BEFORE THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF KANSAS

In the matter of the application of Berexco) LLC for an exception to the 10-year) time limitation of K.A.R. 82-3-111 for its) Trembley Unit 7X well located in the N2 NW) SE of Sec 34, T24S, R8W, Reno County,) Kansas) Docket No. 24-CONS-<u>3126</u>-CEXC

CONSERVATION DIVISION

License No.: 34318

APPLICATION

COMES NOW Berexco LLC ("Applicant") in support of its Application in the captioned matter states as follows:

1. Applicant is a corporation authorized to do business in the State of Kansas. Applicant's address is 2020 N. Bramblewood, Wichita, Kansas 67206.

2. Applicant has been issued by the Kansas Corporation Commission Operator's License #34318, which expires on October 30, 2024.

3. Applicant is the owner and operator of the Trembley Unit 7X well, API #15-155-20566-00-01 which is located in the North Half of the Northwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarte of Section 34, Township 24 South, Range 8 West, Reno County, Kansas. The subject well is located on an active oil and gas lease or unit comprising the following lands:

> Southwest Quarter of Section 27 and all of Section 34, Township 24 South, Range 8 West, Reno County, Kansas.

4. Pursuant to K.A.R. 82-3-111, Applicant obtained temporary abandonment status for the subject well on August 31, 2012. The subject well has maintained such status from August 2012, to the present date.

5. On or about September 26, 2024, the Kansas Corporation Commission notified Applicant that temporary abandonment status for the subject well would be denied because the subject well had been temporarily abandoned for more than ten (10) years. K.A.R. 82-3-111 provides for an additional exception to be obtained through an application filed with the Commission. Operator seeks such an exception.

6. The subject well demonstrated mechanical integrity as evidenced by a mechanical integrity test taken and approved by KCC field personnel on September 26, 2024.

7. Operator plans to keep subject well as a back-up Hertha water injection well in its Trembley Unit waterflood. The cost to restart the well is approximately \$2,000. Operator estimates that the lease has 10,500 BBL remaining reserves. Cost to plug and abandon the well is \$25,000. The lease currently contains 3 producing wells and 2 injection wells, along with 3 TA wells. Current production on the lease is 7 BOPD. Estimated cost to plug all remaining wells on the lease is \$200,000.

8. Operator has included a plat map showing the locations of all producing, injection, temporarily abandoned, abandoned, and plugged wells located on the same leased premises as the subject well.

9. Based on the foregoing, Applicant requests the Commission grant an additional exception to the 10-year limitation, specifically to allow the subject well to remain eligible for temporary abandonment status for the three (3) years following the expiration of the 10-year limitation, subject to yearly renewal with the appropriate Conservation Division District, but without further need to re-apply for a new exception each of the three (3) years prayed for in this application to the Commission.

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10. Listed in the attached Exhibit "A" are the names and addresses of the following persons:

- A. Each operator of each oil and gas lease covering lands within one-half (1/2) mile radius of the subject well; and
- B. Each person who owns any mineral interest of record in and under any lands
 located within one-half (1/2) mile radius of the subject well (provided that such mineral interest is not covered by any oil and gas lease).

11. Notice of this application will be published pursuant to K.A.R. 82-3-135a. In addition, notice of the hearing to be held in this matter will be provided as prescribed by K.A.R. 82-3-135.

WHEREFORE, Applicant prays that this matter be granted administratively without a hearing, or in the alternative be set for hearing, and upon hearing that the Commission grant Applicant's request, for an exception to the K.A.R. 82-3-111 ten (10) year limitation, to allow the subject well to remain temporarily abandoned for three (3) years, subject to annual approval by the Conservation Division District Office of an application for temporary abandonment status.

Respectfully Submitted,

Teren DeBok 2020 N. Bramblewood Wichita, KS 67206 316-265-3311 Fax #316-681-4770

By: Signature of Submitter

VERIFICATION

STATE OF KANSAS)) COUNTY OF SEDGWICK)

ss:

Teren DeBok, of lawful age, being first duly sworn, upon oath states:

That he has the authority on behalf of Operator to file this application, has read the application, knows the contents, and knows all of the statements in the application are true and correct.

[ogen_ Signature of Submitter

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of October, 2024.

Notary

My appointment expires:

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify on this 1st day of October, 2024, true and correct copies of the above and foregoing Application and the Notice of Application were served by depositing copies of the same in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, and properly addressed to the landowners set forth in paragraph 10 of said Application and each party set forth in Exhibit "A" attached to said Application filed by Applicant, and a digital scan of the application was delivered electronically to the Kansas Corporation Commission.

Teren VeBalt

Name of Signed

EXHIBIT A

Surface owner - SE/4 Sec. 34-24S-8W (Trembley Unit #7X wellsite)

Sarah Trembley Evans LLC 6402. Cooper St. Shawnee, KS 66218

Operator - All Sec. 34-25S-8W

Berexco LLC 2020 N. Bramblewood Wichita, KS 67206

Unleased mineral owner - NW/4 Sec. 35-24S-8W

Trembley Farms, LLC c/o PBT Farm Management P. O. Box 1169 McPherson, KS 67460

Unleased mineral owner - SW/4 Sec. 35-24S-8W

Stephen & Heather Yoder P. O. Box 133 Yoder, KS 67585

Operator – N/2 NW/4 and W/2 NE/4 Sec. 3-25S-8W

Hesse Petroleum Company, LLC 400 N. Woodlawn, Suite 7 Wichita, KS 672098

Mineral owner - N/2 NW/4 and W/2 NE/4 Sec. 3-25S-8W

James Ryan & Lynette L. Hilty 526 W. 22nd Ave. Hutchinson, KS 67502

Unleased mineral owners - NE/4 NE/4 Sec. 3-25S-8W

Edward & Patricia Thayer Trust Edward J. & Maureen A. Ochs 22616 W. Arlington Rd. Arlington, KS 67514

BEREXCO LLC

BEFORE THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF KANSAS NOTICE OF FILING APPLICATION

RE: BEREXCO LLC - - Application for an exception to the 10 year time limitation of K.A.R. 82-3-111 for the Trembley Unit 7X, located in Reno County, Kansas.

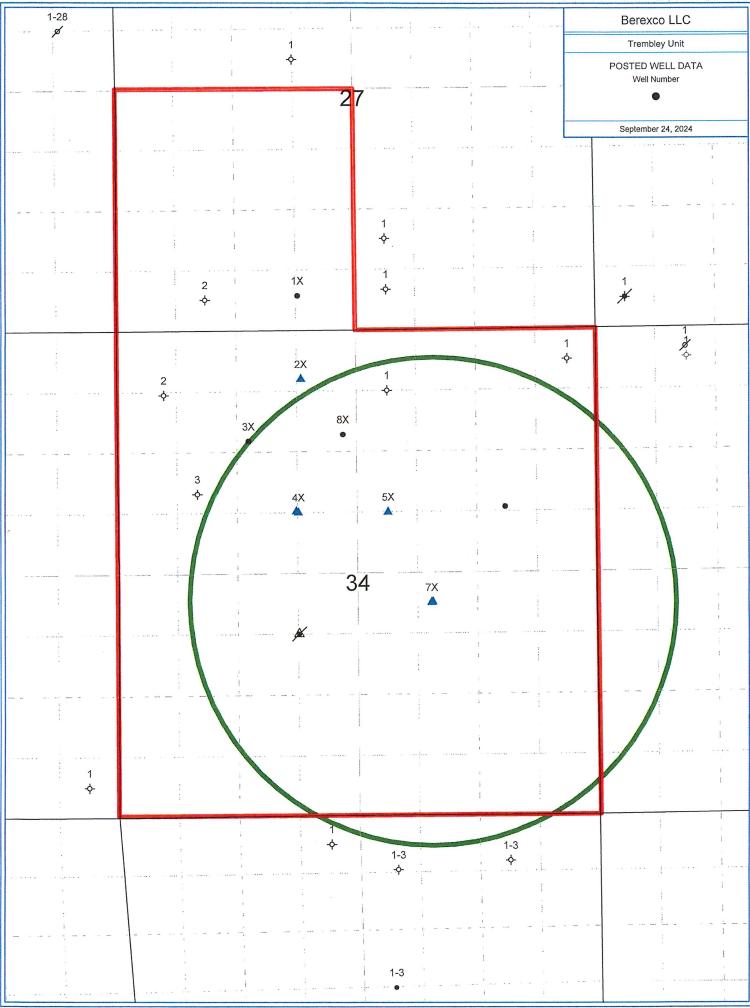
TO: All Oil & Gas Producers, Unleased Mineral Interest Owners, Landowners, and all persons whomever concerned.

You, and each of you, are hereby notified that Berexco LLC has filed an application for an exception to the 10 year time limitation of K.A.R. 82-3-111 for the Trembley Unit 7X, located in the N2 NW SE of Section 34-24S-8W, Reno County, Kansas.

Any persons who object to or protest this application shall be required to file their objections or protest with the Conservation Division of the State Corporation Commission of the State of Kansas within fifteen (15) days from the date of this publication. These protests shall be filed pursuant to Commission regulations and must state specific reasons why the grant of the application may cause waste, violate correlative rights or pollute the natural resources of the State of Kansas.

All persons interested or concerned shall take notice of the foregoing and shall govern themselves accordingly.

BEREXCO LLC 2020 No Bramblewood Wichita, Kansas 67206 316-265-3311



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