THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION **OF THE STATE OF KANSAS**

Before Commissioners:

Susan K. Duffy, Chair Shari Feist Albrecht Dwight D. Keen

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In the matter of the failure of Prairie Gas) Operating, LLC ("Operator") to comply with) K.A.R. 82-3-111 at the Watson #1 and Earl #1 in Greeley County and Hamilton County, Kansas.

In the matter of the failure of Prairie Gas) Operating, LLC ("Operator") to comply with K.A.R. 82-3-407 at the Bounds #2 in Greeley County, Kansas.

Docket No: 20-CONS-3129-CPEN

CONSERVATION DIVISION

License No: 35442

Docket No: 20-CONS-3144-CPEN

CONSERVATION DIVISION

License No: 8061

PREHEARING OFFICER ORDER SETTING PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

This matter comes before the State Corporation Commission of the State of Kansas

(Commission). Having reviewed the pleadings and record, the Prehearing Officer makes the

following findings:

1. On December 12, 2019, Operator requested a hearing on the penalty orders issued in

the captioned dockets. These matters have been consolidated for hearing on a common record.¹

At a January 21, 2020, prehearing conference, all parties agreed to the following 2.

procedural schedule:

Commission Staff Pre-Filed Direct Testimony **Operator Pre-Filed Direct & Rebuttal Testimony** Commission Staff Pre-Filed Rebuttal Testimony

Deadline to Make Discovery Requests: Deadline to Submit Any Settlement for Consideration:

Evidentiary Hearing before the Commission, 266 N. Main, Suite 220, Wichita, Kansas 67202:

Due: February 7, 2020 Due: March 9, 2020 Due: March 30, 2020

February 7, 2020 April 6, 2020

April 16, 2020, 10:00 a.m.

¹ See Prehearing Officer Order Consolidating Dockets (Jan. 22, 2020).

3. Failure to submit pre-filed testimony may result in the Commission restricting the right to testify and present evidence at the evidentiary hearing. At the hearing, the Commission may limit the parties' direct and rebuttal testimony to the pre-filed testimony.

4. Any person requiring special accommodations under the Americans with Disabilities Act should notify the Commission at least 10 days before the scheduled hearing date.

6. Any party who fails to attend or participate in the evidentiary hearing or any other stage of this proceeding may be held in default under the Kansas Administrative Procedure Act.²

7. A corporation shall appear before the Commission by a Kansas licensed attorney.³

THEREFORE, THE PREHEARING OFFICER ORDERS:

A. The procedural schedule set forth in Paragraph 2 above is adopted.

B. The Commission retains jurisdiction over the subject matter and parties for the purpose of entering such further orders as it deems necessary.

BY THE PREHEARING OFFICER IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: January 22, 2020

Is Jonathan R. Myers

Jonathan R. Myers Prehearing Officer

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² K.S.A. 77-518(c)(8); K.S.A. 77-520.

³ K.S.A. 77-515(c); K.A.R. 82-1-228(d)(2).

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

20-CONS-3129 CPEN AND 20-CONS-3144-CPEN

I, the undersigned, certify that a true copy of the attached Order has been served to the following by means of

electronic service on 01/22/2020

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