

THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF KANSAS

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

In the Matter of the Failure of Global Energy) Docket No: 17-CONS-3697-CPEN
Solutions Inc. ("Operator") to comply with)
K.A.R. 82-3-120.) CONSERVATION DIVISION
)
_____) License No: 32316

ORDER GRANTING MOTION TO WITHDRAW REQUEST FOR HEARING

This matter comes before the State Corporation Commission of the State of Kansas (Commission). Having examined its files and records, and being fully advised in the premises, the Commission finds and concludes as follows:

1. On June 29, 2017, the Commission issued a *Penalty Order* to Global Energy Solutions Inc. (Operator), finding that, according to Commission records, an unplugged well, or unplugged wells, remain on the Operator's expired license, in violation of K.A.R. 82-3-120.¹

2. On October 10, 2017, the Commission issued its *Order Setting Procedural Schedule*, scheduling an evidentiary hearing for December 14, 2017.² In accordance with the Commission's procedural schedule, both Commission Conservation Staff (Staff) and the Operator pre-filed direct testimony.

3. On November 30, 2017, the Operator filed a Motion to Withdraw Request for Hearing (Motion), stating that as "as a result of . . . discussions [with Staff], Global Energy has decided to file this motion to withdraw its request for a hearing, pay the \$500 penalty and seek renewal of its operator's license upon payment of the \$500 penalty."³ The Operator's Motion also

¹ *Penalty Order*, ¶ 7 (June 29, 2017).

² *Order Setting Procedural Schedule*, ¶ 2 (Oct. 10, 2017).

³ Motion, ¶ 5.

stated that “Staff has indicated it has no objection to Global Energy’s motion . . . provided that Global Energy pays the \$500 penalty and seeks to renew its operator’s license upon payment of the penalty.”⁴

4. The Commission finds the parties’ proposed resolution of this matter is reasonable and, therefore, grants the Operator’s Motion.

THEREFORE, THE COMMISSION ORDERS:

A. The Operator’s Motion to withdraw its request for hearing is granted, and the evidentiary hearing scheduled for December 14, 2017, is cancelled.

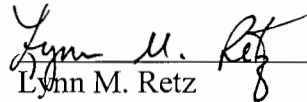
B. The parties have fifteen (15) days from the date of electronic service of this Order to petition for reconsideration.⁵

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

BY THE COMMISSION IT IS SO ORDERED.

Apple, Chairman; Albrecht, Commissioner; Emler, Commissioner

Dated: DEC 7 2017


Lynn M. Retz
Secretary to the Commission

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⁴ Motion, ¶ 5.

⁵ K.S.A. 55-162; K.S.A. 55-606; K.S.A. 77-529(a)(1); *see* K.S.A. 66-118b.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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I, the undersigned, certify that the true copy of the attached Order has been served to the following parties by electronic mail delivered on DEC 7 2017.

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