

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

Before Commissioners: Mark Sievers, Chairman
 Ward Loyd
 Thomas E. Wright

In the Matter of a Show Cause Order on the) Docket No.: 12-CONS-197-CBPO
Commissions own Motion issued to the several) 73,069-C(C-10,773)
Operators to Show Cause why the Commission)
should not dissolve the Basic Proration Order) CONSERVATION DIVISION
for the Schaben Mississippi Oil Pool, Ness)
County Kansas.)

NOTICE OF HEARING

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Pursuant to K.A.R. 82-3-135a(e), the above-referenced matter has been set for hearing. The hearing will be held on April 19, 2012, at 10:00 a.m., or as soon thereafter as the same may be reached, at the Kansas Corporation Commission, 130 S. Market, Room 2078, Wichita, Kansas 67202.

The hearing will be formal in nature and will involve both the rules of civil procedure and the rules of evidence. Please note that K.A.R. 82-1-228(d)(2) requires that corporations appear through an attorney. Pursuant to K.A.R. 82-1-229, Intervenor and Protestants, if any, must

prefile direct testimony ten (10) days prior to the date of the hearing. Rebuttal testimony may be presented at the hearing. One original and seven copies of prefiled direct testimony must be filed with the Executive Director of the Commission, 130 South Market, Room 2078, Wichita, Kansas 67202. Rebuttal testimony may be presented at the hearing.

Any person requiring special accommodations under The Americans With Disabilities Act needs to give notice to the Commission at least ten (10) days prior to the scheduled hearing date.

The Commission will preside over this hearing. Any of the Commissioners may be reached at Kansas Corporation Commission, 1500 SW Arrowhead Road, Topeka, Kansas 66604-4027. The phone number is (785) 271-3100.

If applicable, any and all prehearing orders issued in this matter are attached in accordance with K.S.A. 77-518(b).

THIS NOTICE OF HEARING IS DATED: 02-02-2012

By: 
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on 02-02-2012, I caused a true and correct copy of the foregoing "Notice of Hearing" to be served by placing the same in the United States mail, postage prepaid, to the following parties:

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