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8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
 9 EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

11 THOMAS PETROLEUM, LLC d/b/a
 12 EASTERN SIERRA OIL,

13 Plaintiff,

14 vs.

15 KENNETH LLOYD, an individual, E.S.
 16 OIL, LLC, a California limited liability
 company, and DOES 1-30, inclusive,

17 Defendant.

Case No. 1:11-CV-00902-LJO-JLT

**[PROPOSED] ORDER RE: PLAINTIFF'S
 REQUEST TO SEAL DOCUMENTS**

**FED. R. CIV. PROC. 5.2, 26;
 LOC. R. CT. 141**

Date: August 21, 2012
Time: 8:30 a.m.
Dept: 4
Judge: Hon. Lawrence J. O'Neill

Complaint Filed: June 2, 2011
Trial Date: December 4, 2012

19 KENNETH LLOYD,

20 Cross-Complainant,

21 vs.

22 THOMAS PETROLEUM, LLC,

23 Cross-Defendant.
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 262 Having read and considered Plaintiff Thomas Petroleum, LLC's ("Thomas Petroleum")
 7 Request to Seal Documents, in which Defendants Kenneth Lloyd and E.S. Oil, LLC join, and for

1 good cause showing, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the following documents, attached as
2 exhibits to the specified declarations and filed as exhibits to such declarations in support of
3 Thomas Petroleum’s Motion for Summary Adjudication, are to be filed under seal in connection
4 with that filing:

5 **1. Three Exhibits To Declaration of Mani Sheik** in Support of Thomas
6 Petroleum’s Motion for Summary Adjudication:

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- 8 • **Exhibit A:** The following exhibits to the deposition of Kenneth Lloyd:
 - 9 ○ Communications containing an environmental impact assessment for a
10 proposed project, bates-stamped TP 000120-000140, produced pursuant to
11 the Protective Order and designated “confidential.”
 - 12 ○ One of the two contracts that Defendants entered into with a third-party,
13 bates-stamped ESOIL 000218-01 to 000233-01, produced pursuant to the
14 Protective Order and designated “confidential.”
 - 15 ○ The other contract that Defendants entered into with a third-party, bates-
16 stamped ESOIL 001756-001784, produced pursuant to the Protective
17 Order and designated “confidential – for counsel only.”
 - 18 • **Exhibit C:** The following exhibits to the deposition of John Saxon
 - 19 ○ A thirteen-page lease, bates numbered TP000175-TP000187, produced
20 pursuant to the Protective Order and designated “confidential.”
 - 21 ○ Thomas Petroleum’s current, thirteen-page lease, bates numbered
22 TP000162-TP000174, produced pursuant to the Protective Order and
23 designated “confidential-for counsel only.”
 - 24 • **Exhibit J:** Financial documents, bates labeled TP 001034-001052, 001055-
25 001057, 001060-001088, that Lloyd took with him when he left his employment
262 with Thomas Petroleum on May 4, 2011, and returned in mid-April 2012,
7 produced pursuant to the Protective Order and designated them “confidential-for
28 counsel only.”

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2. **Two Exhibits To Declaration of Rebecca Scripps** in Support of Thomas Petroleum's Motion for Summary Adjudication:

- **Exhibit A:** A thirteen-page lease, bates numbered TP000175-TP000187, produced pursuant to the Protective Order and designated "confidential."
- **Exhibit J:** Thomas Petroleum's current, thirteen-page lease, bates numbered TP000162-TP000174, produced pursuant to the Protective Order and designated "confidential-for counsel only."

3. **One Exhibit To Declaration of Stephen Moore** in Support of Thomas Petroleum's Motion for Summary Adjudication:

- **Exhibit C:** Thomas Petroleum's employee handbook, Bates-stamped TP 000204-000219, produced pursuant to the Protective Order and designated "confidential."

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: July 19, 2012

/s/ Lawrence J. O'Neill

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE