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May 21, 2015

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Re: Docket No. 15-CONS-173-CMSC

Operator:

This letter is in response to your May 21, 2015, letter regarding this docket.

While K.S.A. 55-164 provides that a penalty order may be appealed, your letter does not clearly request a hearing before the Commission.

Please check one of the options below, sign this letter, and return it to the Conservation Division Legal Department. This letter must be received by the end of business on Friday, June 5, 2015.

If you do not timely respond by signing this letter and marking only one of the options below, then you will be deemed to have chosen the second option.

- I request an evidentiary hearing before the Commission. I understand that Commission rules require that corporations and similar entities be represented by an attorney at hearing. I will be provided with a Notice of Hearing that includes the hearing date and procedural details. After the hearing, the Commission will issue an Order either affirming or rescinding the penalty.
- I expressly waive my right to an evidentiary hearing. I understand that the penalty order will become a final order, and that I must comply with the deadlines in the penalty order or risk additional penalties, license suspension, and the shutting-in of all oil and gas operations until compliance is obtained.

Signed



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Sam Brownback, Governor

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