GAME HAVE RESTRICTED THE PROJECT
ACTIVITY TO THE PERIOD OF APRIL 15 THROUGH NOVEMBER 1.
PACIFIC TELEPHONE REQUESTED THE STATE LANDS COMMISSION'S
PERMISSION TO ENTER ONTO THE SUBJECT LANDS AS SOON AS
POSSIBLE IN ORDER TO COMPLETE THE WATERWAY CROSSINGS
BEFORE NOVEMBER 1. THE PROJECT IS LIMITED TO ATTACHING A
CABLE TO ONE SIDE OF AN EXISTING BRIDGE AT EACH CROSSING
SITE.
PACIFIC TELEPHONE HAS AGREED TO INDEMNIFY THE STATE AGAINST ANY LOSS. IT IS ANTICIPATED THAT APPLICATIONS FOR THE TWO CROSSING SITES WILL BE FORMALLY CONSIDERED BY THE COMMISSION ON THE OCTOBER AGENDA. THE PROJECTS ARE CATEGORICALLY EXEMPT UNDER THE CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT AND SUBSEQUENT AMENDMENTS THERETO.
During the meeting, the recommendations of the staff relative to Calendar Items C1, C2, C3, C4, C5, C6, C7, C8, C9, C10, C11, C12, C13, C14, C15, C16, C17, C18, C19, C20, C21, C22, C24, C25, C26, C27, 29, 30, 31, 33, 34, 35, 36, 38, 39 and 43 were adopted as resolutions of the Commission by unanimous vote.


Calendar Items 37 and 42 were withdrawn from the agenda prior to the meeting.