

Re: Kansas Corporation Commission
Conservation Division
266 N Main St STE 220
WICHITA, KS 67202-1513

Re: BEREXCO LLC
2020 N BRAMBLEWOOD ST
WICHITA, KS 67206

17-CONS-3644-CEXC

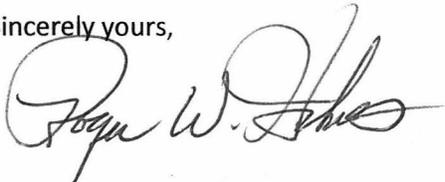
To whom it may concern,

I have filed this letter with both parties on my objection to the extension of the #6 SWD located in the NE SE of section 20-22S-22W so named the Bamberger lease in Hodgeman Co. Kansas.

The well location was drilled in 2/4/1963 and was an abandoned site when we purchased the land and mineral rights in 1973. Sun Oil Company was then the operator of the lease and leased the abandoned site from us to dispose brine in 1976 but never developed the site for disposal when they sold the lease. The site has been abandoned since then and for the Kansas Corporation Commission to allow another three year extension seems pointless. My concerns have become safety from the standpoint of pollution of the groundwater as well as the loss of saltwater on the surface. This site as so described is located 150 yards from my domestic water source and the chloride levels for my drinking water is between 550 PPM to 610 PPM when tested. I'm not stating the disposal is the problem, my argument is that after this length of time a "use or loose it" policy should be reviewed. I don't want to create a economic hardship due to regulatory policy's but enough time has transpired that the Corporation Commission needs to address how long should a temporary abandoned well evolve into a permanently plugged well.

After review of this extension I would expect satisfaction in knowing that I will be assured that this hasn't become a pollution point after this many years.

Sincerely yours,



Roger W. Holmes

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