

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

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

In the matter of the application of Berexco) Docket No. 18-CONS-³³³⁷_____-CEXC
LLC for a third exception to the 10-year)
time limitation of K.A.R. 82-3-111 for its)
Ford #1 well located in the SE SW) CONSERVATION DIVISION
of Sec 9, T29S, R11W, Pratt County,)
Kansas)
_____) 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, 2018.

3. Applicant is the owner and operator of the Ford #1 well, API #15-151-20251-00-00 which is located in the Southeast of the Southwest Quarter of Section 9, Township 29 South, Range 11 West, Pratt County, Kansas. The subject well is located on an active oil and gas lease or unit comprising the following lands:

South Half of Section 9, Township 29 South, Range 11 West, Pratt County, Kansas.

4. Pursuant to K.A.R. 82-3-111, Applicant obtained temporary abandonment status for the subject well on September 1, 1999. The subject well has maintained such status from September, 1999, to the present date.

5. On or about August 10, 2011, the Kansas Corporation Commission notified Applicant that temporary abandonment status for the subject well would be denied from and after August 10, 2011, because the subject well had been temporarily abandoned for more than ten (10) years. Operator filed for, and received, approval for an exception to K.A.R. 82-3-111 on December 8, 2011.

6. On or about October 31, 2014, the KCC notified operator that the three year exception to K.A.R. 82-3-111 was expiring December 7, 2014. Operator filed for, and received, approval for an exception to K.A.R. 82-3-111 on March 3, 2015.

7. The 3 year exception to K.A.R 82-3-111 expires March 3, 2018. 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.

8. The subject well demonstrated mechanical integrity as evidenced by a mechanical integrity test taken and approved by KCC field personnel on February 26, 2018.

9. The subject well was producing 40 MCF/D prior to a work over in 1993. The Indian Cave producing zone was damaged by dumping water into the zone during the work over. Production dropped from 40 to 20 MCF/D and continued on a steep decline following the work over until the well was shut down in September, 1999, as it was no longer economical to produce. When gas price improves, Operator plans to clean up damage with a small frac and return the well to production. Operator estimates that the Ford #1 has 70,000 MCF remaining

reserves. Cost to plug and abandon the well is \$20,000. The Ford #2 is the only producing well on the lease and is making 0.5 BOPD and 30 MCF/D.

10. 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.

11. 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 March 3, 2018 expiration of the second exception to 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.

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

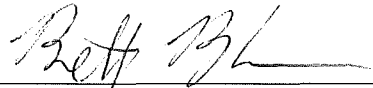
- A. Each operator of each oil and gas lease covering lands within one-half (1/2) mile radius of the subject well; and
- B. Each person who owns any mineral interest of record in and under any lands located within one-half (1/2) mile radius of the subject well (provided that such mineral interest is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

13. 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 a third 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,

Brett Blazer
2020 N. Bramblewood
Wichita, KS 67206
316-265-3311
Fax #316-681-4722

By: 
Signature of Submitter


VERIFICATION

STATE OF KANSAS)
)
COUNTY OF SEDGWICK)

ss:


Brett Blazer, of lawful age, being first duly sworn, upon oath states:

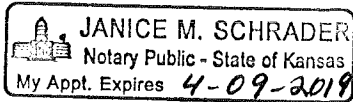
That he has the authority on behalf of Operator to file this application, has read the application, knows the contents, and knows all of the statements in the application are true and correct.



Signature of Submitter

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of March, 2018.



Notary Public

My appointment expires:

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify on this 2nd day of March, 2018, 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 landowner/s set forth in paragraph 11 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.



Name of Signed

EXHIBIT A

Unleased mineral owner – SE/4 Sec. 8-29S-11W

Hartman Family Farm, LLC
70422 SE 100th Ave.
Isabel, KS 67065

Operator – S/2 Sec. 9-29S-11W

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Wichita, KS 67206

Unleased mineral owner – NE/4 Sec. 9-29S-11W

Quentin and Elaine Hirt
100082 SE 40th Ave.
Sawyer, KS 67134-9560

Unleased mineral owner – NW/4 Sec. 9-29S-11W

Andy J. & Cynthia M. Kennedy Trusts
80267 SE 90th St.
Idabel, KS 67065

Unleased mineral owner – NW/4 Sec. 16-29S-11W

Jean A. Carter
2300 Canal Blvd.
Hays, KS 67601

Unleased mineral owner – NE/4 Sec. 16-29S-11W

Georgia Mae Gibson
80394 SE 110th Ave.
Isabel, KS 67065-9421

Unleased mineral owner – NE/4 Sec. 17-29S-11W

Burkner Brothers, LLC
1630 Paloma Avenue
Stockton, CA 95209-2534

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 Ford #1, located in Pratt 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 Ford #1, located in the SE SW of Section 9-29S-11W, Pratt 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.

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Wichita, Kansas 67206
316-265-3311

Berexco LLC

Ford #1

Application for Exception
SE SW 9-29S-11W
Pratt County, KS

POSTED WELL DATA

Operator

Well Name

● Well Number

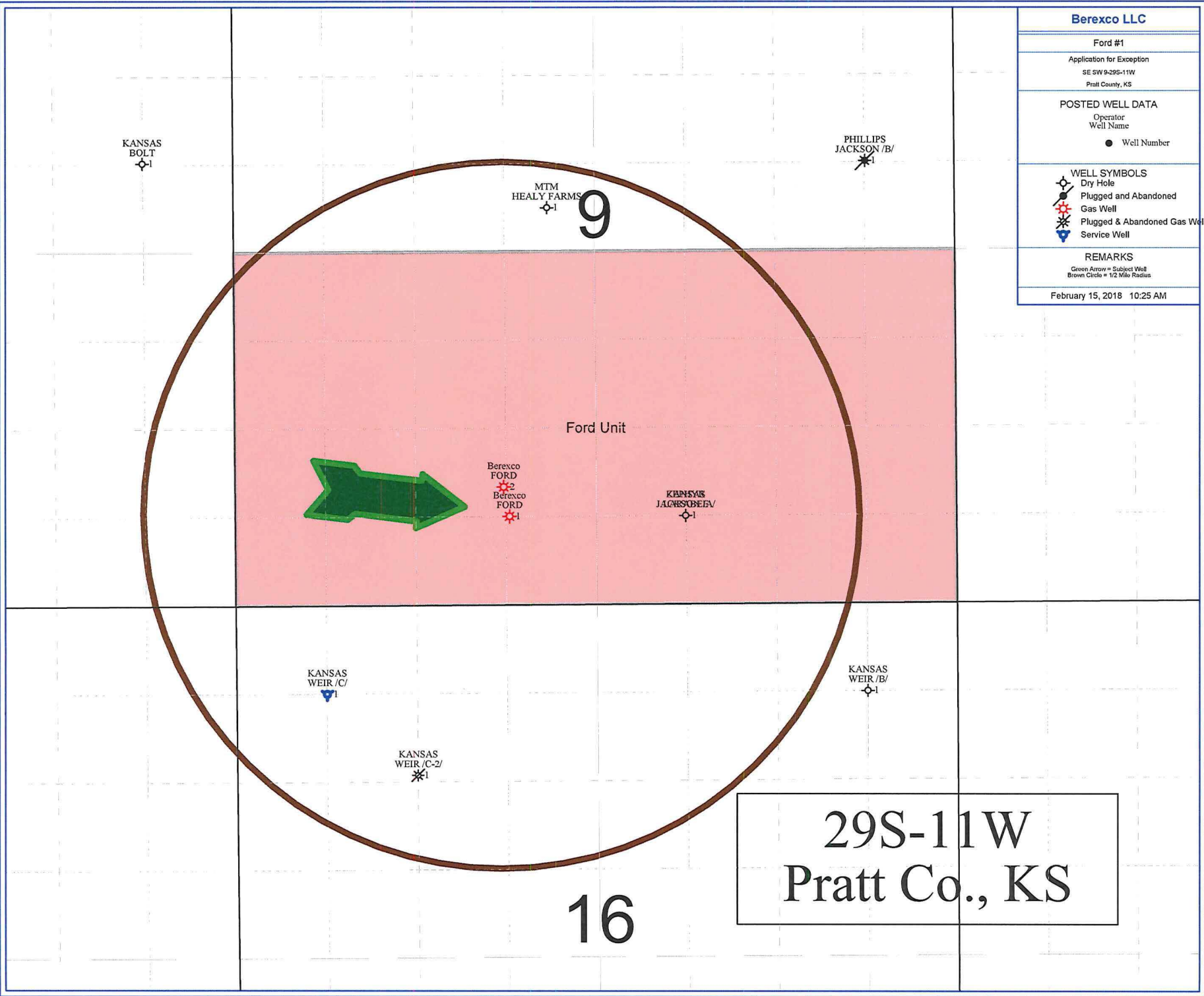
WELL SYMBOLS

-  Dry Hole
-  Plugged and Abandoned
-  Gas Well
-  Plugged & Abandoned Gas Well
-  Service Well

REMARKS

Green Arrow = Subject Well
Brown Circle = 1/2 Mile Radius

February 15, 2018 10:25 AM



29S-11W
Pratt Co., KS



LEGAL PROOF OF PUBLICATION

Account #	Ad Number	Identification	PO	Amount	Cols	Lines
455429	0003520174	Published in the Wichita Eagle February 12, 2018		\$152.80	1	42

Attention: brett blazer

BEREXCO LLC
2020 NO. BRAMBLEWOOD
WICHITA, KS 67206

In The STATE OF KANSAS
In and for the County of Sedgwick
AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

1 Insertions

Beginning issue of: 02/12/2018

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County of Sedgwick)

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Dale Seiwert, of lawful age, being first duly sworn, deposeth and saith: That he is Record Clerk of The Wichita Eagle, a daily newspaper published in the City of Wichita, County of Sedgwick, State of Kansas, and having a general paid circulation on a daily basis in said County, which said newspaper has been continuously and uninterruptedly published in said County for more than one year prior to the first publication of the notice hereinafter mentioned, and which said newspaper has been entered as second class mail matter at the United States Post Office in Wichita, Kansas, and which said newspaper is not a trade, religious or fraternal publication and that a notice of a true copy is hereto attached was published in the regular and entire Morning issue of said The Wichita Eagle from 2/12/2018 to 02/12/2018.

I certify (or declare) under the penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

(Signature of Principal Clerk)

DATED: 2/12/2018

Notary Public Sedgwick County, Kansas

JENNIFER RAE BAILEY
Notary Public - State of Kansas
My Appt. Expires 6/1/2021

Affidavit of Publication

State of Kansas, PRATT County, ss.

Conrad L. Easterday, being first duly sworn, deposes and says: That he is Publications Manager of the Pratt Tribune, a daily Newspaper printed in the State of Kansas, and published in and of general circulation in Pratt County, Kansas, with a general paid circulation on a daily basis in Pratt County, Kansas, and that said newspaper is not a trade, religious or fraternal publication.

Said newspaper is published at least weekly 50 times a year; has been so published continuously and uninterruptedly in said county and state for a period of five years prior to the first publication of said notice; and has been admitted at the post office of Pratt, Kansas in said County as second class matter.

That the attached notice is a true copy thereof and was published in the regular and entire issue of said newspaper for 1 week(s), the first publication there of being made as aforesaid on the 13th day of February 2018 and 0 subsequent publications being made on the following dates:

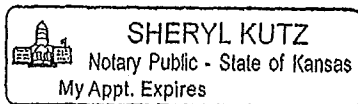
Conrad L. Easterday
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Publication Manager

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 13 day of February, 2018.

Sheryl Kutz
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Notary, State of Kansas

My commission expires: December 21, 2020



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