

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

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

In the Matter of the Notice of Denial of License) Docket No: 17-CONS-3236-CMSC
Renewal Application to Eastern Kansas)
Operating, LLC) Conservation Division
) KCC License No. 34971
)

REQUEST FOR HEARING

COMES NOW, Eastern Kansas Operating, LLC, by and through counsel and pursuant to K.S.A. § 77-512 and § 77-513 *et seq.*, and hereby requests a hearing before the Commission on the denial of its license renewal application, License No. 34971.

By letter dated September 30, 2016, Litigation Counsel for the Commission notified Eastern Kansas Operating, LLC that its application for license renewal was being denied pursuant to K.S.A. § 55-155(c)(4) because “individuals associated with Operator are associated with entities that are not in compliance with Commission statutes, regulations, and orders.” Eastern Kansas Operating, LLC requests a hearing to address the Commission’s concerns, clarify the relationships of parties involved, and obtain the approval of its license renewal application.

WHEREFORE, Eastern Kansas Operating, LLC hereby requests a hearing on the denial of its license renewal application, License No. 34971.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a copy of the above and foregoing was served by U.S. Mail, on the following counsel of record, this 12th day of October 2016.

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