

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

Before Commissioners: Jay Scott Emler, Chairman  
Shari Feist Albrecht  
Pat Apple

In the matter of an Order to Show Cause issued to ) Docket No.: 16-CONS-4131-CSHO  
Summer Sun Gas L.L.C. ("Operator") regarding )  
responsibility under K.S.A. 55-179 for plugging ) CONSERVATION DIVISION  
the Brown #2 well in Chautauqua County, Kansas. )  
\_\_\_\_\_ ) License No.: 6880

**PREHEARING OFFICER ORDER CONTINUING HEARING**

1. On August 24, 2016, the Prehearing Officer issued an Order scheduling an evidentiary hearing for December 15, 2016.
2. November 2, 2016, Staff issued a Motion to Continue Evidentiary Hearing requesting that the evidentiary hearing in this docket, currently scheduled for December 15, 2016, be continued to February 16, 2017, and that the pre-filed testimony deadlines to be adjusted accordingly. Staff has consulted with Operator's counsel, who is not opposed to the continuance. Staff anticipates this matter will be resolved without the need for a hearing, and a continuance would assist in the efficient resolution of this docket.
3. The evidentiary hearing previously scheduled for December 15, 2016, is continued until February 16, 2017.
4. Prefiled testimony shall be submitted as follows:

Commission Staff's Pre-filed Direct Testimony	Due by January 16, 2017
Appellant's Pre-filed Direct Testimony	Due by January 23, 2017
Any Pre-filed Rebuttal Testimony	Due by February 6, 2017
5. Any settlement agreement the parties wish to present for the Commission's consideration shall be due by February 6, 2017.

**THEREFORE, THE PREHEARING OFFICER ORDERS:**

A. The evidentiary hearing previously scheduled for December 15, 2016, is continued until February 16, 2017, at 10:00 a.m. with the testimony prefiling schedule as set out in number 4 above.

B. The evidentiary hearing shall be held in the Commission's office at 266 N. Main, Ste. 220, Wichita, Kansas 67202.

Dated: 11/7/2016

  
John McCannon  
Prehearing Officer

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I certify that on 11/7/16, I caused a complete and accurate copy of this Prehearing Officer Order to be served via United States mail, with the postage prepaid and properly addressed to the following:

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