

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION)	DOCKET NO. 26-CONS-3023-CEXC
OF MERIT ENERGY COMPANY, LLC,)	
FOR AN EXCEPTION TO THE 10-YEAR)	
TIME LIMITATION OF K.A.R. 82-3-111)	CONSERVATION DIVISION
FOR ITS LONGBOTHAM 8 WELL IN THE)	
NORTHEAST QUARTER OF THE)	
SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF THE)	LICENSE NO. 32446
SOUTHEAST QUARTER OF THE)	
SOUTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 3,)	
TOWNSHIP 30 SOUTH, RANGE 32)	
WEST, HASKELL COUNTY, KANSAS.)	
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Respectfully submitted,

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LEGAL PUBLICATION BEFORE THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF KANSAS

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF MERIT ENERGY COMPANY, LLC, FOR AN EXCEPTION TO THE 10-YEAR TIME LIMITATION OF K.A.R. 82-3-111 FOR ITS LONGBOTHAM 8 WELL IN THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 3, TOWNSHIP 30 SOUTH, RANGE 32 WEST, HASKELL COUNTY, KANSAS. DOCKET NO. 26-CONS-3023-CXC CONSERVATION DIVISION LICENSE NO. 32446

NOTICE OF PENDING APPLICATION

THE STATE CORPORATION
COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF KANSAS

TO: ALL OIL AND GAS PRODUCERS, UNLEASED MINERAL INTEREST OWNERS, LANDOWNERS, AND ALL PERSONS WHOMSOEVER CONCERNED:

YOU, and each of you, are hereby notified that Merit Energy Company has filed an Application for an exception to the ten-year time limitation of K.A.R. 82-3-111 for the Longbotham 8 well, located in the Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section 3, Township 30 South, Range 32 West, Haskell County, Kansas, API # 15-081-21962-01.

YOU are further notified that unless written protest is received by the State Corporation Commission within fifteen (15) days after publication of this Notice, the Application in this matter can be granted by administrative approval after said 15 day period. Any such protest should be mailed to the State Corporation Commission of the State of Kansas, Conservation Division, 266 North Main, Suite 220, Wichita, Kansas, 67202, and to the Applicant at the address shown.

All parties in any wise interested or concerned shall take notice of the foregoing and govern themselves accordingly.

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In The STATE OF KANSAS
In and for the County of Sedgwick
STATE OF KANSAS)

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County of Sedgwick)

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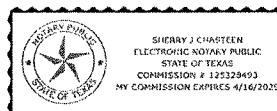
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